

# Year 6 Curriculum Overview

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Maths	Number Place Value Calculation Number puzzles and problem solving skills	Fractions Decimals Percentages Number puzzles and problem solving skills	Geometry Algebra Statistics Number puzzles and problem solving skills	Revision Number puzzles and problem solving skills	Revision Number puzzles and problem solving skills	Managing a budget
Writing	<b>Hermelin by Mini Grey (Whole School)</b>  <b>Night of the Gargoyles - Narrative</b>  <b>The Mysteries of Harris Burdick by Chris van Allsburg - Narrative</b>  <b>Planetarium by Raman Prinja and Chris Wormell - NCR</b>  <b>Professor Astro Cat's Frontiers of Space by Dr Dominic Walliman and Ben Newman - NCR</b>  <b>Wisp by Zana Frallion and Graham Baker-Smith - Narrative</b>  <b>Talking History by Dr Joan Lennon and Dr Joan Haig - Persuasive speech</b>		<b>Arthur Spiderwick's Field Guide to the Fantastic World Around You by Holly Black and Tony DiTerlizzi - NCR</b>  <b>Dialogue - HFL TBC</b>  <b>Balanced Argument - HFL TBC</b>  <b>Blackberry Blue and other fairy tales by Jamila Gavin and Richard Collingridge - Narrative</b>  <b>Survivors by David Long and Kerry Hyndman - Biography</b>		SATs - what is needed for writing evidence - TBD	
Reading	Picture Book Roald Dahl Book Spine - Introduction Poetry Assessment - celebrate books read	Awesome Men Remembrance Book Spine - celebrating diversity Assessment Week Christmas	New Year History Classic Adventure Modern Adventure Science Chinese New Year Poetry	Awesome woman International Women's Day (26/2) World Book Day (4/3) Science Science Week (11/3) Assessment Week Easter	UK Wildlife month and Pet Week Extracts with an animal and insect theme Destinations Around the World Mental Health Week (15/5) History UK Wildlife month and Pet Week Extracts with an animal and insect theme	Environment (5/6 World Environment Day) Seasides & Islands (8/6 World Ocean Day) Refugee (19/6 start of Refugee week) Songs Assessment Space Exploration (20/7 Moon landing anniversary)
Spelling	Review words with unexpected letters from Y3/4		Review -ent, -ence, -ency, -ant, -ance and -ancy		Focus on etymology: words from the Y5/6	

	<p>statutory word list 6-7</p> <p>Review homophones and near homophones 8-10</p> <p>Review suffixes beginning with consonant letters to words: -ment, -less, -ful, -ly 11-13</p> <p>Review suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words</p> <p>Focus on doubling the consonant after a short vowel: words from the Y5/6 statutory word list</p> <p>Explore suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words ending in -fer</p> <p>Review -cial, - tial, -cially and -tially endings</p> <p>Review -able, -ably, -ible and -ibly endings</p> <p>Review -cious and -tious endings</p> <p>Review words with the /i:/ sound spelt ei after c</p>		<p>endings</p> <p>Review -tion, -ation, -cian, -ssion and -ssion endings 41-43</p> <p>Review -sure and -ture endings</p> <p>Review all suffixes 46-47</p> <p>Review words with silent letters b, k, l, h, t</p> <p>Focus on unstressed vowels: words from the Y5/6 statutory word list</p> <p>Review affixes: morphology</p> <p>Review affixes: words from the Y5/6 statutory word list</p> <p>Review words containing ough</p> <p>Review words containing rarer letter combinations: words from the Y3/4 and 5/6 statutory word list</p>		<p>statutory word list</p> <p>Review homophones and commonly confused words</p> <p>Review use of hyphen</p> <p>Review use of apostrophe for contraction</p> <p>Review use of apostrophe for possession</p> <p>Review words containing unusual GPCs</p> <p>Review commonly misspelt words from the class</p> <p>Focus on morphology and etymology</p> <p>Revision of strategies to spell words</p>	
Science	The Titanic Working Scientifically	Classifying living things Living things and their habitats	Healthy bodies Animals, including humans	Evolution and Inheritance Animals, including humans	Light Light	Electricity Electricity
PE	Dance Cricket	Yoga Hockey	OAA Dodgeball	Basketball Volleyball	Athletics Golf	Swimming Rounders
RE	What is one of the main teachings of Buddhism? Links: life is one of suffering, suffering in Old Testament, no belief in God(s)	Was Jesus the Messiah? Links: INCARNATION - 2b.4 Judaism, Islam and Buddhism have Messiah beliefs.	Is it possible for everyone to be happy? Links: the Dharma - search for truth, Christian teachings of making people happy	What difference does the resurrection make for Christians? Links: SALVATION - 2b.7	What kind of king is Jesus? Links: KINGDOM OF GOD - 2b.8	Creation and science: conflicting or complementary? Links: CREATION - 2b.2
Art		Painting and mixed media: Artist Study		Drawing: Make my voice heard		Craft and Photo opportunity
D&T	Food: Come dine with me (4 lessons)		Textiles: Phone cases/purse (4 lessons)		Electrical systems: Steady hand game (4 lessons)	
Geography		California		Global Trade		The Lea Valley
History	World War 2 - Battle of Britain (invaders)		The Industrial Revolution and the		Civil rights and human rights icons	

	focus		Victorians			
Spanish	La Fecha The Date	Tienes una mascota? Do You Have a Pet?	La ropa Clothes	En el colegio At School	El fin de semana At the Weekend	Recap previous units
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
Computing	Data Handling - Spreadsheets	Programming A - Variables in Games	Programming B - Sensing	Creative Media - Website Creation	Creative Media - 3D Modelling	Computer Systems - Communication & AI
Music	Songs of World War 2	Advance rhythms	Dynamics, pitch and texture (Theme: Coast - Fingal's Cave by Mendelssohn)	Film music	Theme and variations (Theme: Pop Art)	Composing and performing a Leavers' song