Year 6 2021 - 2022
Curriculum Overview

Autumn	Spring	Summer

Innovation & Change

Maths
Place Value
Addition and Subtraction
Multiplication and Division
Understanding Fractions
Calculating with Fractions
Properties of Shape

Literacy
Texts: *Street Child* – Berlie Doherty; *Boy in the Girl's Bathroom* - Louis Sachar
First person narrative - Workhouse
TV News Report - Victorian Pickpockets
Biography
Third Person Narrative - based on short film *Origins*
Dialogue - based on *A Christmas Carol* by Charles Dickens

Science
Classification of Living Things
Evolution and Inheritance

History
Victorian Timeline
Victorian Artefacts
Victorian Workhouse
Victorian Schools
Towns and Countryside
Recognise Victorian influence on modern society and advancements that are still current

Art and Design
Arts and Crafts Movement - William Morris
Lino cut Tiles and Block Printing.

Design and Technology
Victorian Samplers

Computing
Digital Citizenship
Computing Skills (Google and Windows/Microsoft)
Computer Programming - Lego WeDo

Oceans

Maths
Decimals
Fractions and Percentages
Measurement
Algebra
Fractions and Ratio
Statistics

Literacy
Texts: *Floodland* - Marcus Sedgewick
Narrative writing - building suspense
Flashback Narrative - based on *Floodland*
Instructional Text - Pizza Recipe
Theatre Programme - *The Lion King*
Explanation Text- Environmental Issues

Science
Properties of Materials - Reversible and Irreversible Changes
Light

Geography
Location of world's oceans and seas
Global warming/Rising sea levels
Problem of ocean plastics\pollution
Strategies for tackling climate change and pollution
Renewable/sustainable energy

Art and Design
Design and create a sculpture using plastics and manmade materials inspired by studies of environmental issues surrounding Ocean Plastics

Design and Technology
Food Technology - Pizzas

Computing
Digital Citizenship
Computer Programming (Scratch)
Computer Programming - Lego Mindstorms

Altered States

Maths
Position and Direction
Revision
Maths Projects/Investigations

Literacy
Texts: *Friend or Foe* - Michael Morpurgo
Third Person Narrative - Evacuees train journey
First Person Narrative - Letter Home
Third person Narrative - Action
Performance Poetry

Science
Animals, including Humans - Heart and Circulation - Diet/Exercise/Keeping healthy

History
Research the causes and main events of World War II
Home Front - Evacuation, Air Raids, Rationing, Propaganda

Art and Design
Franz Kline - Abstract Expressionism - Use of Monotone to convey the Blitz

Design and Technology
Moving Toys - Carousels, linked to Computing

Computing
Computer Programming, linked to DT (Crumble processors)
Physical, wireless and mobile networks
Digital Copyright

Religious Education/Philosophy
Judaism – How can a synagogue help us to understand the Jewish faith?
What are the important times for Jews?
How can we live together in one world?

Religious Education/Philosophy
What is the Golden Rule?
How is God three - and yet one?
Where can we find out about the birth of Jesus?

P.S.H.E
Rights Respecting, Class Charter
Families and Friendships
Safe relationships
Respecting ourselves and others
Sex and Relationships Education - Puberty

Music, Drama and Dance
Upper School Christmas Concert
Djembe Drumming
Classroom Jazz
Garage Band

French
Activities
Using the negative
Clothing
Likes and dislikes and opinions
Numbers to 80
Shop conversations
French Christmas traditions and songs

P.E.
Invasion games
Gymnastics - Shapes, Balances and Flight.
Badminton

Religious Education/Philosophy
What can we learn about the Christian Faith from *The Chronicles of Narnia*?
Adam, Eve, Christmas, Easter: What are the connections?
Easter - Did Jesus have to die?

P.S.H.E
Living in the wider world - Belonging to a community
Media Literacy and Digital Resilience
Money and Work

Music, Drama and Dance
Djembe Drumming
Classroom Jazz
Garage Band
Dance - Lion King

French
Daily routine
Telling the time
Breakfast foods and routines
Forms of transport
Planning a trip
Easter traditions

P.E.
Invasion games
Indoor Athletics
Dance - Lion King

Music, Drama and Dance
Drama and role play linked to Evacuees/Literacy
Year 6 Leavers' Production
Djembe Drumming
Classroom Jazz
Garage Band

French
Sports and hobbies
Sentence work with opinions
Revision of all tenses
Revision of all past topics
Project work for consolidation of French studied so far

P.S.H.E.
Physical Health and Mental Wellbeing
Growing and Changing
Keeping Safe
Moving on
Junior Citizens

P.E.
Striking and fielding
Athletics