

Our Year 6 Autumn Term 2 Learning Journey – 8 weeks

The Big Picture - An overview of this term's knowledge and skills; outlining curriculum principles, opportunities for cross curricular links and celebrating our learning

Bible Basis

"The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold." Psalm 18:2

British Values and PSHE

Celebrating difference
What is meant by faith and trust?

Force for Positive Change

Helping the homeless
Inclusivity

Values and Ethos

How trustworthy are you?

Big Bang:

Matthew Henson animated video

Trip:

Royal Opera House (in school)
Secret Listeners (in school)

Celebration:

Christmas Performance

A Changing World

Art/ D&T:

Painting

- Shades of black / white
- Mixing colours / materials
- Composition of paintings

Spanish:

At the shops

RE:

Remembrance

- Why is remembrance important?
- Peace at Christmas Time
- Prince of Peace
 - The Bible
 - Relevance in today's world

Computing:

Kodu Programming

- Investigate programming software
- 'When' / 'Do' instructions
- Landscape tools and features
- Analyse and deconstruct code
- Program a character
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Humanities:

Energy and Climate

- Energy mix in the UK
- Onshore wind power
- Nuclear power
- Climate change causes
- Climate change effects
- What can we do?

Maths:

Fractions:

- Simplifying fractions
- Compare and order fractions
- Adding and subtracting fractions
- Multiplying and dividing fractions
- Fractions of amounts
- Problem solving

Coordinates

- Plotting coordinates
- Translations / reflections
- Shapes with coordinates

Music:

- Musical styles – pop, soul & gospel
- Instruments – glockenspiels
- Using musical notation
- Singing in harmony

Science:

Light

- How does light travel?
- Reflection
- Shadows
- Rainbows
- Filters

English:

Core Text: The race to the frozen north

Writing:

- Historical narrative
- Nutcracker narrative
- Persuasive letter
- Persuasive speech on climate change

Spelling:

- Year 5/6 challenge words (ctd)
- Short 'i' sound spelt 'y'
- Long 'igh' sound spelt 'y'
- Prefix 'over-'

Grammar:

- Word classes
- Noun phrases
- Adverbial phrases
- Formal & informal writing
- Modal verbs
- Speech punctuation

PE:

- Invasion games
- Gymnastics - movement