

Year 6 Curriculum Overview 2023-24

Week	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
1	(3 days) Science Science day	Art Painting	(2 days) DT Cooking	RE Creation or science: conflicting or complementary?	Science Animals including Humans	Geography What is a river?
2	Science Light	Geography How do volcanoes affect the lives of people?	Science How have animals (including humans) changed over time?	Geography Why is fair trade fair?	Science Animals including Humans	DT Automata mechanics
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4	Science Light	DT Masks	Science How have animals (including humans) changed over time?	RE How and why does religion bring peace and conflict?	Art Drawing How do our interests inspire our art?	Art Sculpture
5	History Why did Britain once rule the largest empire the world has ever seen?	DT Masks	History Why did the Ancient Maya change the way they lived?	RE How and why does religion bring peace and conflict?	Art Drawing How do our interests inspire our art?	Art Sculpture
6	History Why did Britain once rule the largest empire the world has ever seen?	RE What does it mean to be human? Is being happy the greatest purpose in life?	History Why did the Ancient Maya change the way they lived?		History Why is the history of my local area important?	RE What does sacrifice mean?
7	Art Painting	(3 days) RE What does it mean to be human?	RE Creation or science: conflicting or complementary?		History Why is the history of my local area important?	Mersea
8						Final project piece
Computing	We are coders - Python	We are toy makers	We are computational thinkers	We are advertisers	We are AI developers	We are publishers
PE	Gymnastics Rolls	Dance Charleston	Dance Broadway	Gymnastics Pilates	Gymnastics Sequences/wall bars	Athletics

	Athletics and invasion Games Football	Athletics and invasion Games Basketball	Skills and invasion Games	Skills and invasion Games	Athletics and Cricket	Rounders and tennis
Music	Beatles – Charanga	Singing	BBC Ten Pieces – Winter		Composition	
Cooking	Tomato and carrot soup	Spicy fruit cookies	_____	_____	Stir fry	Banana and date bread
French	Phonetics At School Regular verbs		The weekend World War 2		Vikings Me in the world	
PSHCE	Health and wellbeing How can we keep healthy as we grow?		Living in the wider world How can the media influence people?		Relationships What will change as we become more independent? How do friendships change as we grow?	
Maths	Place Value Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division	Fractions Converting units	Ratio Algebra Decimals	Fractions, decimals and percentages Area, perimeter and volume Statistics	Shape Position and direction	Investigations Problem Solving
English	Writing to inform Rooftoppers The Lost Thing	Writing to entertain The Lost Thing Being Me (poetry)	Writing to discuss Shakespeare Macbeth	Writing to entertain Holes Revision	Writing to entertain Revision Twitch	Writing to persuade Varmints
Reading	Non-fiction texts Rooftoppers	Non-fiction texts Poetry - Rudyard Kipling – If	Non-fiction texts Reading comprehension for extracts	Non-fiction texts Poetry - Ruth Awolola – A Love Letter to the Stars	Non-fiction texts Twitch	Non-fiction texts Poetry - Robert Louis Stevenson – My Shadow