



OUR WHOLE-SCHOO
VISION FOR EVERY
MOORHILL CHILD

When our children leave Moorhill, they will be motivated and inspired learners who are articulate, literate and numerate. They will know that by working hard and working together they can achieve greater success; they will have high aspirations, lifelong skills for learning and will successfully demonstrate our core values in all areas of our lives.

THE VISION OF THE CURRICULUM AT MOORHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Our curriculum is **cohesive** across the local and wider community and across subjects and topics, providing challenge and celebrating our individuality as a school and community. In developing cohesion, there is clear, planned and well-sequenced learning so that new knowledge and skills build on what has been taught before.

Our curriculum is **creative**, developing memorable experiences so that children are enthused by their learning, which creates awe and wonder. Children explore and develop our school values through active learning experiences. They develop lifelong skills for learning and gain cultural capital within and outside of our community.

Our curriculum is **collaborative.** Children build emotional resilience and develop their articulacy and self-confidence. Through a clear sense of motivation and purpose, children take ownership of their learning and this is shared by our whole school community. Every member of the school community has high expectations of themselves and others and recognise that everyone can achieve success.

Year 6 – Into the Woods

Experiences

Launch

Orienteering around the school premises including a photo trail, star orienteering and a trail orienteering to promote the map work skill they will be developing throughout the topic.

Using materials from the outdoors to create a wind chime followed by wilderness games.

Landing

Create a brochure, advertising the wonderful things Cannock Chase has to offer and to link in our science knowledge by classifying animals in Cannock Chase. Invite parents into look at our display of work linked to Cannock Chase and our Art work where we have used colours to reflect mood and contrast.

Wider use of the environment

Visit to Cannock Chase

Orienteering in the school grounds

Artist

Science

Skills	Knowledge	Key Vocabulary
Working Scientifically Skills	Topic	Living Things and Their
I can observe over time, take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment with	Living Things and Their Habitats	Habitats
increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings where appropriate	Describe how living things are classified into	Vertebrates, fish,
I can record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrams and labels,	broad groups according to common	amphibians, reptiles,
classification keys, tables and bar and line graphs	observable characteristics and based on	birds, mammals,
I can report and present findings in oral and written forms such as displays and other	similarities and differences, including micro-	invertebrates, insects,
presentations	organisms, plants and animals	spiders, snails, worms,
I can plan different types of scientific enquiry to answer my own questions including	Give reasons for classifying plants and animals	flowering and non-
recognising and controlling variable where necessary	based on specific characteristics	flowering
I can report and present findings in oral and written forms such as displays and other	Animals Including Humans	Animals Including
presentations.	Identify the main parts of the human	Humans
I can use straightforward scientific evidence to answer questions or to support my findings	circulatory system and describe their	Heart, pulse, rate,
I can identify scientific evidence that has been used to support of refute ideas or arguments	functions	pumps, blood, blood
I can describe and evaluate my own and other peoples' scientific ideas using evidence from a	Recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs	vessels, transported,
range of sources	and lifestyle on our bodies	lungs, oxygen, carbon
I can identify differences, similarities or changes related to simple scientific ideas and processes	Describe the ways in which nutrients and	dioxide, nutrients,
I can use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests	water are transported within animals,	water, muscles, cycle,
I can report and present findings, including conclusions, casual relationships and explanations	including humans	circulatory system,
of results		diet, exercise, drugs
I can use appropriate scientific language to explain and evaluate my methods and findings		and lifestyle

History

Skills	Knowledge	Vocabulary

Geography

Skills	Knowledge	Key Vocabulary
I can use 4 and 6 figure grid references, symbols and keys on ordnance survey maps.	Know tourism has a	hills, rivers,
I can explain contour lines on a map.	positive and negative	vegetation
I can use a range of sources to locate countries and physical features.	impact on the	latitude,
I can draw simple geographical diagrams, to map out an area.	environment.	longitude,
I can make clear observations.	Know what contour	Equator, Northern
I can make measurements and record these.	lines tell us and what	Hemisphere,
I can use scale and ratio to convert measurements.	the closeness of the	Natural and man
I can say how far away a point on a map is using a scale.	lines mean.	made
I can draw a simple map, using a scale drawing.	Know why a scale is	Eco-tourism
I can explain different ways a human use Cannock Chase.	used.	sustainability
I can explain how humans' impact on the Cannock Chase environment.	Know how to	Land use
I can use a compass to locate North and orientate a map.	convert a scale on a	tourism
I can use my knowledge and understanding to suggest suitable geographical questions.	map.	
I can use appropriate language to describe and write about what I have learned.	Know how people	
I can explain my own views.	use Cannock Chase.	
I can draw on my knowledge and understanding to select and use appropriate skills and ways of presenting information to	Know how Cannock	
help me investigate places and environments.	Chase is protected	
I can present my findings both graphically and in writing.	and sustained.	
I can understand how people can both improve and damage the environment.		

