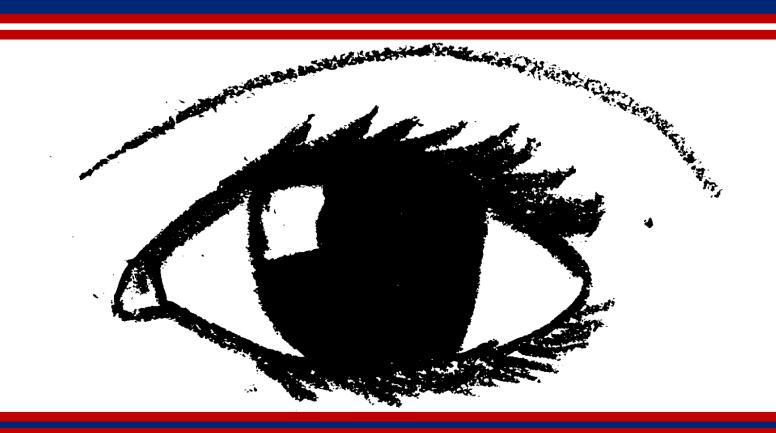
Sherwood Primary School YEAR 6 CURRICULUM





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Curriculum Vision

We aim to provide a creative, vocabulary rich curriculum that inspires and challenges our children, in preparation for life in a culturally diverse and everchanging world. High expectations, inclusive approaches and excellent teaching will form the basis of all our work. Our children will have the opportunity to read widely, explore, ask questions and become knowledgeable, independent learners. Our Curriculum will prepare our children for life-long learning.

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Year 6 Long Term Map

Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
GLP Themes		Sustainability • Human Rights • Conflict Resolution					
English	Survival/Adventure Story Debate, Biography	Classic Fiction Poetry – Songs and Lyrics, Formal Reviews	Older Literature Macbeth, Hybrid Text Poetry with Imagery	Mystery	Classic Narrative Poetry	A story told in flashback	
Class Texts	Running Wild	Wizard of Oz	Macbeth	Boy Overboard – GLP link to rights of a child		nt Mr Tom Game	
Maths			Please see the Lancashire M	lathematics Planning Overvi	ew		
Science	Evolution and Inheritance	Electricity (circuits and components)	Healthy Living and th	ne Circulatory system	Classification	Light	
		Non-negot	iables: Identify and name a v	variety of common British Flo	ora and Fauna		
Physical Education	Year 5/6 Invasion Games- Hockey	Year 5/6 Invasion Games Football	Year 6 Gymnastics Activities 4	Year 5/6 Net and Wall Games Tennis	Year 5/6 Athletics	Year 5/6 Striking and Fielding Games- Cricket	
	Year 5/6 Dance- The Highwayman	Year 6 Gymnastics Activities 3	Year 5/6 Dance – Heroes and Villains	Year 5 Orienteering	Y5/6 OAA Teamwork and Problem Solving	Year 5/6 Creative Games	
Art and Design	Drawing	Collage	Printing	Painting	Textiles	3D	
Religious Education	Christianity (Church)	Hindu dharma	Islam	Christianity (Jesus)	Buddhism	Christianity (God)	
Humanities	Indonesia/Natural disasters	Mayan Civilization		Suffragette Movement	Mapping skills – Plas Menai	WW2 (Dunkirk and evacuation) The Battle of Britain	
Computing	We are advertisers	We are adventure gamers	We are network technicians	We are travel writers	We are Musicians	We are publishers	
Digital Literacy	Online Bullying	Privacy and Security Copyright and Ownership	Self-Image and Identity	Managing Online Information	Health, Wellbeing and Lifestyle	Online Relationships	
PSHE	How can we manage risk?	What are human rights?	How to recognise the diverse identities in our society?	How can money affect us?	How can we stay healthy?	What makes a healthy and happy relationship?	
DT	Structures with ICT	to control product	Food – 3 C	ourse Meal			
MfL			Sentence structure a	nd grammar for writing			
Music	Ha	рру	You've go	t a Friend	Music	and Me	

Reading in Year 6

We are committed to being a reading school and seeking out every opportunity to improve standards in reading within our school. We encourage reading for pleasure and enable children to read in depth in a wide range of subjects, deepening their knowledge and understanding across the curriculum. We work with other schools, our local library and other partners to promote reading as a life-long skill.



Pupils in Year 6 will have the opportunity to read a wide range of texts in small groups and independently. Pupils will also read and study the following books as a whole class:

- Running Wild by Michael Morpurgo
- Wizard of Oz by Frank L.Baum
- Goodnight Mr Tom by Michelle Magorian
- Boy Overboard by Morris Gleitzma
- War Game by Michael Foreman

- On the Origin of Species
- The National Archives: Shakespeare Unclassified
- The Story of the Second World War for Children IWM
- If the World Were a Village

Year 6 Writing Map

	Outcome	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Fiction	1	Survival adventure narrative set in the Philippines	A new chapter to introduce a new character to the Wizard of Oz	A narrative version of the Banquo's Ghost scene from Macbeth.	Narrative letter based on The Giant's Necklace	Evacuee letter based on Goodnight Mister Tom	Dunkirk soldier's story - extended narrative with diary and letter inserts
Fict	2	Survival adventure narrative set in the Arizona desert	A new chapter to introduce a given character to the Wizard of Oz	A narrative version of the final battle scene from Macbeth.	Narrative letter/recount from a different perspective		·
Poetry	1		Write song lyrics for What an Uncaring World	Poem with metaphors – Macbeth			Poem based on Albert and the Lion about themselves and an animal
Poe	2		Write song lyrics for What a Wintry World	Poem with personification – another character from Macbeth			Poem based on Albert and the Lion about a soldier and Dunkirk
-t U0	1	Biography on Charles Darwin	Formal review of a live performance	Magazine editorial on Macbeth (hybrid text)		Hybrid text about Dunkirl	k for a history magazine.
Non- fiction	2	Biography on Walter Tull	Film review of The Wizard of Oz	Magazine editorial on healthy lifestyle (hybrid text)			
Cross- curricular	3	Encyclopaedia entry on camels for Britannica Kids online	 Persuasive letter about palm oil for local supermarket Travel magazine article on Indonesia for airline 	 Biography on Louis Pasteur or Edward Jenner Explanation poster about the circulatory system for GP surgery 	Formal review of school trip to Gawthorpe Hall for Simply Schools brochure	Diary from Prince Siddhartha, reflecting on the events of his journey.	Formal school report about themselves

