

25-26 Yearly Overview: Year 6

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	<p><u>The Girl Who Stole an Elephant</u> Writing - Within the context of descriptive writing in a jungle setting. Reading - The key themes are friendship and loyalty, class and injustice.</p> <p><u>There's a Ran-Tan in My Bedroom</u> Writing - Using the text as a model the children will, independently, use an analogy to portray an environmental issue. Reading - The key themes are environmental awareness, supported by knowledge from the rainforest unit in Y5 Geography.</p>	<p><u>The Boy at the Back of the Class</u> Writing – Write a persuasive letter on the treatment of refugees highlighting British Values to an MP. Reading - The key themes are friendship and inclusion within the context of immigration which is supported by the children's knowledge of migration in Y5 Geography.</p> <p><u>The Arrival</u> Writing – Write a description based on a picture stimulus. Reading - The key themes are migrant experience and belonging which is supported through the previous unit.</p>	<p><u>Kick</u> Writing – Write a BBC Newsround report on child labour in Jakarta. Reading - The themes are child labour, poverty and injustice.</p> <p><u>The Highwayman</u> Writing – Write using the ballad structure and emphasise a chronological presentation of events including a single dramatic event. Reading - The themes are love and sacrifice.</p>	<p><u>Cogheart</u> Writing - Write a realistic dialogue between fictional characters Reading - The themes are friendship and identity.</p> <p><u>The Trees</u> Writing – Write poetry focusing on the natural world (building on Y5 poem Blessing) Reading - The themes are renewal and the passing of time (building on KS2 science life cycles)</p>	<p><u>Pig Heart Boy</u> Writing – Write in the first-person limited perspective demonstrating empathy with the main character. Reading - The themes are medical ethics and family relationships.</p> <p><u>Sonnet 18</u> Writing – Write adopting the sonnet style following the specific structural features. Reading - The themes are love and the brief nature of youth (building on Shakespearean language from the The Tempest Y5)</p>	<p><u>A Series of Unfortunate Events</u> Writing – Write a descriptive piece in the style of Lemony Snicket utilising an interrupted narration. Reading - The themes are resilience, perseverance and family bonds</p>
Maths	Number: Place Value Addition and subtraction Multiplication and division	Fractions Measurement: converting units	Ratio Algebra Decimals	Fractions, decimals and percentages Area, perimeter and volume Statistics	Geometry Shape Position and direction	Recap
R.E.	Domestic church Judaism	Baptism and confirmation Advent and Christmas	Local Church Islam	Eucharist Lent/Easter	Pentecost Universal church	Reconciliation
Science	Plants and classification	Electrical circuits	Circulatory system and healthy bodies	Evolution and inheritance	Light and shadows	

History	The Round City: Baghdad	Ango-Saxon Britain	Lady of the Mercians	Norse Culture	Changing Rulers, Changing Worlds	Local History
Geography	Why is California so thirsty?	Oceans	Migration	North and South America	The Amazon	Interconnected Amazon
Art	Re-designing food packaging.		Activism		Take a seat	
D&T		Mechanical systems Automata animals		Cooking and Nutrition Super Seasonal Cooking		Sewing showcase
Music	Dynamics, pitch and texture (Fingal's Cave)	Songs of World War 2	Film music	Theme and Variation (theme: Pop art)	Composing and performing a leavers song	Baroque
Computing	Programming A – Variables in games	Programming B - Sensing movement	Computing systems and networks - Communication and collaboration	Creating media – Web page creation	Data and information - Introduction to Spreadsheets	Creating media – 3D Modelling
Online safety	Self-image and Identify Health, Wellbeing and Lifestyle	Online reputation Online Bullying	Online relationships	Managing online information	Privacy and security	Copyright and ownership
P.E.	Invasion Games – Football Wheelchair basketball Swimming	Little sticks – golf Swimming Invasion games Tag Rugby	Net and wall games Tennis/badminton Gymnastics	Invasion Games – Basketball and netball Dance	Athletics Invasion games Hockey	Outdoor Adventurous activities – orienteering Striking and fielding Rounders and Cricket
PSHE/RSE	Family and Relationships Religious understanding Calming the storm	Being safe Emotional well-being	Health and Wellbeing Religious understanding Is God calling you?	Health and Wellbeing Me, My body, My health	Citizenship Life Cycles	Economic Wellbeing and Transition Religious understanding Living in the Wider World
French	Y5/6 Bleu: Describing me and others	Y5/6 Bleu: Saying what I and others have	Y5/6 Bleu: Saying what I and others do	Y5/6 Bleu: Saying what I and others do	Y5/6 Bleu: Saying what I and others do	Y5/6 Bleu: Expressing likes and saying what I and others do
Trips/visitors						