

YEAR 6 CURRICULUM MAP

		Autumn		Spring		Summer		
Curriculum driver/ topic		History How did the Industrial Revolution change England?	Geography What shapes my world?	History World War 2. How could Hitler convince a nation to follow him?		Geography Where could we go? Fantastic Journeys.	Art/Music Lights, camera, action ... can we entertain you?	
Significant event							Y6 Production Leaver's assembly	
Literacy	Fiction	Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief	Kensuke's Kingdom	The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas	Hugo Cabret	Hugo Cabret (Continued)	The Girl with Ink and Stars	
	Non-fiction	Industrial Revolution Information Texts Chosen Artist autobiography for Art's Week		World War Information Texts		Information texts about different places in the world and hemispheres etc.		
	Poetry	Sea poems/figurative language. The Sea by James Reeves The Storm by Sara Coleridge		War based poems. Poems from significant poets. Ballads. Anthem for the Doomed Youth by Wilfred Owen For the Fallen by Laurence Binyon.		Rhyme poems (exploring different rhyming patterns) linked to the theme of time/Hugo. Talking Time by James Carter My Grandfather's Clock by Henry Clay		
	Word reading	Phonic programme; Read, Write, Inc						
	Comprehension	Texts include: poetry, key stories, traditional stories, fairy stories and nonfiction (NC p 21)						
	Transcription	Phonics / Spelling programme (NC Appendix 1)						
	Composition	Short narratives (NC p 24)						
	VGP	NC Appendix 2						
	Key events	World Book Day (Spring 2) International Women's Day – Make More Noise by Emma Carroll Mental Health Awareness – The Red Tree by Shaun Tan Online Safety – Staying Safe Online by Louie Stowell						
Speaking and Listening	12 Statutory statements (NC p 17)							

Maths	Topic	Number: Place Value, numbers to 10,000,000 Number: addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division, using all 4 operations in order Number: Fractions, use common factors/multiples to simplify/ express in same denomination, compare and order, add and subtract with different denominators and mixed numbers, multiply pairs of proper fractions, divide proper fractions by whole numbers Geometry: Position and Direction, co-ordinates in 4 quadrants Consolidation		Number: Decimals, identify the value of any digit to 3 decimal places, multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 up to 3 decimal places, multiply 1 digit with 2 decimal places by whole numbers, use written division methods to 2 decimal places Number: Percentages, recall and use equivalences between simple fractions, decimals and percentages Number: Algebra Measurement: Converting units up to 3 decimal places, metric and imperial, miles/km Measurement: Perimeter, Area and Volume, using formulae to calculate area and volume, areas of parallelograms and triangles, volume of cuboids Number: Ratio Consolidation		Geometry: Properties of Shape, compare and classify shapes, circles, radius, diameter, build simple 3 D shapes using nets, find missing angles Problem Solving Statistics, piecharts, mean as average Investigations Revision of Time including conversions Consolidation	
	Key events	STEM week (Spring 2)					
Science	Topic	Animals including Humans	Living Things and Their Habitats	Evolution and Inheritance (Explanations and Discussions)	Electricity and circuits (Explanations. Report writing, instructions)	Light	
	Enquiry Question	What would a journey through your body look like?	Could Spiderman really exist?	Have we always looked like this?		Could you be the next gaming apprentice?	How can you light up your life?
	Enquiry Skills	Throughout the year through investigations/experiments.					
Computing	Software	Microsoft Excel/Word	Kodu	Safe use of Social Media/Personal Information Sharing	Effective Internet Searching/Fake News	Microbits or Crumbles	iMovie
	Objective	Use Excel to create a spreadsheet that would work out the value of stock in a school tuckshop. (Multiplication and addition of columns). Combine the table produced with text and images in a Word document to create a 'Report' for the Headteacher.	Creating a racing game with a timer. Make changes and explain how it made the program better.	Focus on what is legal and illegal when it comes to sharing information online/ using someone else's account. Links in LTP for lesson ideas. Use Microsoft Software to create a presentation of findings.	Understand what fake news is. Building on Y5 objectives. Website in LTP. Create own 'Fake News' story. Format Microsoft Publisher to create newspaper article.	Magic Button Activity using conditional sentences to program.	Use all the main features in iMovie to make an effective short film with incorporates stills with movement, text, sounds and narration or create a simple video in Windows. Could link with stop motion animation?
	Key Events	Safer Internet Day/ E-Safety (Week Spring 1) Online Safety – Book - Staying Safe Online by Louie Stowell					

