

Year 6 Term 6 – Life Lessons		
	Activities	National Curriculum objectives/skills
Main subjects	PSHE	The children will use this topic to reflect on their lives as a child at Brimington Junior School. They will discuss positive and proud moments and experiences whilst also reflecting on times in which they found challenging. Activities and discussion will attempt to provide the children with a better understanding of themselves and give them strategies to enjoy success and overcome challenges in the future.
Hook for Learning	Open Centre	Children will visit a Mosque in Derby and Hindu Temple and learn about what it is like to be a Muslim or Hindu. They will also find out about all of the community work they do including feeding the homeless and those in need.
Authentic outcome	Careers Week	Parents of children in the school are invited in to talk about their careers and inspire children. Case study videos are shown to the children showing a range of different careers available and what is required to be able to achieve this. Children will be encouraged to think about their skills and interests and possible careers in the future.
Key texts/class reader		Read & discuss a broad range of genres & texts Identify & discuss themes Discuss authors' use of language Check own understanding of reading Draw inferences & make predictions
Writing purpose	Arguments	Discuss writing similar to that which they are planning to write in order to understand and learn from its structure, vocabulary and grammar Plan writing based on familiar forms Secure spelling, inc. homophones, prefixes, silent letters, etc. Use a thesaurus Legible, fluent handwriting Plan writing to suit audience & purpose Use organisational & presentational features Use consistent appropriate tense Proof-reading Use expanded noun phrases Use modal & passive verbs Use relative clauses Use commas for clauses Use brackets, dashes & commas for parenthesis
Art	Self Portrait	Improve mastery of techniques such as drawing, painting and sculpture with varied materials
PE and games	Athletics Cricket/Rounders	Develop flexibility, strength, technique, control and balance. Compare their performances with previous ones and demonstrate improvement to achieve their personal best Play competitive games, applying basic principles
RE	Sacred Places	Describe the variety of practices and ways of life in religions and understand how these stem from, and are closely connected to, beliefs and teachings. Consider the meaning of a range of forms of religious expression, understand why they are important in religion, and note links between them.
JigsawPSHE	Changing Me	I am aware of my own self-image and how my body image fits into that I can explain how girls' and boys' bodies change during puberty and understand the importance of looking after yourself physically and emotionally I can ask the questions I need answered about changes during puberty I can describe how a baby develops from conception through the nine months of pregnancy, and how it is born I understand how being physically attracted to someone changes the nature of the relationship I can identify what I am looking forward to and what worries me about the transition to secondary school
MFL	French	Listen & engage Engage in conversations, expressing opinions Speak in simple language & be understood Develop appropriate pronunciation
Computing		