

2023/24 CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

YEAR 6

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Gorilla by Anthony Browne Fiction: write a fantasy story based on Gorilla	Can We Save the Tiger? By Martin Jenkins Information/explanation/persuasion: write a hybrid booklet about an amazing animal & recount: diary	The Selfish Giant by Oscar Wilde & Ritva Voutila Fiction: retell a classic narrative from a character's point of view & Explanation	Island by Jason Chin, Jemmy Button by Alix Barzelay Recount: write a journalistic report (hybrid text) about Charles Darwin's discoveries & Discussion	Plastic Planet by Georgia Amson-Bradshaw Persuasion: write a persuasive speech	Sky Chasers by Emma Carroll Fiction: write an adventure story from two different viewpoints & Recount: autobiography
Mathematics	Place Value/ Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division	Fractions A/B, Converting Units	Ration, Algebra, Fractions, decimals and percentages,	Perimeter, area and volume, statistics	Shape, position and direction	Themed projects
Science	Living Things & their habitats	Electricity Renewable Energy	Light Light Pollution	The Circulatory System Diet, drugs and Lifestyle	Variation Adaptations	Fossils Themed Projects
Art & Design	PlanBee - Landscape Artists			PlanBee - Sculpting Vases		PlanBee - Express Yourself
Computing	Online Safety	Coding	Networks	Quizzing	Binary	Spreadsheets
Design & Technology		PlanBee - Fairgrounds				PlanBee – Chinese Inventions
Spanish (KS2)	Linguascope					
Geography	Why should rainforests be important to all of us?	Just how important is trade to the United Kingdom?				
History				What were the greatest achievements of Ancient Egypt?		What were the greatest achievements of the Ancient Greeks?
Music		Western Classical Tradition and Film		Popular Music		Song Writing
Physical Education	Fitness	Gymnastics	Sending & Receiving (Football)	OAA	Athletics	Striking & Fielding (Cricket)
Religious Education	Creation and science: conflicting or complementary?	Why do some people believe in God and some people not?	Why do Hindus want to be good?	What do Christians believe Jesus did to 'save' people?	For Christians, what kind of King is Jesus?	How does faith help people when life gets hard?
PHSE	Me & My Relationships	Valuing Difference	Keeping Myself Safe	Rights & Responsibilities	Being My Best	Growing & Changing
Field Trips / Workshops / Visitors		Crucial Crew Forest School		Egyptology at Bolton Museum	Residential	Manchester Cathedral