Outdoor Learning, Educational Visits and Visitors

Year 6	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Outdoor Learning	Survival Day Bikeability		Adventure Day – Outdoor and Adventurous Activity
Educational Visits	Theatre Visit	Shakespeare Visit to Gawthorpe Hall	Plas Menai Residential Visit
Visitors	Mayan Workshop	Do the right thing – Magistrates in the Community	

Year 6 Survival Day

Play/Exploring	Shelter Building	Navigation including
		geographical skills
 Introduction to rules and boundaries Promotion of free exploration Promotion of independent learning opportunities/skills. Appreciation of the Outdoor learning environment. Carry sticks safely. Work in a team to co-operate and communicate clearly. 	 Work successfully as a group, having considered and evaluated each individual's contribution. Continue to use appropriate knots to successfully erect a tarp shelter. More complex knots that have advantages over previously tied knots will be introduced to make shelters more efficient. Use a range of criteria to evaluate the shelter produced such as durability, sturdiness, weatherproofing, and whether it is fit for purpose. Create a variety of different shelters understanding their particular uses and understand their merits and drawbacks. Adapt shelter design in response to the 	 Use the eight points of a compass, four and six figure grid references, symbols and keys. Set, read and follow a bearing. Combine map reading and compass skills.
,	environment.	

Using Tools	Use of Knots	Fire Lighting and its use for Cooking
 Develop tool use skills appropriate to age group and physical, mental and social development. Choose the project to complete with varying difficulty and chose the most appropriate tool for achieving the objective. Continue to show and discuss the safety requirements for different tools, being able to demonstrate to a group of others what is needed 	 Children will complete tasks using knots they have encountered before, choosing the most appropriate for the task being completed. Introduce knots requiring more skill which can be used in other situations. 	 Prepare and light a campfire with limited supervision. Choose a simple menu to cook using different methods on the fire. Show good understanding of campfire health and hygiene practices, using them with confidence. Understand first aid implications when lighting and maintaining fires.
(Safe working distances, etc)		mamammy mes.

Global Learning Themes

Year Group	1	2	3	4	5	6
Global	Interdependence	Human Rights	Social Justice	Diversity	Social Justice	Human Rights
Learning	Conflict Resolution	Diversity	Sustainability	Asylum Seekers	Human Rights	Sustainability
Themes		Interdependence		Conflict/Bullying	Sustainability	Conflict

Year 6	Knowledge and Understanding	Values an Attitudes
Human Rights	UN Convention on the Rights of a Child	Readiness to think through consequences
	 Reasons why some people have their rights denied 	of words, actions and choices on others
	 Those responsible for rights being met 	 Belief that everyone has the responsibility
		to challenge prejudice and discrimination
Sustainability	 Environmentally responsible living and global inequalities/ecological 	Pupils show a commitment to taking
	global footprints	action to improve the environment and quality
	Importance of biodiversity	of life for people locally and globally.
	UN Sustainable development goals	
Conflict	 Causes and effects of conflict from a personal to a global level 	 Belief that individuals and groups can
	 Strategies for managing, resolving and preventing conflict 	make a greater difference when they take action
	 Examples of conflict past and present in own society and others 	collectively.
	 Role of non-violent protest in social and political change 	 Willingness to cooperate with others to
		change things for the better.

Geography in Year 6

Year 3 Volcanoes and Earthquakes Year 6 Countries of the World - Indonesia and KS3 National Curriculum Natural Disasters To locate main countries in different continents. Name and locate Indonesia and surrounding countries. Extend their locational knowledge To know how volcanoes are formed and locate some of • Describe and understand key aspects of: physical geography, and deepen their spatial awareness of including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, the world's countries using maps of the most famous volcanoes in the world. To know what causes earthquakes and locate and mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle. human the world to focus on Africa, Russia, describe some of the most famous earthquakes to have geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic Asia (including China and India), and activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources the Middle East, focusing on their taken place. To locate the globes tectonic plates and describe how including energy, food, minerals and water. environmental regions, including Identify the position and significance of latitude, longitude, Equator, polar and hot deserts, key physical they move. To compare the land in the UK to the land where Northern Hemisphere, Southern Hemisphere, the Tropics of Cancer and human characteristics, countries earthquakes occur and volcanoes are found. and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circle, the Prime/Greenwich and major cities. To use key vocabulary to describe earthquakes and Meridian and time zones (including day and night). Understand geographical similarities, volcanoes, including: magma, crust, epicentre, crater, To name and locate countries and some significant cities of the world differences and links between places and their identifying human and physical characteristics, including through the study of human and magma, mantel, core. hills, mountains, rivers, key topographical features and land-use physical geography of a region within patterns; and understand how some of these aspects have changed Africa, and of a region within Asia

over time.

Year 5 Land use in the UK and Tr	ade
Links	

Year 6 Mapping Skills - Plas Menai

KS3 National Curriculum

- Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom – identify land use, study importation, exportation and global links.
- Study human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water.
- To understand some of the reasons for geographical similarities and differences between countries.
- Explain how locations in the UK are changing and explain some of the reasons for change.
- To begin to understand and explain geographical diversity in the UK and further afield.

