

Year 6 Curriculum Overview 2020/21

|  | Autumn 1  | Autumn 2   | Spring 1  | Spring 2  | Summer 1  | Summer 2   |
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| English  | Kensuke's Kingdom   | Poetry & Goodnight Mr Tom/WWII   | Titanic   | Titanic & Revision  | Revision & Harry Potter   | Harry Potter   |
|  | Formal & Informal Letter Writing, Diary Entries, Missing Person's Report, Argument                          | Learning & Preparing Poems and Plays to read aloud and to perform<br><br>Short Stories   | Newspaper Reports, Balanced Argument, Formal Report, Job Application, Persuasive Writing, Diaries   | All forms of writing and reading skills to be revised in preparation for Year 6 SATs  | Character Description<br>How to look after a mandrake<br>Argument<br>Persuasion                                       | Character Descriptions, Arguments, Letter Writing  |
| Continuous Provision - SPaG and Guided Reading |   |  |   |   |   |  |
| Maths  | Arithmetic Number & Place Value, Addition & Subtraction, Multiplication & Division, Fractions, Measurement, | Arithmetic Fractions, Decimals & Percentages<br>Measurement, Area & Perimeter<br>Ratio & Proportion<br>Geometry – Position & Direction | Arithmetic Number & Place Value, Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division, Fractions, Decimals & Percentages, Algebra, Statistics | Arithmetic Geometry – Properties of Shape, Fractions, Decimals & Percentages, Ratio & Proportion, Algebra, Measurement, Statistics, | Arithmetic Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division, Fractions, Decimals & Percentages, Algebra, Measurement, | Arithmetic Place Value, Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication & Division, Fractions, Decimals & Percentages, Ratio & Proportion, Investigation   |
| Science  | Living Things and their Habitats<br>Classification of Plants & Animals, Microorganisms                      | Electricity<br>Changing Circuits, Electrical Components & Symbols, Conductors & Insulators   | Light<br>How We See Things, Shadows & Reflection  |   | Animals Including Humans<br>Human Circulatory System, Diet & Exercise, Nutrition                                      | Evolution<br>Inheritance, Changes Over Time, Adaptation of Plants & Animals  |
| RE   | God<br>What does it mean if God is loving and Holy?   | Incarnation<br>Was Jesus the Messiah?  | Judaism<br>What does it mean for a Jewish person to follow God?   | Salvation<br>What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?  | Gospel<br>What would Jesus do?  | Pilgrimage & Respectful Town<br>Why is pilgrimage important to some religious believers?<br><br>What will make our town a more respectful place? |
| Computing                                      | Let's Communicate<br>Internet & Cyber safety  | Presenting with Prezi<br>Creating a presentation for peers<br><br>Powerpoint   | Making a Maze Game<br>Creating a game using the scratch programme   |   | Animation<br>Creating animations  | Video Makers<br>Creating a video using video clips from various curriculum areas   |
| History  |   | Aycliffe Angels<br><br>What impact did the Aycliffe Angels have on our community?  |   |   | Mayan Civilisation<br>How does the Mayan Civilisation impact on today?  | History of The Royal Family<br>Why is The Royal Family important?<br>Looking at monarchs since 1901  |

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| <b>Geography</b>                      | <b>Japan</b><br><b>Why is Mount Fuji wonderful?</b><br>Focussed study including Geographical Similarities & Differences, Volcanoes & Earthquakes   |   |  |   | <b>South America</b><br><br>What is the Climate like in South America?<br><br>Vegetation, minerals, earthquakes. |  |
| <b>Art &amp; Design</b>               | <b>Who was Hokusai? - Drawing &amp; Painting</b><br>Sketching: Reflections, Shadows, Direction of Sunlight, Colour Palettes, Watercolours, Acrylics, Combining Colours, Brush Techniques |   |  |   | <b>Sculpting</b><br>How has South American sculpture evolved   |  |
| <b>Design &amp; Technology</b>        |  | <b>Textiles.</b><br>Seasonal Stockings. How do we decorate our homes at Christmas?  |  |   |  | <b>Bake Off Challenge</b><br>Who will be star baker?   |
| <b>PE</b>                             | <b>Yoga &amp; Indoor Athletics</b>   |   | <b>Gymnastics &amp; Fitness</b>  |   | <b>Dance &amp; Fitness</b>   |  |
| <b>Music</b>                          | <b>Charanga – Happy</b><br>Performance, Composing, Music<br>Transcription, Describing Music  | <b>Charanga – Classroom Jazz 2</b><br>Performance, Composing, Music<br>Transcription, Describing Music                        | <b>Charanga – A New Year Carroll</b><br>Performance, Composing, Music<br>Transcription, Describing Music | <b>Charanga – You’ve got a friend</b><br>Performance, Composing, Music<br>Transcription, Describing Music | <b>Charanga – Music and Me</b><br>Performance, Composing, Music<br>Transcription, Describing Music               | <b>Charanga – Reflect, Rewind and Replay</b><br>Performance, Composing, Music<br>Transcription, Describing Music |
| <b>French</b>                         | <b>Notre Ecolé</b><br>Our School<br>School Rooms, Activities, Subjects, Equipment Used, Roles of People)   | <b>Dehors et Environ</b><br>Out and About<br>Entertainment in France, Fairgrounds, Money, Cinema, Famous French People, Shops |  |   |  | <b>French Café</b><br>Food& Drink, Menus, Ordering, Ice Creams, Milkshakes                                       |
| <b>Trips / Curriculum Enhancement</b> | Japanese Cooking - Sarah McAllister  | WW2 Cooking – Sarah McAllister<br><br>Christmas Production  |  | St John’s Church  |  | Light Water Valley<br><br>St John’s Church<br><br>Durham Cathedral<br>Leaver’s Service                           |