

## Year 6 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Science	Light	Electricity	Animals including humans	Evolution	Living things and their habitats	Sound
History	World War 2 – How did life change for children during this time?		Titanic – How did the ‘Unsinkable’ sink?	A Study of North America with a focus on fair trade		Transition work for secondary school. Leavers’ Production.
Geography						
RE	Why do people have ceremonies and use rituals in their lives?	What do the Gospels tell us about the birth of Jesus?	Why should people of a religious faith care about the environment?	Why are Good Friday and Easter Day the most important days for Christians?	What do Christians believe about God?	So what do you now know about Christianity?
English	<b>Goodnight Mr Tom (Michelle Magorian)</b>  <i>*May change to Lion the Witch &amp; The Wardrobe next year so children have experience of a fantasy genre.</i>  Opportunities to practise the different reading skills throughout the whole class reading of the text.  Writing opportunities to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letters</li> <li>• Diary entries</li> <li>• Narrative</li> </ul> Christmas adverts – The Christmas Truce (Literacy Shed)		<b>Boy in the Striped Pyjamas (John Boyne)</b>  Opportunities to practise the different reading skills throughout the whole class reading of the text.  Writing opportunities to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letters</li> <li>• Diary entries</li> <li>• Narrative</li> <li>• Dialogue</li> <li>• Non-chronological reports</li> <li>• Poetry</li> </ul>		<b>Wonder (RJ Palacio)</b>  Opportunities to practise the different reading skills throughout the whole class reading of the text.  Writing opportunities to include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diary entries</li> <li>• Narrative</li> <li>• Text conversations</li> <li>• Non-chronological reports</li> <li>• Persuasive writing</li> </ul>	

Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number: Place Value</li> <li>• Number: Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division</li> <li>• Number: Fractions</li> <li>• Geometry: Position and direction</li> <li>• Consolidation</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number: decimals</li> <li>• Number: Percentages</li> <li>• Number: Algebra</li> <li>• Measurement: Converting units</li> <li>• Measurement: Perimeter, area and volume</li> <li>• Number: Ratio</li> <li>• Consolidation</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Geometry: Properties of shape</li> <li>• Problem Solving</li> <li>• Statistics</li> <li>• Investigations</li> <li>• Consolidation</li> </ul>	
Music	WW2 songs-learning and performing Christmas songs-learning and performing Carol singing & Xmas show rehearsals		Music composition – The Word		Leavers' Performance songs	
French	Caroline Smith	Caroline Smith	Caroline Smith	Caroline Smith	Caroline Smith	Caroline Smith
PE	Netball/Benchball	Gymnastics/dance	Tchoukball/Tag rugby	Tennis	Cricket/OAA	Athletics/Rounders
Art and DT	Blitz silhouettes Rationing recipes Anderson shelter designs Propaganda posters	Make do and Mend (sewing) Xmas crafts Xmas cards and calendars	Mothers' Day cards Titanic perspective drawings	North American animal art-symmetrical drawings/observational skills	Fathers' Day cards	
ICT	Barefoot	Barefoot	Barefoot	Barefoot	Barefoot	Barefoot
Citizenship/PSHE  *One Life scheme						
Enrichment/ Trips	Broomhouse Farm (linked to WW2 rationing)	VE Day street party celebration (end of WW2 topic)	Heart and nutrition workshops (Green Shift Ed.)	World Book Day Number Day Science Week	Post SATs treat	Transition activities / Leavers show