- Name and locate counties and cities of the United Kingdom.
- Locate the regions in Wales and main features in close locality to Plas Menai.
- Explain and discuss a range of reasons for geographical similarities and differences between countries: Wales, Greece, Brazil, Indonesia.
- Explain and discuss a range of reasons for geographical similarities and differences between small areas of Plas Menai, Lake District, Ribble Valley, Beacon Fell, school grounds.
- Explain how Wales has changed over time.
- Collect and analyse statistics and other information in order to draw clear conclusions about Plas Menai.
- Extend their locational knowledge and deepen their spatial awareness of the world's countries using maps of the world to focus on Africa, Russia, Asia (including China and India), and the Middle East, focusing on their environmental regions, including polar and hot deserts, key physical and human characteristics, countries and major cities.
- Understand geographical similarities, differences and links between places through the study of human and physical geography of a region within Africa, and of a region within Asia

Geographical enquiry

- Ask and answer questions that are more causal e.g. Why is that happening in that place? Could it happen here? What happened in the past to cause that? How is it likely change in the future?
- Make predictions and test simple hypotheses about people and places.
- Use more precise geographical language relating to the physical and human processes detailed in the PoS e.g. tundra, coniferous/deciduous forest when learning about biomes.
- Communicate geographical information in a variety of ways including through maps, diagrams, numerical and quantitative skills and writing at increasing length.
- Use appropriate search facilities when locating places on digital/online maps and websites.
- Use wider range of labels and measuring tools on digital maps.
- Start to explain satellite imagery.
- Use and interpret live data e.g. weather patterns, location and timing of earthquakes/volcanoes etc.
- Communicate geographical information electronically e.g. multimedia software, webpage, blog, poster or app.
- Investigate electronic links with schools/children in other places e.g. email/video communication.

Geographical Skills

- Use a wide range of maps, atlases, globes and digital maps to locate countries and features studied.
- Relate different maps to each other and to aerial photos.
- Begin to understand the differences between maps e.g. Google maps vs. Google Earth, and OS maps.
- Understand that purpose, scale, symbols and style are related.
- Recognise different map projections.
- Use latitude/longitude in a globe or atlas.
- Use models and maps to discuss land shape i.e. contours and slopes.
- Use the scale bar on maps. Read and compare map scales.
- Identify, describe and interpret relief features on OS maps.
- Use six figure coordinates.
- Create sketch maps using symbols and a key.
- Use a wider range of OS symbols including 1:50K symbols.
- Know that different scale OS maps use some different symbols.
- Use eight cardinal points to give directions and instructions.
- Observe, measure and record human and physical features using a range of methods including sketch maps, cameras and other digital technologies e.g. data loggers to record (e.g. weather) at different times and in different places.

History in Year 6

Year 6 History

In Year 6, we study our final ancient civilisation of the Mayans. The children will explore Mayan life, the major achievements of this society and its worldwide impact. They will make comparisons between all the ancient societies they have studied – Romans, Greeks and Egyptians. The children will then move to the other end of their chronological understanding and study two modern history topics. They will first study the impact of the suffragettes in particular Edith Rigby – a Prestonian who had a world-wide impact with this movement. Then Yr 6 will complete a final invasion unit studying key events of World War 2 – The Battle of Britain and the evacuation of Dunkirk.

Area of Study	Mayan Civilisation	Suffragettes	Key events of World War 2 – The Battle of
			Britain and the evacuation of Dunkirk
NC	A non – European society that provides	A study of an aspect or theme in British history	A study of an aspect or theme in British history
	contrasts with British history – Mayan	that extends pupils' chronological knowledge	that extends pupils' chronological knowledge
	civilisation.	beyond 1066.	beyond 1066- a significant turning point in
		A local history study – a study of an event	history.
		significant to the locality.	
Concept	Settlement, Ancient Civilisations	Injustice	Invasion

Concept Progression	on	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 6
Settlement		Stone Age Romans	Anglo Saxons and Scots	Vikings	Mayans
Invasion		Romans	Anglo Saxons and Scots	Vikings	World War 2
Civilisation		Stone Age	Ancient Egypt	Ancient Greece	Mayans
Injustice	Yr 2 Rosa Parks				Edith Rigby

Year 6 History - Civilisation		
Year 4 Ancient Egypt	Year 5 Ancient Greece	Year 6 - Mayan Civilisation
 In this unit, we will travel back 3,000 years to Ancient Egypt. Children will: Learn that this civilisation is famous for its pyramids, pharaohs, mummies and tombs and lasted over 3000 years. Pharaohs ruled with absolute power. Discover that the pyramids were actually tombs made by pharaohs in which they would be eventually be buried. All of their belongings would be sealed in the tomb to travel with them to the afterlife. Study the contents of Tutankhamun's tomb and discuss what we can learn about him. Discover the origins of the Ancient Egyptian civilisation and the importance of the River Nile. Egyptians were skilled in agriculture, art, mathematics and engineers. The Egyptians developed hieroglyphics. Consider the similarities and differences with their places in the Stone Age. 	 In this unit, we will explore the rich legacy of this empire and its historical significance. Children will: Find influences from Ancient Greece in architecture and literature. Learn about when we celebrate the Olympic Games or vote in democratic elections, we can trace their origins back thousands of years to the Greek empire. About the conflicts between the different city states, such as Athens and Sparta as well as the importance of religion to the whole empire. Make comparisons between the Roman Empire they have learned about in Year 3 and also what life was like in Britain at this time. Learn all about daily life in Ancient Greece. Investigate the lives and teachings of the Ancient Greek scholars and philosophers. Appreciate how significant the time period was in shaping the world as we know it today. 	 This unit refers to the classical Mayan period, which stretches from 250 – 950AD. Children will: Learn that the society became more organised around urban areas. Learn that the general centre point of a settlement was a temple which was a symbol of both grandeur and a route to the heavens above. Make clear comparisons and contrasts with all the other ancient civilisations beliefs about religions and settlement. Learn that during this period advances were made in astronomy, maths and language. Learn that the Mayans created their own language of hieroglyphs containing phonetic symbols. Trade was hugely important between settlements and advancements in agriculture allowed links to be made through the Central American continent. Understand why in around AD 900 the centres of the Mayan settlements became less important and the civilisation itself became less widespread.
Vocabulary		Historical Skills
agriculture – the science of cultivating the ground to grow astronomy – the study of the universe beyond the Earth's a chocolate – a food made from the roasted beans of the company – relating to the Maya people of Central America hieroglyphs- an element of a writing system using images, crops or raise livestock settlement – a community of people living together Maize- corn, a type of grain Temple – a house or place of worship trade – buying or selling of goods and services on an open urbanisation – the change when an areas population move	atmosphere coa plant /drawing instead of conventional letters market	Chronology – sequence events and periods using appropriate terms. E.g – chronology, legacy, continuity, change, trends. Communication – describe aspects of cultural economic, military, political, religious and social history. Choose the most appropriate way of communicating historical findings including the use of ICT, maps and timelines. Enquiry – ask questions such as, 'How did life change? 'Why do we remember? 'Why do people disagree?'

