

Year 6 2022-2023

YEAR 6	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
	(7 weeks)	(7 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(6 weeks)	(7 weeks)
English Literacy Tree	The Unforgotten Coat by Frank Cottrell Boyce 3 weeks The Children of the Benin Kingdom 4 weeks	The Arrival by Shaun Tan 4 weeks Macbeth William Shakespeare 3 weeks	The invention of Hugo Cabret by Brain Selznick (book and film) 3 weeks The Templeton Twins: Have an Idea Ellis Weiner 3 weeks	The Three Little Pigs Project by the Guardian (film) 3 weeks The Boy in the Tower by Polly Ho-Yen 3 weeks	Grimm Tales for Young and Old by Philip Pullman 3 weeks Can We Save the Tiger by Martin Jekins and Vicky White 3 weeks	Windrush Child by Benjamin Zephaniah 3 weeks BENJAMIN ZEPHANIAH WINDRUSH Night Mail by W H Auden and GPO film unit (poem and film) 3 weeks

Speaking & Listening	Performance – Shakespec	are – Macbeth	Persuasion: Dragon's Den (DT link) Big question: How can we travel sustainably? I think that you should choose my design because	Debate - Example: This house believes that Performance - Year 6 Production	
Handwriting Letter-join	Letter-join Handwriting speed, stamin	na and fluency.	•		
Maths White Rose	Number: Place value 2 weeks Number: Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division 4 weeks Number: Fractions 4 weeks Number: Decimals 1 week Consolidation 3 weeks		Number: Decimals 1 week Number: Percentages 2 weeks Number: Algebra 2 weeks Measurement: Converting units 1 week Number: Ratio 2 weeks Measurement: Perimeter, area and volume 2 weeks Geometry: Position and Direction 1 week Consolidation 1 week	Geometry: properties of shape 2 weeks Problem solving 3 weeks Statistics 2 weeks Investigations 4 weeks Consolidation 1 week	
	Journey down a river – 2 WEEKS Journey through time – A Non-European Society – 5 WEEKS	Journey through time- A Non-Europea n Society – 4 WEEKS Shakespeare - Macbeth – 3 WEEKS	Sustainable development goal – Climate Action – 12 WEEKS	London and beyond -13 WEEKS	

Science	Light	Electricity	Evolution and Inheritance	Living things and their habitats	Animals including humans
	recognise that light	associate the			identify and name the main parts of the human
	appears to travel in	brightness of a lamp or	recognise that living	describe how living	circulatory system, and describe the functions of
	straight lines	the volume of a buzzer	things have changed	things are classified	the heart, blood vessels and blood
		with the number and	over time and that	into broad groups	
	use the idea that light	voltage of cells used in	fossils provide	according to common	recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and
	travels in straight lines to	the circuit	information about	observable	lifestyle on the way their bodies function
	explain that objects are		living things that	characteristics and	
	seen because they give	compare and give	inhabited the Earth	based on similarities	describe the ways in which nutrients and water
	out or reflect light into	reasons for variations	millions of years ago	and differences,	are transported within animals, including humans
	the eye	in how components		including	
		function, including the	recognise that living	microorganisms, plants	
	explain that we see	brightness of bulbs, the	things produce	and animals	
	things because light	loudness of buzzers	offspring of the same		
	travels from light sources	and the on/off position	kind, but normally	give reasons for	
	to our eyes or from light	of switches	offspring vary and are	classifying plants and	
	sources to objects and		not identical to their	animals based on	
	then to our eyes	use recognised	parents	specific characteristics	
		symbols when			
	use the idea that light	representing a simple	identify how animals		
	travels in straight lines to	circuit in a diagram	and plants are		
	explain why shadows		adapted to suit their		
	have the same shape		environment in		
	as the objects that cast		different ways and		
	them		that adaptation may		
			lead to evolution		
	Curriculum link: History –		within animals,		
	Benin (street lamps –		including humans		
	palm oil)				
	Scientist focus: Ibn	Scientist focus: Nikola	Scientist focus: John	Scientist focus: Carl	Scientist focus: William Harvey (Doctor who
	al-Haytham (Alhazen)	Tesla - (Electrical &	Edmonstone	Linnaeus (Botanist &	discovered the nature of blood circulation and
	(Physicist &	Mechanical Engineer	(taxidermist)	Zoologist who	the function of the heart as a pump)
	Mathematician who	who developed the		developed a	
	developed a theory that	AC electrical system		taxonomy for	
	light travels in a straight	and made important		classifying organisms)	

	line, and proved it by carrying out the first scientific experiment)	advances in technologies such as x-rays, neon lights and robotics)				
Gardening	September – October – Harvest last year's pumpkins (beds) and possibly last year's cucumbers (depending on growth)		January – Prepare ground and cover raised beds to suppress weeds March – Sow beetroot (beds)		May/June – Harvest beetroot (beds)	
History	School theme: Civilisation transformation A non-European society th with British history – The Kin Africa) c. AD 900-1300	nat provides contrasts	Term 3 only School theme: Civilisation - destruction and transformation A study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066 - a significant turning point in British history. Industrial revolution - Link to Benin chronologically			
Geography	Cover through Rivers project: Human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water. Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features				Understand geographical similarities and differences through the study of human and physical geography of a region of the United Kingdom, a region in a European country, and a region within North or South America (Colombia). Use maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features	
PSHCE Jigsaw	Being me in my world Identifying goals for the year Global citizenship Children's universal rights	Celebrating difference Perceptions of normality Understanding disability Power struggles	Dreams and goals Personal learning goals, in and out of school Success criteria Emotions in success	Healthy me Taking personal responsibility How substances affect the body Exploitation, including	Relationships Mental Health Identifying mental health worries and sources of support Love and loss Managing feelings	Changing me Self-image Body image Puberty and feelings Conception to birth Reflections about

