



Year 6 - Curriculum map



Planned half term	Year 6	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Read links	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science
1	A Child's War	History	Evacuees	Street party	Goodnight Mr Tom - Michelle Magorian The Silver Sword - Ian Serrailler	How can you send a coded message?	Letters; Diary writing; Persuasive writing; Narrative dialogue; Speeches		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	Evolution
2	Revolution	History	Visit a Victorian classroom	Queen Victoria's end-of-exhibition dinner	Black Beauty - Anna Sewell; A Christmas Carol - Charles Dickens; Wolves of Willoughby Chase - Joan Aiken	Can fruit light a bulb?	Non-chronological reports; Historical fiction; Biographies; Limericks; Diary writing/journals	Artists of the Victorian period; Printing	Digital photography	Victorian homecraft; Model buildings	Cities and transport in Victorian times; Using maps	The Victorians	Discrete	Victorian parlour songs	Exercise	Reflecting on achievements	Electricity
3	Frozen Kingdom	Geography	Investigate ice	Polar rescue mission	The Call of the Wild - Jack London	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
4	Blood Heart	Science	Sheep's heart dissection	Heart charity fundraiser	Macbeth	What can your heart rate tell you? How does blood flow? What's in blood?	Non-chronological reports; Shape poetry; Slogans and adverts; Biography; Narrative using personification	Modelling and sculpture; Abstract art	Using websites; Flow diagrams	Selecting tools and equipment; Healthy recipes; Product packaging; Working modes	Discrete	Discrete	Pie charts	Pulse; Heart raps	Cardiovascular exercise	Harmful substances; Caring about others	Human circulatory system; Measuring heart rate; History of blood groups; Lifestyle effects; Working scientifically
5	Hola Mexico!	Music	Mexican musical performance	Festival procession	Holes - Louis Sachar	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
6	ID	Science	Meet John Doe	Forensic crime scene	Bill's New Frock - Anne Fine	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

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