Tanners Brook Primary School: Year 6 Curriculum Map 2024 - 2025

| | Autumn 1 | Autumn 2 | Spring 1 | Spring 2 | Summer 1 | Summer 2 |
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| English | Beneath the Surface by Gary Crew: Transition unit from Yr5, read and explore the text, understand themes, make predictions, retrieve and infer, diary writing, poetry and suspense story ending Macbeth by William Shakespeare: Drama and role play to help understand the key themes, letter writing, persuasive writing and setting descriptions | In Flanders Fields by John McCrae: (3-5 day Remembrance focus across the school) Read and understand, words in context focus Street Child by Berlie Doherty: Victorian themed novel that links with History unit, read and explore the text, understand themes, make predictions, retrieve and infer, recount on life in the workhouse, a child labour non-chronological report, biography on a key person in history (Dr Barnardo) | Giant's Necklace by Michael Morpurgo: Read and explore the text, understand themes, make predictions, retrieve and infer writing in role (postcard), setting description and diary writing from the end of the story The Land of Neverbelieve by Norman Messenger: Non-fiction style book study to write our own non- chronological book in this style | The Land of Neverbelieve by Norman Messenger: | The Viewer by Gary Crew: Reading with a focus on inference and language, understanding picture clues Replay (Short Film): Understanding the need for subtitles, focus on skill – dialogue to move the action on, write short narrative based on scene Animals: Scientific non-chronological reports based on imaginary animals | The Maya: Linked to History unit, using knowledge of the Maya people and their lives to write a persuasive speech Transition Text The Wrong Shoes by Tom Percival: Explore the text at length, focusing on the themes of 'not fitting in', link to PSHE of moving on, writing in role from different viewpoints, write letters of advice looking back at the year |
| Maths | Number: Place Value Number: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division Fractions Number: BODMAS | Number: Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Number: Ratio Geometry: Properties of Shape Measurement: Area, Perimeter and Volume Measurement: Conversions and problem solving | Number: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division Geometry: Properties of Shape Geometry: Position and Direction Number: Algebra Statistics | Number: Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Geometry: Properties of Shape Consolidation and Revision | Consolidation and Revision Preparation for KS3: Consolidation, problem solving, investigations and themed projects | Preparation for KS3: Consolidation, problem solving, investigations and themed projects |
| Science | Living things and their habitats | Evolution and Inheritance | Light and shadow | Electricity | Animals including humans Enhancement: Life Labs | |
| Computing (Teach Computing) | Computing systems and networks – communication and collaboration | Creating media – web page creation | Data and information – introduction to spread sheets | Creating media – 3D modelling | | Programming B – sensing movement <u>Unit 7 – using the microbit</u> <u>for transition</u> |
| History | | The Victorians: Child labour and key people whose impact we see today | | | The Maya: The achievements of this civilisation | |
| Geography | Map and Field Work: Trip to Testwood Lakes | | America: Human and physical Geography | | | Earthquakes: Tectonic plates and how they happen, measuring earthquakes, aftermath and mitigation |

| Art (Access Art) | Typography | Painting/colour skills Exploring Macbeth through art- out damn spot | Exploring Identity- layered portrait | <u>Drawing skills</u> Mark making & sound part 3 Drawing Prompts | Art Project with theme: change/ memories etc | <u>Drawing skills</u> The geometry of chickens Portrait club |
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| DT | | Structures: Building bridges and towers | | | | Textiles – Designing and sewing a toy (EYFS project) |
| RE | Umma 5 pillars of Islam | Interpretation | Creation (Islam and Christian stories) | Salvation – the Christian Story | Faith Christian Bible stories | Rites of Passage Personal |
| PSHE | How can we keep healthy as we grow? | | How can the media influence people? | | What will change as we become more independent? How do friendships change as we grow? Transition – discussions about secondary school RSE – how a baby is made and born | |
| PE and Games (PE Hub) | Gym Unit 1 | Dance Unit 1 | Gym Unit 2 | Dance Unit 2 | Athletics | Athletics (Sports Day practice) |
| | OAA | Tag Rugby (IG) | Football (IG) | Basketball (IG) | Rounders (SF) | Tennis (NW) |
| Music (Sing Up!) | Hey, My Miller | Shadows Composing for protest! | Dona nobis pacem | You to me are everything Twinkle variations | Race! Exploring identity through song | Ame sau vala tara bal |
| MFL - French | Brief revision of greetings La nourriture (food) Expressing preferences | Les fruits et les legumes Past & present tense verbs Noel en France Comparing Christmas traditions | L'ecole (comparing French and British schools and learning about school subjects) | | | La salle de classe et la trousse (objects in a classroom and in a pencil case) |