Art

Skills	Knowledge	Key Vocabulary
ICT I can plan, take and digitally process photographs for a creative purpose, working as part of a group. Drawing I can select appropriate media and techniques to achieve a specific outcome. Painting I can sketch (lightly) before painting to combine line and colour. I can show the effects of light and colour, texture and tone on natural and man-made objects	I know about media to create art. I know how to use paint to create different effect	ICT I can plan, take and digitally process photographs for a creative purpose, working as part of a group. Drawing I can select appropriate media and techniques to achieve a specific outcome. Painting I can sketch (lightly) before painting to combine line and colour. I can show the effects of light and colour, texture and tone on natural and man-made objects

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E Safety	Know the similarities and differences between	Cyber bullying
I can identify secure online sites.	cyber and in-person bullying.	Spreadsheet
I can locate privacy policies and privacy seals of approval.	Know strategies to handle cyberbullying.	Data
Data handling	Know how changes in a spreadsheet affect	Accuracy
I can check the data I collect for accuracy and plausibility.	results.	Plausibility
I can interpret the data I collect.	Know the importance of ensuring the data I use	
I can present the data I collect in an	is accurate.	
appropriate way.		
I can apply these skills to mathematical and scientific models.		

PSHE

Being me in my world	Goals	Empathy	Community
I can explain how my choices can have an impact on people in my immediate	Worries	Comparison	Education
community and globally.	Fears	Opportunities	Wants
I can empathise with others in my community and globally and explain how this	Value	Education	Needs
can influence the choices I make.	Welcome	Behaviour	Maslow
	Choice	Responsibilities	Democracy
	Ghana	Rewards	Decision
	West-Africa	Consequences	Proud
	Cocoa plantation	Empathise	Illegal
	Cocoa pods	Learning charter	Unlawful
	Machete	Obstacles	Laws
	Rights	Cooperation	Participation
	Legal	Collaboration	Motivation

Music

Skill	Knowledge	Key Vocabulary		
PERFORMING	PERFORMING	Pulse	RnB	Нір Нор
When singing, show greater mastery and control of tone, diction, posture and breathing	Understands	Rhythm	Rock	Big Band
consistently.	and responds	Pitch	Reggae	Jazz
Use the interrelated dimensions of music when singing and playing.	to visual cues	Tempo	Pop	Dynamics
Maintain a third part in a vocal or instrumental piece with an understanding of harmony and	for starting	Dynamics	Film/Classical	Solo
texture.	and stopping,	Notation	Improvise	Ensemble
Perform using conventional rhythmic and melodic notation to play a variety of ostinato and	sustaining	Musicals	Notation	Introduction
simple pieces or songs, including expression and articulations.	sounds,	Motown,	Notes	Verse
Can direct others to start and stop using gestures or counting in, setting tempi and dynamics,	ending words	Soul	Stave	Chorus
articulation and show how to change these within a piece.	with clear	Disco	Ostinato	Key signature
COMPOSING	consonant	Funk	Syncopation	Coda

Construct a piece with a more complex structure (e.g. Rondo, Twelve-bar Blues).	sounds and/or	Bridge	Cannon
Improvise with increasing confidence. (e.g. using a scale pattern).	fading away,	Hook	
Can use different scale patterns to construct melodies (e.g. major, minor, pentatonic).	tempi,	Backing/	
Compositions show sensitivity to mood/time/location through use of inter-related dimensions of	dynamics and	accompaniment	
music, including experimenting with harmonies and chords to create texture.	articulation		
Works independently within a group composition showing thought in selection of instruments	with greater		
and playing techniques,	accuracy.		
Notate compositions using a variety of methods, incorporating the inter-related dimensions of	COMPOSING		
music.	Know how to		
AURAL AWARENESS	notate		
Recognise and identify instrumental families aurally, including instruments from different genres,	compositions		
cultures and traditions, comparing and contrasting them with their own musical practices and	using a variety		
experiences.	of methods.		
Memorise more complex rhythmic and melodic patterns and match to conventional notation.	AURAL		
Compare and discuss differences in performances of the same piece of music.	AWARENESS		
Recognise a variety of metres.	Continue to		
EVALUATING	develop an		
Make constructive and refined comments on own and others' music to develop compositions	awareness of		
and performances using the full range of inter-related dimensions of music.	the inter-		
Make connections and comparisons with music being listened to and own compositions and	related		
performances, identifying the use of musical devices (e.g. Canon, Ostinato, Repetition,	dimensions of		
Sequence).	music, pulse		
Recognise how music reflects its purpose, place and time, including other cultures and traditions,	and		
and relating it to their own cultures, traditions and experiences.	articulations.		

