

Hardwick Primary School Year 6 Curriculum Planner 2021-22

Autumn		Theme 1 – 7 weeks			Theme 2 – 8 weeks		
	Events	Harvest, Black History Month			Diwali, Remembrance, Children in Need, Anti-Bullying Week, No Pens Day, Hanukah, Christmas		
	CW/Ass	How do we feel about starting something new?			How can we be a good friend?		
	Theme	Blood Heart: What makes you tick?			Frozen Kingdom: Where are the polar regions?		
	Big	Start: Invite a doctor	Text: Wolves in the walls	Finish: Dissecting the heart.	Start: Visit the Snow Dome in Tamworth	Text: Shackleton's Journey by William Grill	Finish: Iceberg investigation
	Science	Blood Heart. Investigation: What can your heart rate tell you? Animals, including humans			Living things and their habitats (classification) - Antarctic animals and plants		
	Comp/ICT	Online safety and coding			Spreadsheets and blogging		
	Hist/Geog	Countries and cities in North and South America. Know the geographical similarities and differences between places			Locate the Arctic, Antarctic Circle and the Greenwich meridian on a map. Know how time zones work and calculate time differences around the world. Know about biomes and climate zones. Understand longitude and latitude.		
	Art/DT	Sculpture using recycled objects and mod-roc/plaster of Paris/paper mache – Artist Frank Stella			Create a digital image inspired by 'The Magpie' – Artist Claude Monet		
	Music	Perform parts from memory, with control, dynamics and awareness of others. Perform a range of songs in school assemblies and to a wider audience.			Perform a range of songs in school assemblies, school performance opportunities Composing using a variety of musical devices.		
	PSHE	Drug education			Being safe		
	English	Wolves in the walls text: recount text, explanation text			Persuasive text, discussion		
	Maths	Place value, Four operations, Negative numbers			Four operations with fractions, Decimals and percentages		
	RE	What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?			What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today?		
	PE	Football and Swimming			Tag rugby and Swimming		
	French	The Weekend			The Weekend		
Spring		Theme 3 – 6 weeks			Theme 4 – 6 weeks		
	Events	Chinese New Year, Safer Internet Day			Ash Wed, World Book Day, Science Week, Comic Relief, Vaisakhi, Easter		
	CW/Ass	What makes us special?			How can we do our best?		
	Theme	Child's War: What was the impact of war on children?			Darwin's Delights: How have animals adapted over time?		
	Big	Start: Pickford House trip	Text: Goodnight Mr Tom	Finish: Showcase evacuee teddies	Start: Why do I have brown/green/blue eyes?	Text: Darwin's tree of life. Michael Bright (author), Margaux Carpentier (illustrator)	Finish: Darwin's tree of life. Michael Bright (author), Margaux Carpentier (illustrator)
	Science	Electricity - Can you turn a light down?			Evolution and inheritance - Who was Charles Darwin?		
	Comp/ICT	Text adventures and networks			Quizzing and binary		
	Hist/Geog	Childhood in 1940s Britain. Cities and rural environments, Natural resources distribution and the impact on human activity, Scaled sketch maps and symbols			How living things adapted to climate/physical features of a place and biomes		
	Art/DT	Make an evacuee teddy using electrical components			Organise line, tone, shape and colour to represent figures and forms		
	Music	Use notation and compose 4 bars of music			Analyse features within different pieces of music.		
	PSHE	Changes			Growing up		
	English	Character description, Diaries			Biography, Newspaper writing		
	Maths	Algebra, Ratio and Proportion			Measure		
	RE	What matters the most to Christians and Humanists?			What do religions say to us when life gets hard? Christians, Buddhists and non-religious (e.g. Humanists)		
	PE	Netball and OAA			Hockey and Dance		
	French	World War 2			World War 2		
Summer		Revision – 5 weeks			Theme 5 – 7 weeks		
	Events	Ramadan, Eid al-Fitr International Diversity Day			Eid al-Adha, Transition Week, Health and Fitness Week		
	CW/Ass	How can we manage our feelings?			How do we feel about change?		
	Theme	SATs revision			Early Islamic Civilisation: What was the Golden Islamic Age?		
	Big	Start:	Text:	Finish:	Start: Telling stories around a visual fire pit	Text: Sinbad the sailor- tales- Marcia Williams	Finish: Invite a speaker
	Science	Revision			Light		
	Comp/ICT	Spreadsheets - excel			Spreadsheets - google		
	Hist/Geog	Revision			A non-European society that provides contrasts with British history		
	Art/DT	Cooking and nutrition -Use food labels to help choose the most healthy or appropriate ingredients and foods.			Create an accurate print design following criteria. Create overprint and collage to create different patterns and effects.		
	Music	Compare and contrast the style of music from different musical genres. Compare and contrast the impact of different composers from different times.			Compare and contrast the style of music from different musical genres. Compare and contrast the impact of different composers from different times.		
	PSHE	Money Matters			Being Safe		
	English	Poetry, Adventure Stories			Non-chronological reports, Myths		
	Maths	Geometry			Statistics		
	RE	What do religions say to us when life gets hard? Christians, Buddhists and non-religious (e.g. Humanists)			Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? Christians, Muslims, Buddhist, non-religious (e.g. Humanists)		
	PE	Rounders/Cricket and Gymnastics			Athletics and Swimming		
	French	Les Vêtements			Les Vêtements		