

Literacy

Argument and discussion texts - 3weeks
Distinguish between biographies and autobiographies, Facts and opinions - 3 weeks

Poetry 'Power of imagery' 2 week

Writing in journalistic style , balanced and ethical - 3 weeks

Plays, authors and text – W. Shakespeare 2 weeks

Music

Music express- repeated patterns with instruments and voice
Playing the recorder



Autumn Term

Embrace the changes

Art

Sense of place:
watercolours and landscapes

Religious Education

Christianity:
Focus on the Bible
Focus on Jesus

Modern foreign Languages

French:
Around the town,
instruments, the alphabet,
using adjectives

Numeracy

Number:

Basic number facts
Number relationships and sequences
Solving problems using all four operations
Fractions, decimals and percentages

Shape and Space:

Properties of shapes
Selecting and using units of measurements

Handling data:

Extracting information & interpreting data

Physical Education

Gymnastics:

floor work, balances and symmetry
Plan & perform a sequences of movements

Orienteering:

Reading maps, using compasses and team work

Dance:

focus on high school musical

Basketball/netball

Skills development

Attacking & defending

Team work

Geography

Investigating Rivers

Developing mapping skills

Studying landscapes and their uses, as well as how they change and are formed over time.

History

Life in Britain since 1938:

How life, technologies, fashions and populations have changed

Independent research on an aspect of life since 1938.

Black History Month:

Celebrate black achievements in Britain and around the world

Extra activities

Black history Workshop
Kent rider scheme
Globe Theatre
European Day of Languages

Our Numeracy Group Targets

Read and write any number in figures and Words and use decimals for tenths, and hundredths and negative numbers.

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Read and write any number in figures and words including decimals and negative Numbers.

Science

Forces in Action:

Identify forces:
gravity/friction/magnetism/resistance

Read Newton meters accurately

Present results of investigations in graphs and tables

More about dissolving/ reversible and irreversible changes:

Make predictions and describe scientific processes

Separating using filtering

Personal, Social, Health Education (P.S.H.E.)

New Beginnings:

Class rules, starting afresh and team building

Getting on and falling out

Conflict resolution

Social skills and strategies for dealing with issues

Design and Technology

Textiles :

Designing, making and evaluating Wall hangers and ties

Cutting, attaching and stitching materials

Year 6 Autumn term 1 and 2.

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Possible homework suggestions

Literacy

Read a newspaper or news magazine every week. Discuss topical issues with your friends and family
Write a poem that has a surprising ending or a twist
Visit the library regularly and find out about Britain since 1940, perhaps you could look at some old newspapers.
Research your favourite pop/movie/sports star by reading biographical information.
Woodville Halls in Gravesend will be showing Shakespeare plays during November. Why not go and see a play!

Numeracy

Continue to revise the times tables you struggle with.
Look for 3D shapes around you. Practise making nets of 3D shapes.
Help at home with the cooking, using different weights and measures.

French

Practise writing the long date in French.
Teach your family the colours and numbers.
Have a French themed Christmas this year.

History

Talk to an elder relative about the changes in Britain since the 1940s. Go through your mum's and dad's music and fashion collections to find out how they have changed throughout the decades.

Geography

Research any world river that you can think of. Find out about the rivers in Great Britain.

Science

Look at everyday liquids and substances at home. Explore how and why they dissolve.
Find examples where friction/air resistance/ water up-thrust are useful and examples when they are not.

P.E.

Practise your netball/basketball skills with a friend. Also practise some dance moves that could be combined with these skills.

Art/D.T.

Look for some examples of rural and urban landscapes. Make a view finder and make some sketches using different mediums, such as pencil, chalk, water colour, charcoal.