Termly Curriculum Overview

Year 6 – Spring Term



| Area of the | Learning Experiences |
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| Curriculum | |
| English | Non-chronological report (Goodnight Mr Tom)- revise heading and sub-headings, bullet points, revise colons to introduce a list. Speech (Goodnight Mr Tom)- persuasive language, revise sequential adverbs, not only but also,revise ifthen, revise colons for clarification and semi-colons for linked sentences. Narrative story (Goodnight Mr Tom)- Revise speech punctuation (inverted commas)and adding action to extend speech, look at changing position of speech tag. revise apostrophes for contraction, revise fronted adverbials including subordinate clauses First person narrative- (The Silver Sword)-simile starter,' ing' clause starter and ending, revise apostrophes for possession Narrative-story (Alma)- Revise a variety of fronted adverbials, single dashes(dash-clarification), short sentences, empty sentences. Balanced argument-(Wall-E) Advantages and disadvantages of mobile technology. Adverbials to compare and contrast, someothers, adverbials to compare and contrast e.g. however, on the other hand, in contrast. |
| Mathematics | Algebra including investigating patterns and sequences, expressing missing word problems algebraically and using simple formulae Measures including metric and imperial units –converting between units. Finding area, perimeter of rectangles, triangles and parallelograms. Finding the volume of cuboids. Ratio and proportion. Handling data including pie charts and calculating averages Knowing some properties of circles. Shape |
| Science | Plan scientific investigations Explore electricity and changing circuits Learn electrical symbols Draw circuit diagrams |

| | Build circuits |
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| | Explore which materials act as electrical conductors |
| | Living things and their environment |
| | Characteristics of living things |
| Computing | E Safety |
| | Digital literacy: understanding how search engines work and |
| | how to use them effectively. |
| | Create a counting machine using 'Scratch' programming. |
| Art & Design | Drawing, Painting and i-media |
| | To look at how the human form is represented by various artists |
| | including Henry Moore, Giacometti and Barbara Hepworth. |
| | Begin to understand proportion in relation to the human figure. |
| | To use mannequins to show the human figure in different poses |
| | using various medium including large scale charcoal |
| | Focusing on the artistic movement of Futurism, show movement through the use of multiple lines. |
| | Using one stop animation to produce a short film capturing the |
| | figure in movement. |
| Geography | Our Changing World |
| | Weathering and erosion |
| | Coastal features |
| | Changing coastlines |
| | Changing boundaries and landscapes |
| | What does the future hold? |
| History | World War II |
| | Understand why WWII started. |
| | Understand why and how children were evacuated. |
| | Learn about the Home Front and the role of propaganda. |
| | Learn about the role of women in the war |
| | Begin to understand the events of the Holocaust |
| | Know the main events in WWII. |
| D.T. | Design and make a Teddy Bear. |
| | Learn how to create different stitches. |
| | Make a bear using old fabric('Make Do and Mend') |
| Languages | Les Vêtements (clothes) |
| Music | We shall use a Digital Audio Workstation (DAW) to create a |
| | composition, basing it around a story. |
| Physical Education | Creating class dances inspired by different cultures(India) |
| | Health Related fitness(circuit training) |
| | PE - Netball - developing skills and tactics for the game situation |
| | Tennis - developing and improving techniques and tactics |
| Religious Education | Christianity |
| | For Christians, what difference does it make to belong to God's Kingdom? |
| | Christians believe in eternal life in Jesus and they have a part to play in the work of God |
| | the Holy Spirit enables them in this way of living |
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| Personal, Social, |
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| Health & Economic |
| Education |

Dreams & Goals

- I can explain different ways to work with others to help make the world a better place.
- I can explain what motivates me to make the world a better place.

Healthy Me

- I can explain when substances including alcohol are being used anti-socially or being misused and the impact this can have on an individual and others.
- I can identify and apply skills to keep myself emotionally healthy and to manage stress and pressure.