



St Teresa's Catholic Primary School
Curriculum Overview 2025/26 – Year 6

Subject	Autumn 1 8 weeks	Autumn 2 7 weeks	Spring 1 6 weeks	Spring 2 6 weeks	Summer 1 6 weeks	Summer 2 6 weeks
English	Wish Story: One Chance Grammar Focus: Synonyms and antonyms, fronted adverbials, expanded noun phrases to describe the atmosphere, inverted commas.	Warning Story: The Caravan Grammar Focus: Relative clauses, commas to mark parenthesis, use hyphens to avoid ambiguity, expanded noun phrases to describe atmosphere, repetition of word or phrase.	Adventure story/ Finding Tale: Adventures at Sandy Cove Grammar Focus: expanded noun phrases to describe the setting and atmosphere; combine action, dialogue and description; inverted commas; use hyphens to avoid ambiguity.	Flashback Story/ Journey Tale: The Blitz Grammar Focus: Describe setting, character and atmosphere (personification); present and past tense (switch in tense); use of the semi-colon, colon and dash to mark the boundary between independent clauses.	Tale of fear – The Mansion Grammar Focus: figurative language to enhance meaning; combining action, dialogue, description; use of ellipsis; dialogue to convey character and advance action.	Poem: The Highway Man Grammar Focus: hyphens to avoid ambiguity, repetition of word or phrase to build cohesion.
	Formal Letter: Dear Mr Tushman Grammar Focus: formal and informal language, complex sentences, apostrophes (for possession and contraction), adverbials such as on the other hand, in contrast, or as a consequence.	Non-Chronological Report: Rhiswanozabeth Grammar Focus: semi colons to mark boundary between independent clauses, brackets for parenthesis, headings and sub-headings to organise writing, modal verbs.	Persuasion: Multi-Function Mobile Phone Grammar Focus: Modal and imperative verbs; brackets, commas and dashes for parenthesis, subjunctive form.	Newspaper Report: Sightings of a Beast Grammar Focus: active and passive sentences, switch in formality (reported and direct speech), embedded clause/relative clause where relative pronoun is omitted, commas to avoid ambiguity.	Diary writing (short unit): Little Freak Grammar Focus: Brackets, dashes or commas to indicate parenthesis; use of ellipsis (cohesive devices); passive sentences to affect how information is presented.	Debate: Is it right to lie? Grammar Focus: bullet points, colon to introduce a list and use semi colons in a descriptive list, subjunctive form, passive sentences.
Guided Reading	1. VIPER recap – Poetry 2. Writing Genre WAGOLL 3. Topic Link 4. Author 5. Writing Genre WAGOLL 6. Science Link	1. Writing Genre WAGOLL 2. Remembrance 3. Science Link 4. Topic Link 5. Writing Genre WAGOLL 6. Classics	1. Writing Genre WAGOLL 2. Topic link 3. Science 4. Writing Genre WAGOLL 5. Mental Health Week 6. Lent	1. Writing Genre WAGOLL 2. Topic Link 3. Inspirational Women (International Women's Day) 4. Writing Genre WAGOLL	1. Writing Genre WAGOLL 2. Topic Link 3. Author 4. Writing Genre WAGOLL 5. Science Link 6. Social Issue Topic	1. Writing Genre WAGOLL 2. Topic Link 3. Author 4. Writing Genre WAGOLL 5. Classics 6. Poetry



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	7. Black History Month 8. Social Issues	7. Christmas		5. Author 6. Science Link		
Maths	Number: Place Value Number: Addition and Subtraction Number: Multiplication and Division	Number: Multiplication and Division Fractions, decimals and percentages Measurement: Area and perimeter Geometry: Properties of shape Statistics: Mean	Number: Place Value Number: Multiplication and Division Fractions, decimals and percentages Geometry: Position and direction	Number: Multiplication and Division Fractions, decimals and percentages Measurement: Conversion Geometry: Properties of shape Statistics: Pie charts and line graphs Ratio and Proportion	Number: Multiplication and Division Fractions, decimals and percentages Measurement: Area and volume Geometry: Properties of shape Algebra	Measurement: Conversion – Imperial and metric Transition Maths
Religious Education	Creation and Covenant What is the second account of the Creation story?	Prophecy and Promise Who are the important women in the Old Testament?	Galilee to Jerusalem How does the gospel of St John reveal the divine nature of Jesus?	Desert to Garden What is the significance of Holy Week, in the gospel of St John?	To the ends of the Earth How does the gospel of St John link with other parts of the Bible?	Dialogue and Encounter How can people share their spiritual riches?
Science	Evolution & Inheritance	Living Things & Their Habitats	Electricity	Light	Animals including Humans – circulatory system	HRSE
Computing	Begin each half term with an Online Safety Re-cap					
	Online Safety (Unit 6.2) Coding (Unit 6.1)	Blogging (Unit 6.4) Text Adventures (Unit 6.5)	Text Adventures (Unit 6.5) cont. Networks (Unit 6.6)	Quizzing (Unit 6.7)	Understanding Binary (Unit 6.8) Spreadsheets (Unit 6.9)	Spreadsheets (Unit 6.9) cont.
History	Victorian Preston (a local history study): Historical Figures, Places and Events – Cause &		The Suffragettes: Historical Figures, Places and Events – Cause &		WWII: Conflict and Empire – Historical Interpretations/Sources and Evidence	



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	Consequence/Change and Continuity		Consequence/Change and Continuity			
Geography		Lancashire – Locational Knowledge – Geographical Skills and Fieldwork		Protecting the Environment - Human & Physical Geography – Geographical Skills and Fieldwork		North America - Human & Physical Geography - Locational Knowledge – Place Knowledge
Art	Textiles: Abdoulaye Konate		3-d: Nick Park		Collage: Frida Kahlo	
DT		Nutrition: Balanced Meals		Structures: Model House Design		Digital Design: 3D Printing
PE	Invasion Games – Rugby	Gymnastics	Dance – Heroes and Villains	Invasion Games – Netball	Athletics	Striking and Fielding – Rounders
French (MFL)	Cultural Diversity Phonetics Lesson 4	At school	Healthy Lifestyles	The Weekend	World War 2	Me in the World
Music	<u>Charanga MMC</u> Music and technology	<u>Charanga MMC</u> Developing Ensemble skills	<u>Charanga MMC</u> Creative composition	<u>Charanga MMC</u> Musical styles connect us together	<u>Charanga MMC</u> Improvising with confidence	<u>Charanga MMC</u> Farewell Tour
PSHE	<u>myHappyminds</u> Meet Your Brain MHM Places	<u>myHappyminds</u> Shared Responsibility Respect and Behaviour Celebrate Communities	<u>myHappyminds</u> Appreciate, First Aid, Drugs, Alcohol & Tobacco Media Literacy & Digital Resilience	<u>myHappyminds</u> Relate Safe Relationships	<u>myHappyminds</u> Engage Be your best	<u>myHappyminds</u> Transition