



Year 6 - Curriculum map



Planned half term	Year 6	Subject focus	Innovate challenge	Love to Read links	Love to Investigate	English	Art & Design	Computing	D&T	Geography	History	Music	PE	PSHE	Science
1	Fallen Fields (WWI) A Child's War (WWII)	History	Street party	Goodnight Mr Tom - Michelle Magorian The Silver Sword - Ian Serrailler	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	Listening, performing and composing	Games; Dance	Empathising with people in different times	Discrete
4	Blood Heart	Science	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	Pulse; Heart raps	Cardiovascular exercise	Harmful substances; Caring about others	Human circulatory system; Measuring heart rate; History of blood groups; Lifestyle effects; Working scientifically
3	Darwin's Delights	Science	Morphing animation		Where do wild plants grow best? Why do birds have different beaks? Why is holly prickly? How many worms are underground? How have eyes evolved?	Labelling and journals; Diaries; Letters; Explanations; Newspaper reports	Creating sketchbooks; Observational drawing	Online research; Morphing animations; Understanding computer networks	Discrete	Using maps; Geographical similarities and differences; Islands of the world	Significant individuals - Charles Darwin, Mary Anning	Discrete	Discrete	Taking responsibility	Evolution and inheritance; Living things and their habitats; Working scientifically
5	Hola Mexico!	Music	Festival procession	Holes - Louis Sachar	How can we make red? What colour is a shadow?	Invitations; Postcards; Instructions; Myths and legends; Poetry	Sculpture; Maya art; Carving	Online research; Digital presentations	Food of Mexico; Evaluating and making instruments	Using maps; Human and physical geography of Mexico	Ancient Maya civilisation	Mexican music; Musical notation	Mexican dance	Discrete	Light and shadows
2	Revolution	History	Queen Victoria's end-of-exhibition dinner	Black Beauty - Anna Sewell; A Christmas Carol - Charles Dickens; Wolves of Willoughby Chase - Joan Aiken	Can fruit light a bulb?	Non-chronological reports; Historical fiction; Biographies; Limericks; Diary writing/Journals	Artists of the Victorian period; Printing	Digital photography	Victorian homecraft; Model buildings	Cities and transport in Victorian times; Using maps	The Victorians	Victorian parlour songs	Exercise	Reflecting on achievements	Electricity

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