



Sherdley Primary School

Year 6 – Curriculum Yearly Overview

2024-25



		Autumn 1		Autumn 2		Spring 1		Spring 2		Summer 1		Summer 2	
Linked	English - Writing	War Horse and Alma (short film)		Charles Darwin's On the Origin of Species and How the Grinch stole Christmas		The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas by John Boyne		Shackleton's Journey by William Grill		The Last Wild by Piers Torday		You Wouldn't Want to be a Mayan Soothsayer by Rupert Matthews	
	Reading – Class Novel	Nightmare Hour by R. L. Stein				The Explorer by Katherine Rundell				Wonder by R. J. Palacios			
	Science	Light <i>How does the distance away from a light source change the length of a shadow?</i>		Evolution and Inheritance <i>Does a large beak increase the chances of survival?</i>		Living Things and their Habitats <i>How can we use a classification key to identify microorganisms?</i>		Electricity <i>How can we increase the brightness/power of a bulb/motor?</i>		Animals Including Humans <i>What exercise has the highest impact on heart rate?</i>			
	History / Geography	World War 1 <i>Why was it called the Great War?</i>		Southport <i>How has Southport changed over time?</i>		World War 2 <i>What impact did the Blitz have on the city of Liverpool?</i>		Rainforests <i>Why should the rainforests (the Amazon) be protected?</i>		Environment <i>What effect do humans have on the world we live in?</i>		The Mayans <i>Who are the Mayans and what have we learnt from them?</i>	
	Art / DT	Paul Nash <i>Painted artwork</i>		Festive Cushion – A present for a family member		David Hockney and Picasso <i>Drawn artwork</i>		Electrical Toy Car		Frido Kahlo <i>Collage</i>		Healthy South American-Inspired Meal	
Discreet	Maths	Place Value	Four operations	Fractions	Converting units	Ratio	Algebra	Fractions, decimals and percentages	Area, perimeter and volume	Statistic	Shape	Position and direction	Consolidation
	Computing	Coding	Online Safety	Spreadsheets	Blogging	Networks	Text Adventures	Quizzing	Understanding Binary				
	RE	Christianity (Church)		Hindu Dharma		Islam		Christianity (Jesus)		Buddhism		Christianity (God)	
	PE	Dance / Hockey / Swimming		Gymnastics / Basketball		Handball / Badminton		Fitness / Volleyball		OAA / Football		Athletics / Cricket	
	Music	Music and Technology		Developing Ensemble Skills		Creative Composition		Musical Styles Connect Us		Improvising with Confidence		Farewell Tour – Short Term Projects with St Helens Music Service - Samba	
	PSHE	Being Me in My World		Celebrating Difference		Dreams and Goals		Healthy Me		Relationships		Changing Me	
MFL	Revisiting Me / Telling the Time / Everyday Life		Home and Houses		Playing and Enjoying Sport		Funfair and Favourites		Café Culture		Performance Time / Transition / Language Puzzle		