

Year 6  
Autumn 2  
Our Curriculum

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**Key Skills :**

Spelling- ant, ance, ancy,ent, ence, able,ible,ably,ibly,fer  
Handwriting –legible, fluent and consistent speed.  
Grammar and punctuation –colon, semi-colons, dashes,noun phrases, passive verbs,

**Spoken Language**

Can you concentrate and join in class discussions?

Can you listen to your friends?

Can you talk about your own idea and explore others?

**RE**

The Birth Narratives  
Comparisons of the gospels.

**PSHE –**

Economics – understanding money

**PE and Games**

Football  
Developing skills for controlling and passing a ball, shooting on goal

Dances through the Century

**Mathematics**

Geometry-classifying geometric shapes based on their properties and sizes  
Measurement- perimeter and area  
Calculating volume, using formulae for area and volume of shapes  
Converting standard units  
Conversion graphs  
Algebra –using simple formula  
Statistics

**Art**

Sculpture/Clay  
USA - using famous America landmarks recreate an American sculpture  
Using Dalí's work to inspire our own designs.



**Science**

Evolution and Inheritance  
The work of Charles Darwin  
How do animals adapt to their environment?



**Music**

Cyclic patterns -  
Composing melodic cyclic loops based on 'Winds on the mountain'

**French**

The world around us (Continents, weather, landscapes -Africa)



**DT**

Controllable vehicles - using a motor to control it and test it with others.



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**Geography**  
America study

Vegetation belts/time zones  
Major cities and topographical features /Land use/ economic/industry/natural resources.



**English**

Poetry – exploring and understanding a range of poems.  
Non-chronological reports- Charles Darwin  
Narrative writing- The Giants Necklace

**Computing**

Spread sheets – Understanding and using Excel



# How can you help your child at home?

Below are some suggested activities you may like to try with your child.



How to be a scientist.

Who was Charles Darwin?  
Why is he an important figure?



How to be a geographer.

How many states are there in  
America?

Can you name any American  
cities?



## Ways to support your child:

Make sure you attend school daily and punctually.

Read together daily.

Practise times tables and spellings.

Support your child to complete their weekly homework.

Talk to your child about what they have been learning about in school.