History	Enquiry Question	How did the Industrial Revolution change England? A study of an aspect or theme of British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066 – a significant turning point in British History Local history*		How could Hitler convince a nation to follow him? A study of an aspect or theme of British history that extends pupils' chronological knowledge beyond 1066 – WW2 Local history*		
	Enquiry Question		What shapes my world? Processes and key features shaping places and human experiences Focus: weather, water, tectonics, biomes and climate zones	<i>School discretionary study: guidance for fieldwork units available from the Durham team</i>	Where could we go? Fantastic Journeys. Focus: key countries and features of the world. Regions, tropics, hemispheres, tropics, time zones Longitude/Latitude.	
Geography	Key events	Geographical skills and fieldwork – on going across the year				
	Topic		Cooking and Nutrition		Textiles	Electrical Systems
DT	Objective		Preparing a hot, savoury dish. Seasonality and Veganism. • Soup Bread (bread maker)		Combining different fabrics	Monitoring and control
	Key Events	Design, make & evaluate & improve across all units STEM week				
	Topic	Sculpture	Painting	Digital Media	Drawing	
Art	Objective	Andy Goldsworthy and Alberto Giacometti	Katsushika Hokusai	Combing images/multi-media.	Brain Selznick Illustrator- Hugo Cabret/Time	
	Key Events	Developing Ideas - ongoing across the year Art Week (Autumn 1) -Study the style of a chosen artist.				
Music	Area	Use an instrument	Appreciate	Listening and Appreciating	History of Music	Compose Performing

	Units	Charanga 'Happy' Unit Analyse features within different pieces of music	Charanga 'Classroom Jazz 2' Unit Evaluate how the venue, occasion and purpose affects the way a piece of music is created	Britten A New Year Carol Accurately recall a part of the music listened to	Influential and successful women in music Compare and contrast the impact that different composers from different times have had on people of that time.	Charanga 'You've got a friend in me' unit Use a variety of different musical devices in composition (including melody, rhythms and chords).	Class Performance Sing in harmony confidently and accurately Take a lead in a performance Perform parts from memory.
	Key Events	Year group production Summer 2					
MFL	Unit	Salut Year 5/6 Unit U - jobs	Salut Year 5/6 Unit K – eating out	Year 5/6 Unit M – a school trip - Transport	Numbers - Counting up to 30	Salut Unit 5/6 Unit J – on holiday	
	Key Events	International week – The rights of the child. (Summer 1)					
R.E	Enquiry Question	Why do people use ritual in their lives?	What do the gospels tell us about the birth of Jesus?	What is religion? What concepts do religions have in common?	Why are Good Friday and Easter Day the most important days for Christians?	Statutory Bridging Unit: So, what do we now know about Christianity?	
P.E	Indoor	Swimming	Swimming	Dance making the grade (QCA)	Gymnastics group dynamics (QCA)	Gymnastics assessing level 4/5 unit 6 (task 1 and 2) (DURHAM)	Games long and thin or short and fat (Swimming Intervention)
	Outdoor	OAA – beat the clock and electric fence (DURHAM)	Games grid rugby and tag rugby (DURHAM)	Games wide attack (QCA)	Games zone rounders (DURHAM)	Games pairs cricket (DURHAM)	Athletics distance challenge (DURHAM)
PSHE	Unit	Being me in my world	Celebrating difference	Dreams and goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
	Key Events	Autumn 2 – Anti Bullying week / Spring 1 - Online Safety / Spring 2 - Women's International Day / Summer 1 - Mental Health Awareness Week					