# **Autumn Term Curriculum Overview for Year 6 2023**

### **English**

### Reading

- Read and discuss a range of genres
- Read for a range of purposes
- Prepare and perform poems
- Identify, discuss and compare themes •
- Ask and answer questions relating to the text
- Predict, conclude and explain

- Develop neat and personal handwriting
- Use knowledge and experience to inform writing
- Plan and write for a clear purpose and Use a range of cohesive devices audience
- Use a range of layout devices
- Use peer and self-assessment to

#### Grammar

- Use the correct terminology
- Understand and recognise 'the subjunctive'
- Understand and use ellipsis

### Maths

### **Statistics**

- Interpret and construct graphs and diagrams
- Calculate and interpret the mean

### Measurement – Area, Perimeter and Volume

- Use formulae for area and volume of shapes.
- Calculate the area of parallelograms Profit and loss and triangles.
- Calculate, estimate and compare volume of cubes and cuboids.

### **Investigations and** consolidation:

- Fractions, Decimals and Percentages
- Budgeting

### Science

### Living things and their habitats

• Describe how living things are classified into groups and give reasons for their placements

### Light:

- Recognise that light travels in straight lines and use this idea to explain how we see objects
- Explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them

### **Working Scientifically:**

- Place different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions
- Take measurements using a range of scientific equipment
- Record data using scientific diagrams
- Use test results to make predictions to set up further tests
- Report and present findings from enquiries

# Geography

- Identify the position and significance of the Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, the Prime/Greenwich Meridian and time zones.
- Use lines of latitude and longitude and symbols in maps to understand and record the geography of an area.

# **History**

- Create an in-depth study of the characteristics and importance of a past or ancient civilisation or society (people, culture, art, politics, hierarchy).
- Compare and contrast ancient civilisations.

# **Design & Technology**

- Demonstrate modifications made to a product, as a result of ongoing evaluation by themselves and others.
- Use a sensor to monitor an environmental variable, such as temperature, sound or light.
- Develop design criteria for a functional and appealing product that is fit for purpose, communicating ideas clearly in a range of ways.
- Select appropriate tools for a task and use them safely and precisely.
- Choose the best materials for a task, showing an understanding of their working characteristics.
- Follow a recipe that requires a variety of techniques and source the necessary ingredients independently.
- Explain how organic produce is grown

# Computing

- To describe and map out a story-based text adventure.
- To create, test and debug using 2Create.
- To code a map-based text adventure.

# Art

**PSHE** 

Puberty

Combine the qualities of different materials including paper, fabric and print techniques to create textural effects.

• Human reproduction, in the

Different types of

Recognising unhealthy

relationships

relationships

Finances

Enterprise

context of human life cycles

### Music

- Listen to a variety of music styles and recognise key instruments and features
- Gain a deeper understanding of pulse, rhythm and
- Play Glocks with more confidence and understanding
- Perform with ease and confidence

## French

#### Au parc d'attractions

- Asking and answering questions about rides at a theme park.
- Making statements about a visit to a theme park using the past tense.
- Expressing opinions about certain rides.
- Using adjectives to add interest to a description.

### **News Hounds**

- Creating a mini newspaper with a weather report, interview with a pop star, sports section, fashion section and a recipe section.
- Producing a tourist guide for their own town.

# **Physical Education**

- Strike and throw a ball with consistency and use some tactics as a batter, bowler and fielder.
- Use the rules of the game consistently and honestly.
- Lead a partner and small group through a warm up.
- Identify their own and others' strengths and areas for development and suggest improvements.
- Select and apply the best pace for running and perform jumps for height and distance.
- Swim competently, confidently and proficiently over 25 metres using a range of strokes.
- Work creatively to choreograph dances and refine actions to represent ideas, emotions and characters.
- Perform dances confidently and fluently with accuracy and timing.

# **Religious Education**

### **Human/Social Sciences**

How do beliefs shape identity for muslims?

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