

## **CURRICULUM OVERVIEW**

Year 6: 2025-2026

Subjects	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	<b>1</b> a	1b	<b>2</b> a	2b	3a	3b
Topic and Outcome	<b>World War 2</b> WW2 Day	Exploring South America Travel Guide	<b>Fairtrade</b> Fairtrade Trade Fair	<b>Buddhism</b> School display	Let There Be Light Event for parents & EYFS	<b>Cambridge</b> Local area expert in
English	- Letter of application for Year 6 responsibilities - Anne Frank Biography - Letter from evacuee - Recount for Duxford trip - Writing assessment — Discussion: Should evacuees have been sent away?	- Animal fact file (Science) - Travel Guide for a SA country (Geog) - Rainforest Adventure Story based on The Explorer - Moth poem & info text (Science) - Writing assessment — Instructions: Looking after a Miptor	- Choose Your Own Adventure Story - Wonder garden (encyclopaedia entry) - Writing assessment - Fairtrade interview with Jose	- How to live forever diary entry (RE) - Plastic Pollution News Report - Letter in the style of Lemony Snicket - Writing assessment – Accident report	- Postcard from Prison - Instructions for navigating through a fairy-tale world - Magic Rubber short story - Writing assessments (all)	- Harris Burdick suspense narrative - Recount of Grafham (residential trip) - Biography of Thomas Edison - Cambridge brochure (visit Cherry Hinton) - Writing assessment (most)
Class Reads	Anne Frank's Diary Goodnight Mister Tom When the Sky Falls War Horse	The Explorer Moth	Ish The Dot Wonder garden Choose Your Own Adventure stories	How to Live Forever A Series of Unfortunate Events – book 1	A range of 'twisted' tales	The Mysteries of Harris Burdick The Chronicles of Harris Burdick Tom's Midnight Garden
Mathematics	Place Value Rounding Negative Numbers Addition Subtraction Multiplication Division	Fractions Position and Direction	Decimals Percentages Algebra	Converting Units Perimeter, area and volume Ratio	Statistics Properties of shape	Consolidation and themed projects
Science	Living things / Evolution and Inheritance (Plants)	Living things / Evolution and Inheritance (Animals)	Animals including humans (Circulatory system)	Animals including humans (Diet and Exercise)	Electricity	Light
Computing	Unit 6.3 Spreadsheets w 2Calculate (5 lessons) Unit 6.4 Blogging (4 lessons)	Continue on from Autumn A Unit 6.2 Online Safety (2 lessons)	Unit 6.7 Quizzing (6 lessons)	Unit 6.5 Text Adventures (5 lessons)	Unit 6.1 Coding (6 lessons)	Unit 6.8 Understanding Binary (4 lessons) Unit 6.6 Networks (3 lessons)
RE	Codes for Living	Who do people say that I am? INCARNATION Christianity	BUDDHISM: SYMBOLS and RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION How did Buddha teach his followers to find enlightenment?	BUDDHISM: JOURNEY OF LIFE AND DEATH How does the Triple Refuge help Buddhists in their journey through life?	Should believing in the resurrection change how Christians view life and death? RESURRECTION Christianity	Moving On



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History	WW2 – theme in British History - Timelines - Propaganda - Dates and terms			- Origins of Buddhism - Changes within historical periods linked to religious and cultural - Present to an audience and chn choose most		Cambridge – local study - Dates and terms - Timeline - Present to an audience and chn choose most appropriate way
Geography	WW2: Countries involved, locate UK cities bombed and why, use atlases maps, how has land use changed over time	South America: Locate main countries, identify main environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, major cities, understand similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography, volcanoes and earthquakes	Fairtrade: Economic activity including trade links, use six figure grid references, symbols and key	appropriate way		Cambridge: local study, Google Earth, maps, use fieldwork to observe measure and record the human and physical features in the local area
Art	Paul Nash – perspective and composition – using London skyline.			All About Me – drawing faces, hands. Who am I – collage and mixed media.		3D and Sculpture – Clay pot moulding and carving.
DT		Sewing	Fairtrade around the world (food from around the world)  Fairtrade Trade fair — design, make, evaluate		Fairgrounds – motor mechanisms with Crumbl	
Music	Keep the Home Fires Burning	Let's Swing	твс	ТВС	Whole class instructional tu	nition: Ukuleles
PSHCE	Citizenship: Rights, Rules and Responsibilities	Myself and My Relationships: Anti- Bullying	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles: Personal Safety Economic Wellbeing: Financial Capability	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles: Drug Education	Healthy and Safer Lifestyles: Managing Change	Myself and My Relationships: Relationships and Sex Education
PE	Invasion Games – Tag Rugby Fitness	Invasion Games – Hockey Dance	Football  Gymnastics – Sequencing	Striking and Fielding – Cricket Yoga	Striking and Fielding – Rounders Athletics	Swimming/ OAA Athletics
French	La Seconde Guerre Mondiale	Les Habitats	A L'Ecole	A L'Ecole	Manger Et Bouger (Healthy Lifestyles)	Moi Dans Le Monde

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Curriculum Enrichment Activities	Bikeability – 15 <sup>th</sup> to 18 <sup>th</sup> September  Duxford Trip – 2 <sup>nd</sup> October  BMX Workshop – 17 <sup>th</sup> October  WW2 Day – 21 <sup>st</sup> October		Fairtrade Trade Fair – Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2026	<b>KS2 SATs</b> – 11 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	<b>EYFS Event</b> to show finished DT projects / to test. (and for parents date TBC)	Grafham Water – 10 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> June First Aid - TBC Leavers Assembly AM - Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July Leavers Event PM – Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> July
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