

Year 6 Curriculum Overview 2024-2025

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English Fiction Non-fiction Poetry SPaG focus Speaking Vocabulary	Vocabulary - Emotion words Migration poetry The Empire Windrush -Diary Writing Non chronological report - Antarctic Animals	The Empire Windrush - Essay writing Diary and Narrative writing - Romeo and Juliet SPaG - Using 5 sentence types, Key terminology	SPaG - three tense forms, modality, active voice and passive voice Sherlock Holmes - narrative Charles Darwin - Biographical writing	SPaG - Review When Sky Falls - narrative Journalistic report writing - Climate emergency	Punctuation Stories that raise issues - narrative	Building fluency You are Awesome - Transition unit Poetry of place
Guided reading texts	When the Sky Falls by P. Earle	The Boy at the Back of the Class By Onjali.Q.Raulf	Short extracts	Short Extracts	Wonder by R.J.Palacio	Pig Heart Boy by M. Blackman
Spellings	Spelling Shed	Spelling Shed	Spelling Shed	Spelling Shed	Spelling Shed	Spelling Shed
Mathematics	Place Value Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division	Fractions Converting units	Ratios Algebra Decimals	Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Area, Perimeter, Volume Statistics	Shape Position and Direction	Themed projects Consolidation Problem Solving
Science	Classifying big and small	Light and reflection	Evolution and inheritance	Circuits, batteries and switches	Circulation and health	Are some sunglasses safer than others?
Computing	Computer Systems and Networks Bletchley Park	Programming Intro to Python	Data Handling Big Data 1	Computing Systems and Networks Exploring AI	Data Handling Big Data 2	Skills Showcase Inventing a product
History	What does the Census tell us about our local area?		What was the impact of World War II on the people of Britain?		Who should go on the banknote?	
Geography		Why does the population change?		Where does our energy come from?		Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?
Art	Craft and Design Photo Opportunity		Drawing Make My Voice Heard		Painting and Mixed-Media Artist Study	
Design and Technology		Textiles Stuffed Toys		Structure Playgrounds		Electrical System Steady Hand Game

Music	Transition unit	Transition unit	Dynamics, pitch and tempo Theme: Fingal's Cave	Film music	Theme and variations Theme: Pop Art	Composing and performing a Leavers' Song	
PE	1	Dodgeball Throwing and Accuracy Indoor	Gymnastics Matching and Mirroring Indoor	Gymnastics Creating Sequences Indoor	Dance-DDMIX Bollywood Dance Indoor	Badminton Striking and Returning Indoor	Cricket Striking and Fielding Outdoor Problem Solving (Weather Dependent Indoor)
	2	Basketball Passing and Gameplay Tactics Outdoor	Orienteering Teamwork and Problem Solving Outdoor	Hockey Attack and Defense Outdoor	Tag Rugby Movement and Teamwork Outdoor	Athletics Throwing and Jumping Outdoor	Athletics Sports Day Practice Outdoor
RE	Why does religion look different around the world? (part 1) Jewish, Muslim, Christian viewpoints	Why does religion look different around the world? (part 2) Hindu, Sikh, Buddhist, Jain viewpoints Who celebrates Christmas?	Why is it better to be there in person? Muslim, Jewish, Christian, Humanist viewpoints	Why is there suffering? (part 1) Jewish, Christian, Zoroastrianist, Buddhist viewpoints	Why is there suffering? (part 2) Shinto, Buddhist, Sikh Humanist viewpoints	What place does religion have in our world today? Multiple world viewpoints	
Spanish	Greetings Numbers and ages	Dates	Where you live	Shapes and colours	Pets	Weather	
PSHE	Ground Rules/ Family and Relationships	Health and Wellbeing	Safety and the Changing Body	Citizenship	Economic Wellbeing	Transition/ Identity	
Enrichment opportunities			Bletchley Park visit		Willersley Castle Residential, Derbyshire	Arts1 Puppet Show Harry Potter Studios Leavers' performance	