



Year 6 Curriculum Planner Autumn 2026

English

Writing – narrative (including portal stories) that include ambitious and adventurous vocabulary. Opportunities to write diaries and speeches. Explore poems and write our own inspired by a variety of poets.

Grammar – to use a variety of sentences that include connectives, commas, brackets, dashes and modal verbs.

Reading – locate information by skimming and scanning. Use prediction and inference skills.

Maths

Place value – read, write, order and round numbers to 10 000 000, determining the value of each digit.

Number operations - Revise formal methods for addition, subtraction and multiplication. Introduce formal long division.

Fractions - order and compare. Add, subtract, multiply and divide fractions.

Position & Direction – Translation, reflection and co-ordinates in 4 quadrants.

Science

Living things – classifying and discovering how animals and plants adapt to their habitats.

Evolution and inheritance - to understand that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents.

Art

Create self-portraits using line, shape, colour and texture.

DT

Textiles – following a brief to create a product.

RE

Hinduism – stories of Hinduism.

Christianity – how churches serve local and global communities.

Computing

Online safety and understand what a variable is within a program.

French

To create different questions and statements. Use verbs and adjectives to describe people.

Music

Describe, compare and evaluate music from a variety of genres. Compose a variety of melodic and rhythmic phrases.

PSHE

Understand basic human rights and children's rights in the United Nations Declaration of the Rights of the Child. To understand the consequences of anti-social behaviour such as bullying and discrimination.

VALUES - RESPECT and COOPERATION.

Geography

Life in hot desert environments. Pupils will learn about where deserts are found, what makes them unique, and how people live and work in places like the Mojave Desert. They'll think about the challenges and benefits of desert life and compare it to other environments.

History

New topic to be decided – watch this space!

Reminders and key dates

PE – Monday (inside) and Wednesday (outside)

Homework – set and returned every Wednesday

Inset day: Tuesday 1st September

Term starts: Wednesday 2nd September for chn

Avon Tyrell/DOTS: w.b. Monday 7th September

Parent Talk Y6: Thursday 17th September 9am

Sharks & Eagles class assembly: Friday 25th September 9am.

Half term: Monday 19th October - Friday 30th October

Parents evening: week beginning 9th November

Individual & sibling photos: Wednesday 11th November

Flu vaccination: Tuesday 17th November

Yr 6 trip to Marwell Zoo: Friday 20th November

School Christmas dinner: Wednesday 9th December

Yr5/6 Christmas Panto: Friday 11th December

Class Christmas parties: Thursday 17th December

End of Term: Friday 18th December – 1:15pm finish



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