



Year 6 - Curriculum map



Planned half term	Year 6	Subject focus	Memorable experience	Innovate challenge	Love to Read links	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Mathematics	Music	PE	PSHE	Science
1	Blood Heart	Science	Sheep's heart dissection	Heart charity fundraiser		What can your heart rate tell you? How does blood flow? What's in blood?	Non-chronological reports: Shape poetry; Slogans and adverts; Biography; Narrative using personification	Modelling and sculpture; Abstract art	Using websites; Flow diagrams	Selecting tools and equipment; Healthy recipes; Product packaging; Working models	Discrete	Discrete	Pie charts	Pulse; Heart raps	Cardiovascular exercise	Harmful substances; Caring about others	Human circulatory system; Measuring heart rate; History of blood groups; Lifestyle effects; Working scientifically
2	A Child's War	History	Evacuees	Street party	Goodnight Mr Tom - Michelle Magorian The Silver Sword - Ian Serraillier	How can you send a coded message?	Letters; Diary writing; Persuasive writing; Narrative dialogue; Speeches	Discrete	Using search technologies; Using presentation software	Following recipes; Building structures	Human geography; Cities of the UK	The Second World War	Discrete	Listening, performing and composing	Games; Dance	Empathising with people in different times	Discrete
3	Frozen Kingdom	Geography	Investigate ice	Polar rescue mission	The Call of the Wild - Jack London	How do animals stay warm? Can we slow cooling down?	Chronological report; Short narrative; Diaries; Haiku poetry; Letter writing	Photography; Painting; Block printing	Collecting, evaluating and presenting information	Building an igloo	Features of the polar regions	Emigration and exploration in the early 1900s	Measurement (temperature); Negative numbers	Soundscape	Outdoor adventure; orienteering	Care of the environment	Living things and their habitats
4	Pharaohs	History	Mummification scene	Egyptian funeral preparations		Why does milk go off?	Chronological reports: Fact files; Research skills; Mystery stories; Play scripts	Drawing artefacts; Headwear; Hieroglyphic amulets	Discrete	Clay water carriers; Egyptian food; Model tombs and pyramids	Human and physical Features of Egypt; The River Nile; Tourism	Ancient Egypt	Discrete	Discrete	Discrete	Moral issues; Customs and beliefs; Role-playing Egyptian citizens	Discrete
5	Time Traveller	Art & Design	Interview people of different generations	Build a time machine!	Tom's Midnight Garden - Philippa Pearce	Do we slow down as we get older?	Character study; Narrative; adverts; leaflets; Free verse poetry; Quotations & poems	Photography; Great artists - Andy Warhol, Salvador Dali; Collage	Digital portraits; Data logging; Online research	Selecting materials	Changes in the local community	Changes over the last century	Time; Interpreting data	Discrete	Timing physical activity	Body changes approaching puberty; Meeting and talking with people; Reflecting on spiritual, moral, social and cultural issues; Setting personal targets	Animals (including humans); Living things and their habitats; Working scientifically
6	Beast Creator	Science	Visit a butterfly, insect or tropical house	Design a super-minibeast	Charlotte's Web - E.B.White	Why do birds lay eggs? How do worms reproduce?	Non-chronological reports: Instructions and advertisements; Comic strips; Limericks and kennings; Fantasy narrative	Drawing; Perspectives	Research and presentation	Model making	Local fieldwork; Contrasting locations	Discrete	Measurement; Statistics	Discrete	Discrete	Debating ethical issues	Living things and their habitats

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