	Year 6 H	History –	Chrono	logy/Ir	ijustice
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Year 2 Rosa Parks

The children will be introduced to injustice in this unit. Children will:

- Experience injustice at first hand and explain how it feels.
- Study the events of Rosa Parks life leading up to the bus boycott in 1955.
- Find out that Rosa Parks was born in 1913, she lived in Montgomery, Alabama.
- Understand that at this time there was a huge amount of racism and injustice towards black Americans. On the 1st December 1955 she refused to give up her seat on a bus to a white person. This leads to her arrest.
- Recognise that this event led to the Montgomery Bus Boycott where 75 % of the population of Montgomery refused to use the buses in support of Rosa Parks.
- Use the 'I am Rosa Parks' art installation to learn about the awards that she won due to her protest.
- Think about injustice in society today. Does it happen? Where does it happen?
 What can we do about it?

Year 6 – Suffragettes

In this unit, we will study the actions of a small group of women who recognise injustice and stand up for what they believe in. Links will be made to the life of Rosa Parks. Children will learn:

- That key events in fight for women's rights led by the Suffragettes (linked to the actions of Emmeline Pankhurst and Emily Wilding Davison) in raising the profile and awareness of the suffragette message.
- About the effects of the sources of propaganda written at the time against women's rights.
- About the life and actions of Edith Rigby a local Suffragette who fought for the right to get the vote in 1928.

Vocabulary

Democracy – a government under the direct rule of the people **election** – a process of choosing a leader

legislation – the preparation and enactment of the law

Parliament – an institution whose elected members meet to debate the major political issue

politics – activities associated with running a government

protest - to make a strong objection

rights – a legal or moral entitlement

suffrage – the right to vote, or express an opinion

vote – a formalised choice on matter of government or other democratic activities

Historical Skills

Chronology – describe and make links between main events, situations and changes within and across different periods of time, as well as between short and long term timescales.

Communication – describe aspects of cultural economic, military, political, religious and social history. Present answers to historical questions and hypotheses by selecting and organising relevant information using appropriate dates and terms.

Enquiry- give reasons for contrasting arguments and interpretations of the past. Ask, 'Why have different stories been told about?' Choose relevant sources of evidence to support particular lines of enquiry.

Year 6 History - Invasion	
Year 5 The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England	Year 6 – Key events of World War 2 – The Battle of Britain and the evacuation of Dunkirk
 In this unit, we will continue our learning about British history with a study of this medieval period. Children will: Continue to explore the concepts of invasion and settlement by revisiting their learning in the previous topics of the Romans in Year 3 and Anglo Saxons in Year 4. Learn that the first Viking ships landed in Dorset from Denmark, Norway and Sweden. They were excellent sailors. Learn that the Vikings were also ferocious fighters, believing that if they died in battle then would go to Valhalla with the king of the gods named Odin. Learn that the Vikings plundered monasteries and raided any settlements they could find. Learn that after the initial invasion they started to settle, finding the land more suited to farming than their Danish homeland. Jorvik was a large Viking Kingdom around York the last King of Jorvik was Eric Bloodaxe. Learn about the impacts of the Vikings at a local level by studying the Cuerdale hoard which was discovered on the banks of the River Ribble. 	 In this unit, we will continue to develop our understanding our understanding of the term invasion. Building upon the knowledge gained in the Roman, Anglo Saxon and Viking units. We will discuss the events leading up to the beginning of the Second World War. Children will: Learn about the invasion of France by Nazi Germany in 1939. Then about the evacuation of British and French troops at Dunkirk 26th May to 4th June 1940 as a result of this successful invasion. Learn the key details of the Battle of Britain from 10th July – 31st October 1940 where battles fought in the skies above the south of England between the British RAF and the German Luftwaffe. Discuss the decisions of Winston Churchill and the impacts they had on the Battle. Find out what it would have been like to have been involved in the battle and the resolve of the British people meant another invasion was prevented.
Vocabulary	Historical Skills
Blitz – the series of air raids launched on various cities by the German Air Force in 1941 bombing – the act of dropping bombs from the air civilian – a person following the pursuits of normal life who is not an active member of the military destruction – to cause major damage to property and services evacuation – withdrawing troops or civilians from a town or city invasion – a military action of one group of entering the territory of another with the objective of taking control	Chronology – Establish clear chronological narratives across periods and within themes. Communication – Discuss how Britain has been influenced by the wider world.
Name and the property of the state of the state of Company in the 1020 1040s	

Nazis – a political party who took totalitarian control of Germany in the 1930-1940s **Operation Dynamo** – the code name given to the operation of evacuating Dunkirk

Science in Year 6

Year 6 Key Science Knowledge Prior Learning Year 6 Evolution and Inheritance Identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and All living things have offspring of the same kind, as features in the offspring are describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds inherited from the parents. of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other. (Y2 - Living things Due to sexual reproduction, the offspring are not identical to their parents and and their habitats) vary from each other. Notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults. Plants and animals have characteristics that make them suited (adapted) to their (Y2 - Animals, including humans) environment. Explore the part that flowers play in the life cycle of flowering plants, including If the environment changes rapidly, some variations of a species may not suit the pollination, seed formation and seed dispersal. (Y3 - Plants) new environment and will die. Describe in simple terms how fossils are formed when things that have lived If the environment changes slowly, animals and plants with variations that are best suited survive in greater numbers to reproduce and pass their characteristics on to are trapped within rock. (Y3 - Rocks) Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose their young. dangers to living things. (Y4 - Living things and their habitats) Over time, these inherited characteristics become more dominant within the Describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals. (Living population. things and their habitats - Y5) Over a very long period of time, these characteristics may be so different to how they were originally that a new species is created. This is evolution. Fossils give us evidence of what lived on the Earth millions of year ago and provide evidence to support the theory of evolution. More recently, scientists such as Darwin and Wallace observed how living things adapt to different environments to become distinct varieties with their own characteristics.

