



Brunswick House
Primary School

Year 6 Curriculum Map



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Key Question/ Topic name	Tick Tick Boom!		Rrrr...evolution	When Worlds Collide	Warped Wonders	
Hook/Trip	1940's tea time Grandparents / great grandparents to come into school to share war time memories. 1940s tea-room and war-time recipes.		What's washed up? Message in a bottle Ragged clothes Sail	Story of a slave - film	What is ordinary? You think you know a guy...	Our blue planet – David Attenborough
Exciting end to the topic		Trench stew in the forest area	Making guillotines and chopping the heads off of bananas	Recording our 1 st person narratives as audio books – Ghost voices	Puppet shadow theatre	Arts Week
English	<p><i>Goodnight Mr Tom – Michelle Magorian</i> Writing from different character's viewpoints Letters – informal Diaries Narratives Reports Recounts Eulogy Inspirational speech-writing Propaganda</p> <p><i>War poetry:</i> <i>Charge of the Light Brigade (Alfred Tennyson), In Flanders Fields (John McCrae), The Soldier (Rupert Brooke), Dulce et Decorum Est (Wilfred Owen), Last Post (Carol Ann Duffy)</i></p> <p>Analysis of content, imagery, devices and meaning. Changing attitudes to war. Writing poetry - The trenches, Man's inhumanity to man, the aftermath</p>		<p><i>The Island by Armin Greder</i> Persuasive writing Letters – formal Advertising materials Scene descriptions Debate</p>	<p><i>Ghost Boys / Kira Kira (tbd)</i> Non-fiction writing Debate-prejudice Biographies / autobiographies Diary writing Formal / informal letters Narratives</p>	<p><i>Wonder by RJ Palacio</i> Debate Newspaper reports Letters – formal Diaries E-mails Narratives Non-fiction writing – research and presentation of factual material Instructions Debate Newspaper reports Letters – formal Diaries E-mails Narratives Non-fiction writing – research and presentation of factual material Instructions Making a documentary – preconception and prejudice</p>	
SPaG	<p>SPaG Parts of a sentence Determiners Pronouns Conjunctions Propositions Fronted Adverbials Expanded noun phrases Varied openers Subject and object</p>	<p>SPaG Figurative devices Clauses: main, subordinate, relative and how to punctuate Range of punctuation including semi-colons and colons Passive and active sentences Cohesive devices</p>	<p>SPaG Using SPAG as a tool to make our writing outstanding: use of dialogue to establish character or move the action on Creating switches in formality Choice of tools to establish writer's 'voice' Tenses – simple, perfect, progressive Subjunctive form</p>	<p>SPaG Editing processes – mastery of Revision of all concepts</p>	<p>SPaG Exam practice</p>	<p>SPaG Review of skills learned</p>

Maths	Number and Place Value, Negative Numbers, Multiplication and Division, Addition and Subtraction, problems involving all of the above. Factors and prime numbers. Fractions, decimals and percentages.	Measurements and statistics, Geometry – properties of shapes, Coordinates, positions of movement.	Fractions (including use of the four operations), decimals and percentages. Ratio and Proportion. Perimeter, area, surface area and volume of different shapes. Formulae	Number sequences, formulae, algebra – finding missing quantities. Revision of all concepts	Revision of all concepts Exam practice	Reasoning and problem solving using all learned concepts. Group projects – the business model, profit and loss, managing on a budget.
History	WW2 Causes, The Leaders, Dunkirk, The Blitz, The Home Front, Life for a soldier, The Holocaust D day, War in Europe, War in the Far East, Victory, The Aftermath.		French Revolution: The age of enlightenment to revolution American Revolution: The spread of ideas between continents Slavery, the abolitionists, North and South, the constitution			
Geography				The Americas – the nations, landscapes –tourism, ecosystems, industry and commerce, research and presentation of factual material		Changing world – features of landscapes, how coastlines change through the effects of the oceans and the weather, how boundaries and landscapes change through time, human impact
Science	Animals including humans The heart, the circulation system, the function of blood, transportation of nutrients, diet, lifestyle		Evolution inheritance, natural selection and adaptations, prominent scientists, fossils.	Living things Classification, characteristics	Light how light travels, shadows, reflections, how we see light.	Electricity circuits, different components, symbolic representations, variations in a circuit Spud lamp
RE	Expression of beings	Ahimsa, Grace or Ummah?	Christians and humanists		What do religions say when life gets hard?	
PSHE	Think positive	Respecting Rights	One World	Safety First	VIPs	Growing Up
Art	Artists of the battlefield Use of sketching techniques	Undiscovered corners of your community – recording our reality		Totem poles – clay sculpture		
DT		Trench Stew – outdoor cooking over an open fire – Forest Area	Pulleys and gears - guillotine	Electrical circuits - Creating our own products		
Computing	Animated stories	Spreadsheets and excel	Kodu programming	Website design	Film making	Using and applying skills
Music	Propaganda	Christmas			Create a film soundtrack	Arts Week

MFL	Spanish - Useful phrases	Food and mealtimes	Around the home	Music and celebration	On the way to school	Seasons and holidays
PE	Rugby Netball	Football Dance	Basketball Gymnastics	Hockey Tennis	Athletics Multi-skills	Cricket Rounder's

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