



Year 6 – Curriculum Overview 2025-26

Autumn Term	Autumn 1
Year Group Poet	 <p>Benjamin Zephaniah</p>
Core Text	 <p>The Mysteries of Harris Burdick</p>
English	<p>Character and setting descriptions Story endings Poetry</p> <p><i>Consider all of the books you have read, or books someone has read to you. Who is your favourite character and why?</i></p>
Maths	<p>Place value – read, compare and order positive and negative numbers up to 7-digits. Four operations: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division. Using methods in context and applying to real life. <i>Can you demonstrate how to solve a calculation correctly?</i></p>
Science	<p>Light</p> <p><i>How does light travel? Which is faster, the speed of light or the speed of sound?</i></p>
Design and Technology	Not taught this term
History	Not taught this term
Geography	<p>Physical Processes</p> <p><i>What's the difference between a mountain and a volcano? What causes earthquakes?</i></p>
Art and Design	<p>Print making and textiles</p> <p><i>How can we create a surreal portrait? How can I create a print of my drawing?</i></p>
Music	<p>Swing music</p> <p><i>What is the swing style and how does it make you feel when you listen to it?</i></p>
P.E.	<p>Volleyball</p> <p><i>What are the similarities and differences between Volley Ball and Handball?</i></p>
Computing	<p>Online Safety</p> <p><i>How can we stay safe when we are online?</i></p>
Modern Foreign Languages	<p>At school- A'Lecole</p> <p><i>Do letters in the French alphabet make different sounds?</i></p>
R.E.	<p>Living by rules and Being fair and just</p> <p><i>Why are rules important?</i></p>
Personal, Social, Health and Economic	<p>VIPs</p> <p><i>What is a VIP? How do you consider yourself a VIP?</i></p>

Education (PSHE)	
Suggested Home Learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prepare a persuasive argument for change then, discuss with an adult/family members at home. This could be a change at a local level (e.g. chores you help) or a global issue (e.g. recycling facilities)/ • Plan the route for an Autumn Walk using Google Maps, an OS map or trail guide. Follow the route and enjoy the walk with an adult from home.
Events	Reading 'Learning Together' Workshop, Harvest Festival and Aim High Writers' Day