Year 6 Key Science Knowledge	
Prior Learning	Year 6 Light
 Recognise that they need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light. (Y3 - Light) Notice that light is reflected from surfaces. (Y3 - Light) Recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect their eyes. (Y3 - Light) Recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object. (Y3 - Light) Find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change. (Y3 - Light) Compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets. (Y5 - Properties and changes of materials) 	 Light appears to travel in straight lines, and humans see objects when light from them goes into their eyes. The light may come directly from light sources, but for other objects some light must be reflected from the object into our eyes for the object to be seen. Objects that block light (are not fully transparent) will cause shadows. Because light travels in straight lines the shape of the shadow will be the same as the outline shape of the object.

Prior Learning Year 6 Animals Including Humans		
	Healthy Living and the Circulatory System	
Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the	The human heart pumps blood in the blood vessels around to the lungs.	
right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene. (Y2 -	Oxygen goes into the blood and carbon dioxide is removed.	
Animals, including humans)	The blood goes back to the heart and is then pumped around the body.	
 Identify that animals, including humans, need the right 	Nutrients, water and oxygen are transported in the blood to the muscles and other parts of the body	
types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make	where they are needed.	
their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat. (Y3 -	As they are used, they produce carbon dioxide and other waste products.	
Animals, including humans)	Carbon dioxide is carried by the blood back to the heart and then the cycle starts again as it is	
 Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the 	transported back to the lungs to be removed from the body. This is the human circulatory system.	
digestive system in humans. (Y4 - Animals, including	Diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle have an impact on the way our bodies function.	
humans)	All these can affect how well our heart and lungs work, how likely we are to suffer from conditions	
Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their	such as diabetes, how clearly we think, and generally how fit and well we feel.	
simple functions. (Y4 - Animals, including humans)	Some conditions are caused by deficiencies in our diet e.g. lack of vitamins.	

Year 6 Key Science Knowledge	
Prior Learning	Year 6 Living Things and their Habitats - Classification
Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of	Living things can be formally grouped according to characteristics.
ways. (Y4 - Living things and their habitats)	Plants and animals are two main groups but there are other livings things that do not fit into these
Explore and use classification keys to help group, identify	groups e.g. micro-organisms such as bacteria and yeast, and toadstools and mushrooms.
and name a variety of living things in their local and wider	Plants can make their own food whereas animals cannot.
environment. (Y4 - Living things and their habitats)	Animals can be divided into two main groups: those that have backbones (vertebrates); and those that
Describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an	do not (invertebrates).
amphibian, an insect and a bird. (Y5 - Living things and	Vertebrates can be divided into five small groups: fish; amphibians; reptiles; birds; and mammals.
their habitats)	Each group has common characteristics.
Describe the life process of reproduction in some plants	Invertebrates can be divided into a number of groups, including insects, spiders, snails and worms.
and animals. (Y5 - Living things and their habitats)	Plants can be divided broadly into two main groups: flowering plants; and non-flowering plants.

Year 6 Key Science Knowledge			
Prior Learning	Year 6 Electricity		
Identify common appliances that run on electricity. (Y4 - Electricity)	Adding more cells to a complete circuit will make a bulb brighter, a motor spin		
Construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic	faster or a buzzer make a louder sound.		
parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers. (Y4 - Electricity)	• If a battery with a higher voltage is used, the same thing happens.		
Identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on	Adding more bulbs to a circuit will make each bulb less bright.		
whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery. (Y4 -	Using more motors or buzzers, each motor will spin more slowly and each buzzer		
Electricity)	will be quieter.		
Recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with	• Turning a switch off (open) breaks a circuit so the circuit is not complete and		
whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit. (Y4 - Electricity)	electricity cannot flow.		
Recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with	Any bulbs, motors or buzzers will then turn off as well.		
being good conductors. (Y4 - Electricity)	To use recognised circuit symbols to draw simple circuit diagrams.		

Year 6 Scientific Enquiry

Questioning and Research	Planning and Recording		
 I can plan different types of scientific enquiries to answer questions, including recognising and controlling variables where necessary. I can explore and talk about ideas, asking my own questions about scientific phenomena, analysing functions, relationships and interactions more systematically. I can recognise scientific ideas change and develop over time. I can select the most appropriate ways to answer science questions using different types of scientific enquiry (including observing changes over different periods of time, noticing patterns, grouping and classifying, carrying out comparative and fair tests and finding things out using a wide range of secondary sources of information.) I can plan different types of scientific enquiry to answer questions. I can decide which variables to control. I can recognise which secondary source will be most useful to my research. I can carry out research independently. 	 I can make my own decisions about what observations to make, we measurements to use and how long to make them for and whether to repet them. I can select appropriate equipment on my own. I can decide on a set of observations and say what the interval and range are I can decide what to observe, how long to observe for and whether to rept them. I can select equipment on my own and can explain how to use it accurately. I can record data and results of increasing complexity using scientific diagrand labels, classification keys, tables and bar and line graphs. I can decide how to record data from a choice of familiar approaches. I can choose how best to present data. I can find an appropriate approach when trying to answer a question. When investigation involves a fair test, I can find the key factors to be considered. I can make predictions based on my scientific knowledge and understanding. 		
Equipment and Measurement Communicating and Presenting	Considering Evidence and Evaluating		
 I can take measurements, using a range of scientific equipment, with increasing accuracy and precision, taking repeat readings where appropriate. I can choose the most appropriate equipment and explain how to use it accurately I can make increasingly accurate and precise measurements – N, g, kg, mm, cm, mins, seconds, cm²V, km/h, m per sec, m/ sec. I can use relevant scientific language and illustrations to discuss, communicate and justify scientific ideas. I can confidently use a range of scientific vocabulary. I can interpret data and present it in an appropriate manner using line graphs and charts. I can use the data I produce to explain the scientific concept and discuss in detail my findings. I can use relevant scientific 	 I can use test results to make predictions to set up further comparative and fair tests. I can recognise when and how to set up comparative and fair tests and explain which variables need to be controlled and why. I can suggest improvements to my method and give reasons. I can set up a range of comparative and fair tests, justifying the reasons for my decisions. I repeat observations and measurements and offer explanations for any differences I encounter. I draw conclusions that are consistent with the evidence and relate these to scientific knowledge. I can report and present findings from enquiries, including conclusions, causal relationships and explanations of and degree of trust in results, in oral and 		

- I can select apparatus and plan to use it effectively.
- I can use the computer to collect data (data logging).
- I can explain my ideas with scientific reasons.
- I can make a series of observations, comparisons or measurements with precision.
- I can use appropriate scientific language and conventions to communicate quantitative and qualitative data.

