



Year 6 Curriculum Overview – Autumn 1

Subject	Reading	Writing	Maths
Strand	VIPERS/Reciprocal Reading	Poetry and Narrative	Place Value and Number
LOs - To know how suspense is built up in a story - To recognise the use and effect of patterned language in text - To find and comment on examples of how authors express different moods, feelings and attitudes. - To locate information using skimming, scanning and text marking. - To identify features of different fiction genres. - To compare, contrast and evaluate different non-fiction texts	- To know how suspense is built up in a story - To recognise the use and effect of patterned language in text - To find and comment on examples of how authors express different moods, feelings and attitudes. - To locate information using skimming, scanning and text marking. - To identify features of different fiction genres. - To compare, contrast and evaluate different non-fiction texts	English: - Poetry - Slow Writing - Stories - Instructions - Participate in discussions, performances, role play, improvisations and debates - Identifying the audience for and purpose of the writing, selecting the appropriate form and using other similar writing as models for their own - Selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary, understanding how such choices can change and enhance meaning - Using further organisational and presentational devices to structure text and to guide the reader [for example, headings, bullet points, underlining] - Assessing the effectiveness of their own and others' writing	- Place Value - Four operations on whole numbers - Fractions - Identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers - Use knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving four operations - Use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination - Compare and order fractions - Add and subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed numbers - Multiply simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest form - Divide proper fractions by whole numbers
Key vocabulary	vocabulary, inference, prediction, explanation, retrieval, summarise, sequence, fiction, non-fiction, features, language, mood, atmosphere	prefix, suffix, relative clause, fronted adverbial, synonyms, antonyms, inference, determiners.	ten millions, partition, order of operations BODMAS, negative numbers
Subject	Computing	Science	PSHE
Strand	Data Handling	Electricity	Being in my world
LOs - How can we use filtering and sorting to find information in databases? - How can we present data using a database? - How do linked table databases work? - How can databases help us find requested information?	- How can we use filtering and sorting to find information in databases? - How can we present data using a database? - How do linked table databases work? - How can databases help us find requested information?	- What are the parts of an electrical circuit? - How does voltage affect an electrical circuit? - Can I identify and correct problems in a circuit? - What affects the output of a circuit? - What knowledge and skills do I need to build a set of traffic lights?	- Why is it good to identify my fears about the future? - Do all children in the worlds enjoy the same rights? - How do my actions affect other people? - Why should we make positive behaviour choices? - How can my behaviour impact a group? - Why should I have a voice in my school community?
Key vocabulary	bar chart, calculate, condition, data, database, filter, field, group, line graph, linked tables, query, record, sort	component, circuit diagram, voltage, current, filament, output, insulative, conductive	See Unit Plan



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Subject	Geography	DT	Music
Strand	How have humans adapted to life in the Caribbean?	Textiles: Bags	Music Theory
LOs	- Where is the Caribbean and what islands does it consist of? - What does the physical geography of the Caribbean look like? - How does the climate differ in the Caribbean? - What does the human geography of the Caribbean look like and how does it differ from the UK? - Why is the Caribbean a popular tourist destination?	- How are pattern pieces used to design and make fabric items? - How can I use pattern pieces to shape, cut and stitch fabric? - What information is included in a design sketch? - Can I make a product from a design sketch? - How effective is my finished product?	- What are the basic key features of staff notation? - How do you recognise and play minims by ear as well as from staff notation? - How do you recognise and play semibreves by ear and from staff notation? - How do you recognise and play crotchets and crotchet rests by ear and from staff notation? - How do you compose rhythmic patterns for a Gumboot dance?
Key vocabulary	climate, tourist, tourism, physical geography, human geography, Caribbean	innovative, pattern piece seam allowance	crotchet, quavers, semibreve, treble clef, minim, rest, musical notation, staff notation, bar line, dynamics, gumboot dancing, harmony, improvise, metallophone, ostinatio, playing 'by ear'
Subject	RE	PE	MFL - Spanish
Strand	Can religion play a role in reducing racism?	Fitness / Rugby	
LOs	- What ideas like prejudice, discrimination and equality help me understand racism? - How do faith communities act against racism and support fairness? - Why is Edward Colston's legacy significant? - How do John Wesley's teachings show commitment to equality? - What did Prophet Muhammad teach about treating everyone fairly? - How does Hany El-Banna's work show Islamic action against racism? - Why do religions act for equality and challenge injustice?	<u>Fitness</u> <u>Rugby/OAA</u>	- To express an opinion of playing a sport - To give a reason for an opinion To read a story in Spanish
Key vocabulary	prejudice, discrimination, equality, racism, anti-racism, justice, fairness, human dignity, teachings, legacy, Islamic relief - a humanitarian charity founded by Hany El-Banna Humanitarian - someone who works to help people in need Prophet Muhammad – the founder of Islam whose teachings emphasise equality and justice. Edward Colston - historical figure linked to the transatlantic slave trade.	Get Set 4 PE	Jugar al fútbol Me gusta Jugar al tenis No me gusta Jugar al baloncesto Me encanta Bailar Odio Correr Prefiero Nadar Divertido Aburrido Difícil Emocionante Porque es



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	John Wesley - Christian leader who opposed slavery and promoted equality Faith in action - when religious beliefs inspire people to act for justice.	
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