Skills	Knowledge	Key Vocabulary
Outdoor activities	I know how to find my location on a map by using key land	Мар
I can use a map correctly and I can point out positions based upon the 6-figure	marks I can see around me and I can orientate (rotate) it so	Location
grid reference.	that it's in situ.	Coordinates
I can use a compass correctly and I am beginning to follow compass directions	I know how to read coordinates (maths link), 6 figure grid	Compass
and 6 figure grid references within simple routes.	reference and apply it to PE.	Degrees
I can use a compass and coordinates to create a route for my peer to follow,	I know how to use a compass to follow degrees and direction.	North, north-
testing it out for accuracy.	I know that there are more possibilities in terms of compass	east, east, south
I can create my own key using correct map symbols that is effective and	points e.g. north-north-west, north-west-west etc.	east, south,
appropriate.		south west,
I can work with a variety of personalities effectively and lead/support/guide		west, north
them during group work effectively.		west

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I can use different parts of my foot to pass the direct with aim. (include sole.) These skills are used confidently within a game.

I kick the ball in various directions due to my foot direction and my body direction confidently.

I can judge the distance and used a weighted pass based upon the distance required.

I can use the 'step kick' technique to pass to my partner both stationary and during movement. (towards the goal)

I can use my whole body maintaining a low position and shift body weight to balance while using all defence techniques. (standing, block and jockey-ing) I can use my knowledge of the rules to referee a match with precision and confidence.

I manage conflict with diplomacy and democracy.

I understand how to create a 5v5/7v7 including goalkeepers, defenders' midfielders and attackers.

I am able to be part of a team and lead it with great sportsmanship, diplomacy and democracy.

I know that I use different parts to create different results when kicking a ball and wherever I make contact with the ball, that it the direction the ball will travel in.

I know that for a weighted pass, I need to be able to 'push' the ball rather than just kick it.

I know how to intercept a ball (using prior knowledge year2/3) and do it without contact.

I know that jockeying is where I stand opposite my opponent and move backwards maintaining my line with my opponent's ball.

I know that when I tackle I must be safe in my movements and avoid control with my opponent's foot.

I know that being a referee is a position of authority, but I must be clear in my instructions, advice and support. I know that I must use Moorhill values when speaking to my peers.

Toe, side, laces
Direction
Weighted pass
Step-kick
Position
Attackers
Goal keeper
Jockeying
Block tackle
Standing tackle
Non-contact
Referee

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Skills	Knowledge	Key Vocabulary
Au1 Islam - Beliefs and practices	Practices and ways of life	Islam
Values and commitments	Understand some of the ways Muslims	Muslim
I can talk about my own personal commitments.	show commitment to God and to	Commitment
I can decide which way I think is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God.	evaluate whether there is a best way.	Zakah (giving money to charity)
I can explain why there might be different ways of showing commitment.	Understand how different practices	Ramadam / Sawm (fasting)
I can think of some ways of showing commitment to God that would be better than	enable Muslims to show their	Mosque
others for Muslims.	commitment to God and understand that	5 pillars of Islam
I can explain that individuals choose to show different degrees of commitment to their	some of these will be more significant to	Pilgrimage
religion and can relate this to commitments I make in my life.	some Muslims than others.	
Au2 Christianity - Christmas	Beliefs, teachings and sources	Christianity
Meaning, purpose and truth	Learn to analyse the Christian belief in	Christmas
I can talk about what I find puzzling or interesting about the nativity story.	the Virgin Birth and to assess the	Humble
I can start to think about some of the questions people ask about Jesus' birth.	significance of this to Christians.	Symbolism
I can start to think through why Mary being Jesus' mother is important to Christians and	Understand the significance to Christians	Incarnation
what I think about this.	that Mary was Jesus' mother.	Conceived
I can start to consider my own response to the Christian belief in the Virgin birth,	Remember the story of Jesus' birth.	Virgin Birth
showing respect to Christian views.		Mary
I can explain my own response to the Christian belief in the Virgin birth.		Jesus