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- relationships and explanations of and degree of trust in results, in oral and written forms such as displays and other presentations.
- I can identify scientific evidence that has been used to support or refute ideas or arguments.
- I can draw conclusions based on the data and observations, using evidence to justify ideas and using scientific knowledge and understanding to explain findings.
- I can look for different causal relationships in data and identify evidence that refutes or supports my ideas.
- I can use results to identify when further tests and observations are needed.

Scientists and Careers Across Science- Year 6

Living things and their habitats	Animals, including humans	Evolution and inheritance	Light	Electricity
		Scientists		
Nazifa Tabassum Microbiologist and Science Communicator)	William Harvey (Discovered how blood moves through the body)	Charles Darwin (Naturalist, developed the theory of evolution)	CV Raman (Physicis)	Hertha Ayrton (Engineer, physicist, mathematician and inventor)
		Careers		
Microbiologist (studies tiny living hings) Plant geneticist (studies genetics in plants - many work on developing crops to be more robust or provide more nutrition)	Cardiologist (a doctor specialising in the heart and circulatory system) Haematologist (studies blood and its diseases)	Archeologist (studies history using artefacts) Geneticist (studies genes) Palaeontologist (studies fossils)	Architect (designs buildings) Ophthalmologist (a doctor specialising in vision and eye health)	Electrician (installs and maintains electrical equipment) Renewable energy engineer (works o environmentally consciou energy production)

Design Technology in Year 6

Design and Evaluation	Technical Knowledge		
Building on their previous skills, pupils in Year 6 will learn to: use researched information to inform decisions make prototypes combine modelling and drawing to refine ideas devise step by step plans which can be followed by someone else use exploded diagrams and cross-sectional diagrams to communicate ideas sketch and model alternative ideas decide which design idea to develop produce detailed lists of ingredients/components/materials and tools research and evaluate existing products (including book and web-based research) consider user and purpose consider and explain how the finished product could be improved related to the design criteria and seek other people's opinions discuss how well the finished product meets the design criteria of the user, test on the user Working with tools, equipment, materials and cor	 Building on their previous knowledge, pupils in Year 6 will explore a range of products to develop their understanding of: relevant ingredients and equipment needed for a recipe combinations of food that will complement one another where food comes from, describing the process of 'Farm to Fork' for a given ingredient structures and how they can be strengthened by manipulating materials and shapes shell structures in everyday life (cars, aeroplanes, tins, cans) man-made and natural structures computing to programming, monitor and control their product 		
Food	Structures		
Pupils in Year 6 will have the opportunity to design and make a three-course meal. They will learn to: Show awareness of a healthy diet (using the Eatwell plate) use a range of cooking techniques know where and how ingredients are grown and processed consider influence of chefs e.g. Jamie Oliver and school meals, Hugh Fearnley- Whittingstall and sustainable fishing etc follow a recipe, including using the correct quantities of each ingredient adapt a recipe based on research work to a given timescale work safely and hygienically with independence research a recipe by ingredient KEY VOCABULARY: SUSTAINABILITY, STARTER, MAIN, DESERT, INGREDIENTS, BALANCED DIET.	Pupils in Year 6 will have the opportunity to design and make a Ferris wheel controlled by ICT. They will learn to: • measure, mark and cut wood to create a range of structures • Use a range of materials to reinforce and add decoration to structures • build a range of structures drawing upon new and prior knowledge of structures • use electrical systems such as motors • program, monitor and control using ICT KEY VOCABULARY: COOKIE CRUMBLE, PROGRAMMING, MONIOR, CONTROL.		

Personal, Social, Health and Relationships Education Digital Literacy Education in Year 6

Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme	How can we manage risk?	What are human rights?	How to recognise the diverse identities in our society?	How can money affect us?	How can we stay healthy?	What makes a healthy and happy relationship?
Context	Increased independence and responsibility; strategies for managing risk; different influences; resisting unhelpful pressure; personal safety; managing requests for images; how anti-social behaviours affect wellbeing; how to handle anti-social or	Why and how laws are made; taking part in making and changing rules; importance of human rights; rights of the child; right to protect their bodies, confidentiality and when to break a confidence	To appreciate the range of national, regional, religious and ethnic identities of people living in the UK; to be aware of the lives, values and customs of people living in other places	Finance and its role in people's lives; being a critical consumer; what is meant by interest, loan, debt, tax; how resources are allocated and how this affects individuals, communities and the environment; research and debate health and wellbeing issues	What positively and negatively affects health; informed choices; balanced lifestyle; how drugs can affect health and safety; the law and drugs; who is responsible for their health and wellbeing	Different relationships; what makes positive; healthy relationships; recognise when relationships are unhealthy; committed; loving relationships (including marriage, civil partnership); managing complex emotions;
Relationships Education			What a stereotype is, and how stereotypes can be	How information and data is shared and used online	How to report concerns or abuse, and the vocabulary	That marriage represents a formal and legally
Education			unfair, negative or destructive (linked to Self-Image and identity lesson 1)	How to critically consider their online friendships and sources of information including awareness of the risks associated with people they have never met	and confidence needed to do so Where to get advice from e.g. family, school and/or other sources	recognised commitment of two people to each other which is intended to be lifelong

