

Curriculum Overview Year One to Year six

Year	Term	Science	PE	History	Geography	Art (Artist, craft maker and designer)	DT (Food, textiles and mechanical)	Music	Computing – E- Safety to be covered throughout
Year 1	Autumn	Animals including humans focusing on the human body and Seasons Animals including humans focusing on animals and Seasons	Dance and Striking and fielding	Changes within living memory - Schools in the past	The local environment (suggested visit local area)	Maryanne Moodie (Craft maker) – weaver	Textiles – cutting and sticking	Benjamin Britten	Programming and making things work with understanding - beebots
	Spring	Everyday materials and Seasons Plants and Seasons	Gymnastics and Invasion games	Events beyond living memory - Great fire of Newcastle (suggested visit to the Quayside)	UK capital cities	Lord Armstrong – John Dobson (designers)	Mechanical and structure – winding mechanisms e.g. incy wincy spider	Singing	Network and internet
	Summer	Plants and Seasons	Outdoor/ Adventure and Athletics	Lives of significant people - Mary Seacole	Physical and human features – beach contrasting with local environment (suggested visit Beach)	Maru Rojas – printing (artist)	Food – fruit salad	Un-tuned and tuned instruments	Programming and making things work with understanding And Network and internet And E-Safety

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Year 2	Autumn	Everyday materials Animals	Gymnastics and Striking and fielding	Events beyond living memory - Great fire of London	7 continents and 5 oceans	Jackson Pollock (artist)	Mechanical product – levers	Leopald Stokowski	E-Safety
	Spring	including humans Plants	Dance and Invasion games	Lives of significant people - Captain Cook	Hot and cold areas	Harry Clarke (glass craft maker) (suggested visit Sunderland glass centre)	Food – Traditional Australian food	Notation and vocab	Network and internet
	Summer	Living things and their habitats	Outdoor/ Adventure and Athletics	Changes within living memory - Houses and Homes (suggested visit local area and Beamish)	Deserts – both hot and cold	Zaha Hadid (designer)	Textiles - Weaving	Stomp	Programming and making things work with understanding
Year 3	Autumn	Rocks and fossils Light and dark	Swimming, Gymnastics and Invasion games – Netball	Stone age to Bronze age (suggested visit Rising Sun)	Counties and rivers in the UK Stand-alone knowledge – longitude, latitude and reminder about Equator	William Morris (designer)	Textiles – sewing focusing on running and back stitch	Stone age beats	Programming and making things work with understanding - Scratch
	Spring	Animals including humans	Swimming, Dance and Net and Wall – Tennis	Bronze age to Iron Age	Region of the UK (suggested visit Northumberland – Doddington Moor would also link to history)	Anthony Gormley (craft maker)	Food – Nutrition including health and hygiene	Hans Zimmer	E-Safety

	Summer	Magnets	Swimming, Outdoor/ Adventure and Athletics	Ancient Egypt (suggested visit Great North museum)	Europe	LS Lowry (artist) (suggested visit Tynemouth)	Mechanical – including hydraulics e.g moving monsters	Notation and vocab	Programming and making things work with understanding and Network and internet
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Year 4	Autumn	Living things and their environment Classifying living things – herbivores, carnivores and omnivores Environmental changes – detrimental Electricity	Gymnastics and Invasion Games – Netball and Hockey	The Romans (suggested visit Segadunum or mini-bus tour along the Roman Wall) Role play – turtle formation	Europe including Russia Stand-alone knowledge – Northern hemisphere, southern hemisphere, arctic and antarctic	Andy Goldsworthy (craft maker – sculptor) Natural resources collected from local area to create art work and sculptures	Textiles – Vivienne Westwood	Evelyn Glennie and trumpets	E-Safety
	Spring	Sound Sound walk How sound travels outside String telephones Living things Minibeast hunt Types of trees bark rubbings collecting leaves and classifying them – habitats – planting outside – look at ecosystems -	Dance and Striking and fielding – Tennis	Britain's settlement by the Anglo-Saxons and the Scots (suggested visit Bede's world) Den making	Scandinavia	Aron Johannsson (Scandinavian architect – designer)	Food – Scandinavian cooking including health and hygiene Camp food? Camp fires? Ideas	Singing and trumpets	Network and internet

	Summer	States of matter Melting outside – melting or freezing marshmallows Sand pouring	Outdoor/ Adventure and Athletics	Ancient Greece Greek pottery Inspired by local area Archaeology digs	Coasts and Castles (link to residential at Seahouses) Map work linked to castles along the coast – map out outside	Paul Henry (local artist)	Mechanical – Pop up books	Notation and vocab and trumpets	Programming and making things work with understanding
Year 5	Autumn	Forces Living things and their habitats	Gymnastics and Net and wall – Cricket	Ancient Civilizations – The Mayans C900AD	South America Stand-alone knowledge – tropics of cancer and Capricorn, prime /grenwich meridian and time zones (inclday and night)	Henri Rousseau (artist)	Food – British and South American classics	John Williams	Programming and making things work with understanding
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Year 5	Spring	Earth and Space Materials and their properties	Dance and Invasion games – Basketball and Hockey	Crime and punishment since 1066 (suggested visit to Safety works)	North America and Europe	Auguste Rodin (sculptor – craft maker)	Mechanical – Pulley	Holst and singing	Network and internet
	Summer	Materials and their properties Animals including humans	Outdoor/ Adventure and Athletics	Changing power of the Monarchs since 1066 – using case study of the Victorians	UK geography – hills and mountains (suggested visit – Pennines or Collage valley)	Renzo Piano (architect – designer)	Textile – cross stitch	Notation and vocab	E-safety
Year 6	Autumn	Living things and their habitats	Dance and Outdoor/ Adventure	A significant turning point in British history - World war 2 (suggested extended day visit to Eden	Cities of the UK and Europe - including European capitals	Henry Moore (artist)	Food – rationing	Singing	E-Safety and programming

				camp and visit to Eldon Square war memorial, Discovery museum)					
Year 6	Spring	Animals including humans Light	Gymnastics and Invasion games – Basketball and hockey	The Vikings and Anglo Saxon struggle for the kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor	The Arctic and Antarctic Stand-alone knowledge – Arctic, Antarctic, time zones (including day and night)	Louise Goodman (potter – craft maker)	Mechanical – cams	Vivaldi	Programming and making things work with understanding
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Year 6	Summer	Evolution and Inheritance	Striking and fielding - Cricket and Athletics	Local history – Mining, Shipbuilding, Railways, Transport, Armed forces – NOT castles (suggested visit depending on topic e.g Woodhorn Colliery for mining)	Canada	Lucie Carrasco (designer)	Textile - Batik	Notation and vocab	Network and internet