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Listening	Francophonie	Key vocabulary			
I can understand the main points and simple opinions	Know Francophonie countries and continents.	Francophonie countries list			
in a spoken story, song or passage.	Identify and describe Francophonie flags	Continents list			
I can understand longer and more complex sentences		La mosquée, le fleuve, le pont, la falaise, le village, la capitale,			
or passages.		le marché, l'hippo, le désert.			
I can listen for clues to meaning (e.g. tone of voice,		La population de est			
key words.)		La capitale de est			
I can reinforce and extend recognition of word classes		La monnaie de est			
and understand their function.		Le premier ministre de s'appelle			
I can match sounds to sentences and paragraphs.		Le président de s'appelle			
I can look and listen for visual and aural clues.		Le roi de s'appelle			
I can make predictions about words and sentences		La reine de s'appelle			
based on existing knowledge.		Le drapeau est (colour)			
		On aime			
		On joue			
		On mange			
		Il y a			
Speaking	La deuxieme guerre mondiale	Key vocabulary			
I can identify different text types and read short,	List items for an evacuee suitcase in French.	Je m'appelle			
authentic texts for enjoyment or information.	Decipher and describe how to cook a wartime	J'ai ans			
I can learn and perform simple rhymes, songs and	meal.	J'habite a Paris.			
stories.	Use adjectives to describe feelings	Je me sens excité(e), déprimé(e), faché(e), content(e),			
I can use spoken language confidently to initiate and	Use imperative verbs	anxieux(euse), seul(e), triste, détendu(e)			
sustain conversations and to tell stories.	Use opinions	Suitcase items: chocolat, ours en peluche, brosse a dents,			
I can devise own questions for authentic use.		chaussures, bonbons, fruit, sous-vetements, sandwich,			
I can ask for repetition and clarification in the target		pantalons, masque a gaz, chemise, pyjamas, Imperméable			
language.		Pardessus, Veste, Chemise / chemisier, Pull / gilet, Pantalon			
I can use knowledge of words, text and structure to		Short, Jupe, Bottes / Chaussures, Chemise de nuit / pyjama			
build simple spoken passages.		Slip / Culotte / Gilet, Chaussettes / Bas			
I can vary language and produce extended responses.		Rationing: Dans mon jardin je vais grandir et			
I can develop accuracy in pronunciation and		le brocoli la carotte le céleri le champignon, le concombre, le			
intonation.		maïs, l'oignon, les petit pois, la pomme de terre, le potiron, la			
Pronounce/read aloud unknown words.		tomate, l'avocat, la banane, la cerise, la fraise, l'orange, la			
I can be understood with little or no difficulty.		poire, la pomme, les raisins, la pastèque,			
I can give short prepared talks that include opinions		le citron			
on a range of topics.					

		J'aime/ Je n'aime pasparce que c'est bon/ce n'est pas bon
		pour la santé.
		Imperative verbs: Epluchez, Mettez, Farinez, Tamisez,
		Badigeonnez, Ajoutez, Battez, Coupez, Cuire, Retirez
Reading	En vacances	Key vocabulary
I can identify different text types and read short,	Know key words and phrases for:	Où vas-tu en vacances?
authentic texts for enjoyment or information.	- asking and saying where you're going on	Je vais à la campagne. Je vais à la montagne. Je vais au bord de
I can apply phonic knowledge of the target language to support reading and writing.	holiday and how you will get there - expressing opinions about holidays	la mer. Je vais au camping. Je vais au parc d'attractions.
I can read confidently a variety of short texts.	- holiday activities and plans	J'aime ça, Je n'aime pas ça, J'adore ça, Je déteste çaparce
I can read and understand the main points and some	- forms of transport	que
detail from a short-written passage.	Torms or transport	que
I can use context, previous knowledge and		Qu'est-ce que tu vas faire en vacances?
understanding of grammar conventions to support my		Je vais faire du bateau. Je vais faire du ski. Je vais nager. Je vais
reading skills.		faire du sport. Je vais faire du vélo. Je vais voir mes grands-
I can use a dictionary to investigate word meanings,		parents. Je vais faire les manèges.
check spellings and find alternatives and correct forms		
when reading and writing texts.		Où vas-tu? Je vais à/ en en voiture, en bus, en
I can sort words into grammatical categories.		train, en métro, à pied, à vélo, en avion, en bateau
		Où vas-tu? Comment vas-tu ?
		Je vais à la boulangerie, au marché, à la piscine,
		au centre sportif, au château, au jardin public, au
		supermarché, à l'école en voiture, etc.
		Samedi, à 10 heures D'abord, ensuite, enfin
		Qu'est-ce qu'on va faire?
		On va aller au parc d'attractions, prendre le train/l'avion,
		acheter des souvenirs, faire des manèges, regarder un film

English links: (reading and writing)	Maths links:	ICT links:
Creating brochures and leaflets	Map work where will be using our knowledge of:	Using google earth to explore features of Cannock
Comparing and evaluating the impact of different	co-ordinates	Chase
maps	compass directions	Using publisher to create their brochure or leaflet
	scaling up and down	Science circulatory system, inputting data from heart
	ratio	rates onto a spreadsheet.
	Inputting data and analysing data in science, using ICT	
	forums.	
Community engagement:	Values included:	Moorhill moment to be delivered:
Cannock Chase visit	Respect	Learn something about your local area
Inviting parents into school to view learning	Teamwork	Build a den
Current affairs	•	•
Looking after the local environment		