Digital	Online Bullying	Privacy and Security	Self-Image and Identity	Managing Online	Health, Wellbeing and	Online Relationships
Literacy		Copyright and Ownership		Information	Lifestyle	
Pupils will learn to:	 Describe how to capture bullying content as evidence to share with others who can help me. Explain how someone would report online bullying in different contexts. 	 Describe effective ways people can manage passwords. describe how and why people should keep their software and apps up to date. 	Identify and critically evaluate online content relating to gender, race, religion, disability, culture and other groups, and explain why it is important to challenge and reject inappropriate representations online. Describe issues online that could make anyone feel sad, worried, uncomfortable or frightened. I know and can give examples of how to get help, both on and offline.	 explain how search engines work and how results are selected and ranked. Explain how and why some people may present 'opinions' as 'facts'; why the popularity of an opinion or the personalities of those promoting it does not necessarily make it true, fair or perhaps even legal. define the terms 'influence', 'manipulation' and 'persuasion' and explain how someone might encounter these online (e.g. advertising and 'ad targeting' and targeting for fake news). Demonstrate how to analyse and evaluate the validity of 'facts' and information and I can explain why using these strategies are 	Recognise and can discuss the pressures that technology can place on someone and how / when they could manage this.	 Describe how to be kind and show respect for others online including the importance of respecting boundaries regarding what is shared about them online and how to support them if others do not. Describe how things shared privately online can have unintended consequences for others. e.g. screengrabs. Explain that taking or sharing inappropriate images of someone (e.g. embarrassing images), even if they say it is okay, may have an impact for the sharer and others; and who can help if someone is worried about this.

Art and Design in Year 6

Key Learning in Art and Design in Year 6	
Exploring and Developing Ideas	Evaluating and Developing Work
 Select and record from first-hand observation, experience and imagination and explore ideas for different purposes. Question and make thoughtful observations about starting points and select ideas to use in their work. Explore the roles and purposes of artists, craftspeople and designers working in different times and cultures. 	 Compare ideas, methods and approaches in their own and others' work and say what they think and feel about them. Adapt their work according to their views and describe how they might develop it further. Annotate work in sketchbook.

Drawing Analytical observational drawings; enlarged drawings, overworked; different styles of portraiture

- Work from a variety of sources including observation, photographs and digital images.
- Work in a sustained and independent way to create a detailed drawing.
- Develop close observation skills using a variety of viewfinders.
- Use a sketchbook to collect and develop ideas.
- Identify artists who have worked in a similar way to their own work.

- Lines, Marks, Tone, Form and Texture
- Use dry media to make different marks, lines, patterns and shapes within a drawing.
- Experiment with wet media to make different marks, lines, patterns, textures and shapes.
- Explore colour mixing and blending techniques with coloured pencils.
- Use different techniques for different purposes, i.e. shading, hatching within their own work.
- Start to develop their own style using tonal contrast and mixed media.

Perspective and Composition

- Begin to use simple perspective in their own work using a single focal point and horizon.
- Begin to develop an awareness of composition, scale and proportion in their paintings, e.g. foreground, middle ground and background.
- Show an awareness of how paintings are created, i.e. composition.

Theme	Painting	Collage	Printing	Textiles	3D
Context	Artist responses; painted and collaged still-life images in Cubist style	Responses to Klimt; Cubist figurative work of Picasso	Press Print in 3 Colours Paper Batik	Drawn images on dip dyed fabric; Batik;	Henry Moore clay figures; pendants inlaid with coloured clays;
Focus	 Develop a painting from a drawing. Carry out preliminary studies, trying out different media and materials and mixing appropriate colours. Create imaginative work from a variety of sources, e.g. observational drawing, themes, poetry, music, movement. Mix and match colours to create atmosphere and light effects. Be able to identify and work with complimentary and contrasting colours. 	 Add collage to a painted, printed or drawn background. Use a range of media to create collages. Use different techniques, colours and textures, etc, when designing and making pieces of work. Use collage as a means of extending work from initial ideas. 	 impressed method, e.g. reduction block press print. Create prints with three overlays. Working into prints 	layering, stitching, sticking, weaving, pleating, plaiting, tying, knotting. • Deconstruct fabric – cutting, tearing, hole-punching, fraying, pulling threads, fringing. • Use different grades of threads and needles. • Develop skills in stitching, cutting and joining. • Experiment with batik techniques.	 Shape, form, model and construct from observation or imagination. Use recycled, natural and man-made materials to create sculptures. Plan a sculpture through drawing and other preparatory work. Develop skills in using clay - slabs (to construct a simple base for extending and modelling other shapes), coils, slips, etc. Produce intricate patterns and textures in clay.

Digital Media

Across the Curriculum in Year 6, pupils will have the opportunity to:

- Record and collect visual information using digital cameras and video recorders.
- Present recorded visual images using software, e.g. Photostory, powerpoint.
- Use a simple graphics package to create and manipulate new images.
- Be able to import an image (scanned, retrieved, taken) into a graphics package.
- Understand that a digital image is created by layering. Create layered images from original ideas

Key Artists Studied in Year Six: Rembrandt, Patrick Heron, Gustav Klimt and Antonio Gaudi

Religious Education Overview

Year 6 Key (Question: Is life like	e a journey?				
Religion	Christianity (Church)	Hindu dharma	Islam	Christianity (Jesus)	Buddhism	Christianity (God)
Enquiry Question	How do Christians mark the 'turning points' on the journey of life? Christian rites of passage, denominational differences	Is there one journey or many? Reincarnation, Karma, the 4 ashramas	What is Hajj and why is it important to Muslims? The Ummah, Hajj	Why do Christians believe Good Friday is 'good'? Holy Week, The Eucharist denominational differences	What do we mean by a 'good life'? The Buddha, The Four Noble Truths, The Eightfold path	If life is like a journey, what's the destination? Salvation, Forgiveness

Music in Year 6

harmony.

