



**Medium Term Planning**  
**Year 6**  
**Autumn 2025 Second Half Term**



English	Mathematics
<p>In our writing lessons, we will be creating rhyming couplet poems. We will be using the book 'Sky in the Pie' as a stimulus for writing. These poems will give the children an opportunity to show creativity and humour in the writing. Following this, the class will write a debate for and against a topical issue using the appropriate features and sentence starters.</p> <p>In our grammar, punctuation and spelling sessions, topics covered will include: modal verbs, past progressive, subjunctive, relative clauses, expanded noun phrases, hyphens, dashes, and the present perfect tense. During our daily <b>reading</b> sessions, we will be practicing our VIPERS reading skills.</p>	<p>Following on from the fractions work during the first half term, the children will continue to apply the skills of simplifying and converting fractions when they: multiply fractions by integers, multiply fractions by fractions, divide fractions by integers, four rules with fractions and calculating the fractions of an amount. Following this, Year 6 will be completing the area of Geometry: Position and Direction including recognising translations and reflections in the first quadrant and all four quadrants.</p> <p><b>Arithmetic</b> sessions, we consolidate previous learning through practising the formal methods on all four operations as well as calculating prime numbers, factors, square and cube numbers to name a few.</p>
Art & Design	Computing
<p><u>Textiles/Sewing</u></p> <p>In art lessons, the children will be designing and assembling a waistcoat for a teddy bear. This will involve selecting from a range of tools and equipment as well as using the skills of cutting, shaping, joining and finishing accurately.</p>	<p><u>Spreadsheets/Excel</u></p> <p>This half term, we will be using spreadsheets as a way of collating, analysing, evaluating and presenting data.</p>
Design & Technology	Geography
<p><u>Healthy Meals</u></p> <p>During our DT week later in the term, we are going to plan a series of <b>healthy meals</b>; look at balanced diets and food labels. We will plan a series of healthy meals based on the principles of a healthy balanced diet. Use information on food labels to inform choices. Research and plan a savoury dish applying knowledge of techniques and ingredients.</p>	<p><u>Amazon Rainforest</u></p> <p>Next half term we will be studying the human and physical characteristics of the Amazon Rainforest. We will learn about the impact humans are having on the rainforests due to deforestation. We will also use atlases and maps to locate the rainforests of the world.</p>
History	Music
<p><u>The Roman Empire: Boudicca</u></p> <p>This half term the children will study the Roman Empire and its impact on Britain. We will focus on the warrior Boudicca and her resistance against the Romans. The pupils will research her tribe, how she became queen and how she is remembered today.</p>	<p><u>Chime bars/Christmas Songs</u></p> <p>We will continue to develop our skills on the chime bars as well as learning Christmas songs in preparation for performing at the Christmas performance. Later in the term, there will be lots of singing practice to prepare for our Christmas performance.</p>
Personal Social Health & Economic education (PSHE)	Physical Education (PE)
<p><u>Health and Well-being</u></p> <p>We will explain the importance of health and wellbeing focusing on the importance of looking after our mental health and the effects of this. The children will explore how and why we look after our bodies in terms of hygiene, exercise and diet.</p>	<p><u>Dance</u></p> <p>In <b>dance</b> this half term, we will have a specialist dance instructor working with the children. This will involve a range of moves and steps to music and include children working together and collaborating to perform a complete routine.</p>

Religious Education (RE)	Science
<p>Why religion looks different around the world.</p> <p>In RE lessons, we will explore how and why religion looks differently in various parts of the world. Building on the work in RE in our first half term, we will consider the different religions of the world and how people worship differently in different countries. We will have a focus on the Buddhism, Sikhism and Hinduism.</p>	<p>Light and Reflection</p> <p>The children will be investigating how and why light appears to travel in straight lines. We will explore different light sources and explain how we are able to see due to light travelling to our eye. The children will also learn about the different parts of the eye and their functions.</p>
In KS2 we learn French in our Modern Foreign Languages Curriculum (MFL)	
<p>In our French lessons we are going to learn how to communicate about our school including timetables, subjects, resources and likes/dislikes.</p>	