	Feeling welcomed and valued Choices, consequences and rewards Group dynamics Democracy, having a voice Anti-social behaviour Role-modelling	Understanding bullying Inclusion/exclusion Differences as conflict, differences as celebration Empathy	Making a difference in the world Motivation Recognising achievements Compliments	county lines and gang culture Emotional and mental health Managing stress	Power and control Assertiveness Technology safety Take responsibility with technology use	change Physical attraction Respect and consent Boyfriends/girlfriends Sexting Transition
RE	Stories of Hinduism	What is a church?	What is the Qur'an and why is it important for Muslims?	How do people express their faith through the arts?	Sikh Worship and Community	
MFL - Spanish	Recall phrases to describe my feelings Remember words and phrases about school subjects and opinions Remember and use numbers to 60 Understand o'clock time phrases in Spanish Talk and answer questions about my daily routine	Understand the nouns for rooms in a house Read and understand simple descriptions of rooms in a house Follow and understand a story Write descriptive sentences using colour and size Recognise and understand familiar and unfamiliar nouns	Understand some numbers used in dates Recognise and understand familiar and unfamiliar nouns Identify some parts of a verb Create opinions about a sport Understand and write simple information about sports	Use language skills to understand unfamiliar nouns Give a simple description of a fairground ride Write simple sentences about a funfair Say and write sentences about myself	Know facts about cafe culture Ask for snacks and drinks politely Take part in a cafe role play Understand information about Spanish food and meals Follow a story about going to a restaurant	Recall familiar spanish language Write favourite words in Spanish Perform a superstar sketch Display learning on a poster
Art	Painting (1 week) Spotlight on the artist: Ben Onwonwu	Drawing (6 weeks) Spotlight on the Art: Artwork of Benin	Photography (1 week) Spotlight on the artist: Environmental photographer of the year (change annually)	Printing (6 weeks) Spotlight on the Art:	3D (1 week) Spotlight on the Art:	Collage (6 weeks) Spotlight on the artist: Maria Berrio

			CIWEM	Shepard Fairey – We the future are Earth guardians	Anthony Gormley sculpture in the Thames - Another time' Spotlight on London Arch The changing skyline of L	
Music	Musitrax Strings: Violin and cello	Musitrax Strings: Violin and cello	Musitrax Strings: Violin and cello	Musitrax Strings: Violin and cello	Musitrax Strings: Violin and cello	Musitrax Strings: Violin and cello
D&T	Structures Link: Macbeth Create a large scale structure that acts as part of the set for the Macbeth winter performance With increasing independence and ability, build innovative, functional, appealing, stable structures that are fit for purpose. Demonstrate confidently how to reinforce and strengthen a 3D framework.		Mechanisms & Electrical Components Link: Science (Forces) Sustainable Development Goals - Climate change Design, make and evaluate a prototype for a wind powered car using Tinkercad Develop a greater understanding of how gears create movement. Create and use prototypes. Design and make products with greater independence. Apply understanding of computing to program, monitor and control products. Use science skills (resistance, batteries in series or parallel, variable resistance to dim lights or control speed) to alter the way electrical products behave.		Cooking and Nutrition Link: PE (Sports Day) Design, make and evaluate a yeast-based snack for parents and children participating in the school sports day Using their knowledge and skills know how to prepare and cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes safely and hygienically. Become increasingly skilled at peeling, chopping, slicing, grating, mixing, kneading and baking.	

Computing	Computing systems and networks	Creating media	Programming A	Data and information	Creating media	Programming B
	Internet communication Recognising how the WWW can be used to communicate and be searched to find information.	Webpage creation Designing and creating web pages, giving consideration to copyright, aesthetics, and navigation.	Variables in games Exploring variables when designing and coding a game.	Introduction to spreadsheets Answering questions by using spreadsheets to organise and calculate data.	3D modelling Planning, developing, and evaluating 3D computer models of physical objects	Sensing Designing and coding a project that captures inputs from a physical device.
PE (outdoor) Moving Matters	Tag Rugby	Hockey	Basketball	American Football	Athletics	Cricket
PE (indoor) Moving Matters	Swimming	Swimming	Tennis	Netball	Dance	Gymnastics - Benchmark
Trips	Out of school enrichment – visit to Hindu Temple	Out of school enrichment - The British Museum	In school enrichment - Climate Ed	In school enrichment - Climate Ed	Y6 leavers trips West End Camping Thorpe Park Forest School	