Prior Learning (Year 5)	Year 6 Core knowledge
Explore the historical content of a song	Consolidate previous learning
 Discuss musical dimensions using musical vocabulary 	Talk about musical identify
 Develop an understanding of what songs are about lyrically 	Confidently discuss a piece of music using a wide range of musical vocabulary
Sing in unison and backing vocals	Sing in up to three parts both in unison and solos
Begin to learn melodies by looking at notation	Represent the feeling and content of a song
 Use of phrasing to make a song more interesting 	Lead a rehearsal session
 Play musical instrument(s) with the correct technique 	Create music with multiple sections
 Show understanding of symbols including stave, treble clef, rests, bar lines 	Plan and compose an 8 or 16 beat melodic phrase
 Develop a sense of shape and character through improvisation 	Recognise and understand the difference between a range of different note values
Experiment with a wider range of dynamics	Choose what to perform and create a programme
 Create melodies using up to 5 notes 	•
Perform a range of repertoire	
Skills – singing and playing the instrument	Skills – improvisation, composition and performance
• Understand the style of the song to represent the feeling and context to an	Create music including repetition and contrast
audience	Extend improvised melodies over a groove
 Use dynamics and phrasing effectively as well as effective posture and breathing 	Incorporate rhythmic interest and variety in composition
Understand the importance of vocal health	Compose a ternary piece using available software to create it and record it
Consolidation and development of confidence following and interpreting written	·
music	semi-quavers and their equivalent rests
Some children should be able to recognise time signatures	• Engage with others through ensemble playing taking on melody and accompaniment
 Play a melody following staff notation within an octave range Vocabulary: style indicators, melody, compose, improvise, cover, pulse, rhythm, pitch 	roles

groove, Motown, hook, riff, solo, Blues, Jazz, improvise/improvisation, by ear, melody, riff, solo, ostinato, phrases, unison, Urban Gospel, civil rights, gender equality, unison,

Physical Education Overview

Year 6 PE	The INTENT at Year 5 and 6 in games is to continue to develop children's attacking skills when they are working as a team and to develop their knowledge of defending strategies. These will be delivered through modified mini-versions from uneven sides to even sides, i.e. 5v3, 5v4, 4v4, 5v5 etc. The learning the children receive through the different categories of games leads to playing an intra school games competition and for some children moving to inter school competitions. The INTENT at Year 5 and 6 in dance and gymnastics is to develop children's performance and composing longer sequences of movements with a partner and group.					
Targe	et/Creative Games		Striking and Fielding Games			
In this unit, children will learn how to apply their knowledge understanding of Invasion Games from Year 5 and create th own games, which follows Invasion Game principles.			and Children will develop the range and quality of their skills and understanding. They learn how to play the			
Invas	sion Games		Net/Wall Games	OAA		
They start to play even-sided mini-versions of invasion games. In all games activities, children learn to think about how to use skills, strategies and tactics to outwit the opposition. In invasion games, they enter their opponent's		Children will learn to develop the range and quality of their skills when playing games using rackets. They also learn specific tactics and skills for net/wall type games. They will also spend time developing effective serving techniques and tactics. The aim is to get the ball to land in the target area and make it difficult for the opponent to return it.		Children take part in more complex orienteering events. They will learn to read maps more accurately, and to adapt to their skills to meet challenges set in new environments. They will research and undertake a journey safely and will develop the skills and understanding to become more self-reliant. They will take on more demanding leadership roles and will learn to take the initiative more often.		
	Dance	Gymnastics Activities		Athletic Activities		
Children focus on using different visual images as the starting point for composing, performing and watching dance. They will extend the range of movements they use and develop new skills in working with a partner, including taking weight, supporting leaning, balancing and lifting.		e.g. how to and a awaren perfor	en use their knowledge of compositional principles, ow to use variations in speed, level and direction, o combine and link actions, how to relate to partners pparatus, to develop sequences which show an ness of their audience. Children will plan and m a sequence with a partner. They will choose their oparatus and design a simple layout.	Children will focus on developing their technical understanding of athletic activity. They will learn how to set targets and improve their performance in a range of running, jumping and throwing activities. In running events, they will run further in both sprints and distance		

Computing Overview

Theme	6.3 We are advertisers	6.1 We are adventure gamers	6.4 We are network technicians	6.5 We are travel writers	We are Musicians	6.6 We are publishers
Context	In this unit, the pupils review existing adverts or promotional films, create a storyboard, shoot original footage, source other media and edit a final version of their movie.	learn a few commands of a text-based programming language (Python), enabling progression	In this unit, learners explore how data is transferred over the internet. Learners initially focus on addressing, before they move on to the makeup and structure of data packets. Learners then look at how the internet facilitates online communication and collaboration; they complete shared projects online and evaluate different methods of communication. Finally, they learn how to communicate responsibly by considering what should and should not be shared on the internet.	In this unit, the pupils document an educational visit. They research their destination and explore different routes. While there, they capture photographs, audio and video. On return they add this content to a digital map.	In this unit, children will have the opportunity to engage with a piece of music composition software. Children will apply their Musical knowledge and compose a piece of music linked to the wider curriculum	In this unit, the pupils produce a class yearbook or school magazine using desktop publishing tools. They source, write, edit and combine images and text from a range of sources.

Languages Overview

Year 6 French			
Speaking and Listening	Reading		
To explore the patterns and sounds of language through songs and rhymes Learn a French song around a theme and explore patterns of language To engage in conversations; ask and answer questions; express opinions and respond to those of others Greet people and give personal information (name, age, nationality) To ask and talk about regular activities To give opinions about sports and give reasons for preferences To speak in sentences, using familiar vocabulary, phrases and basic language structures To talk about what you like doing Ask and talk about brothers and sisters in the third person To present ideas and information orally to a range of audiences Present information to the rest of the class Present information to a wider audience (eg. to a different class, in assembly) To appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhymes in French Listen to and follow a French story To develop accurate pronunciation and intonation so that others understand when they are reading aloud or using familiar words and phrases	To read carefully and show understanding of words, phrases and simple writing Read and understand French words Read and understand French stories and poems To broaden their vocabulary and develop their ability to understand new words that are introduced into familiar written material, including through using a dictionary Identify items of clothing (un and une) Identify colours and describe colours of clothes Identify animals and pets Recognise days of the week Recognise months of the year		
	ting		
To write phrases from memory, and adapt these to create new sentences, and to express ideas clearly • Write a conversation between two people • Write opinions about food/clothes	To understand basic grammar appropriate to the language being studied, including (where relevant): feminine, masculine, and neuter forms and the conjugation of high-frequency verbs; key features and patterns of the language; how to apply these, for instance, to build sentences; and how these differ from or are similar to English		
To describe people, places, things and actions orally and in writing • To describe people in the third person in writing	 Use present tense verbs to describe activities Build sentences and record in writing 		