

Year 6 Curriculum Map



Planned half term	Year 6	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science	Love to Read links
1	A Child's War	History	Evacuees	Street party	How can you send a coded message?	Letters; Diary writing; Persuasive writing; Narrative dialogue; Speeches	Discrete	Using search technologies; Using presentation software	Following recipes; Building structures	Human geography; Cities of the UK	The Second World War	Discrete	Listening, performing and composing	Games; Dance	Empathising with people in different times	Discrete	Goodnight Mr Tom - Michelle Magorian
2	Gallery Rebels	Art & Design	Visit a gallery	Create gallery exhibits	Is green really green?	Research; Short narrative; Expressionist poetry; Surrealist narrative; Explanatory text	Great artists of the 19th and 20th centuries	Collecting, evaluating and presenting information	Selecting and using tools and materials	Locational knowledge	Discrete	Discrete	Listening, improvising and composing	Dance	Discrete	Light	Framed
3	Hola Mexico!	Music	Mexican musical performance	Festival procession	How can we make red? What colour is a shadow?	Invitations; Postcards; Instructions; Myths and legends; Poetry	Sculpture; Maya art; Carving	Online research; Digital presentations	Food of Mexico; Evaluating and making instruments	Using maps; Human and physical geography of Mexico	Ancient Maya civilisation	Discrete	Mexican music; Musical notation	Mexican dance	Discrete	Light and shadows	Holes - Louis Sachar
4	ID	Science	Meet John Doe	Forensic crime scene	Why are things classified? How does inheritance work?	Descriptions/ Narrative; Non-chronological reports; Adverts; Facts and opinions/Tributes; Calligrams	Portraiture and figurines	Select, use and combine a variety of software; Photo stories; E-safety	Using tools; Design; Fashion and clothing	Local community/ Where I live	Social reformers	Ratio and percentages; Data and statistics	Appraising; listening to voices	Physical challenges	Identity, personal views and opinions; My place; Recognising strengths	Classification; families and inheritance; Working scientifically	Bill's New Frock - Anne Fine
5	Frozen Kingdom	Geography	Investigate ice	Polar rescue mission	How do animals stay warm? Can we slow cooling down?	Chronological report; Short narrative; Diaries; Haiku poetry; Letter writing	Photography; Painting; Block printing	Collecting, evaluating and presenting information	Building an igloo	Features of the polar regions	Emigration and exploration in the early 1900s	Measurement (temperature); Negative numbers	Soundscapes	Outdoor adventure; orienteering	Care of the environment	Living things and their habitats	The Call of the Wild - Jack London
6	Tomorrow's World	Computing	Interview a web-designer, blogger or podcaster	Spy school website	Can you see through it? Can you turn a light down? What is a reflection? How does light travel?	Email and blogs; Newspaper reports; Websites; Thriller narratives; Podcasts	Logo design	Effective and safe online research; Computer networks; Algorithms; Using logical reasoning; Downloading music; Website design; 'Text' language	Key individuals in design and technology; Assistive technologies; Programming, monitoring and controlling products; Website header design; Product design	Discrete	History of computing	Discrete	Discrete	Discrete	Jobs of the future; Explaining opinions	Light; Electricity	Stormbreaker - Anthony Horowitz