

## <u>St John's Catholic Primary School</u> <u>Curriculum Overview — Autumn Term Year 6</u>



Subject	Autumn 1		Autumn 2
RE	<u>Kingdom of God</u> – in this unit of work the children will develop an understanding of what the Kingdom of God is to all of us and how we are all a part of God's Kingdom.		<u>Justice</u> – in this unit of work the children will develop an understanding what justice is and how injustice can be overcome
Maths	Number and Place Value — read, write and order numbers to 10,000,000  Addition and Subtraction — mental calculations with mixed operations; order of operations; estimation to check answers  Properties of Shape — calculate, estimate and compare shapes under standard units of measure (cm³, m³).  Multiplication and Division — identify common factors, multiples, and prime numbers; mental calculations including mixed numbers and large numbers.  Fractions — compare and order fractions; common factors to simplify; recall and use equivalents.  Times tables recall to 12X12	H A L F T E R	Position and Direction — describe position on a four-quadrant grid; draw and translate simple shapes.  Decimals — add, subtract, multiple and divide with decimals.  Length - convert between miles and km; use, read, write and convert between measurements of length, mass, volume and time  Percentages — recall and use equivalences between simple fractions, decimals, and percentages.  Algebra — express missing number problems algebraically and use simple formulae.  Times tables recall to 12X12
English	Empathy  Star of Fear, Star  of Hope by Jo Hoestlandt  Writing Outcome: Fiction — Flashback Story.  Punctuation and Grammar Focus: relative clauses, modal verbs, adverbs, parenthesis, expanded noun phrases, commas, past and present tense.  Guided Reading- a range of fictions and non-fiction texts and a weekly comprehension exercise  Weekly spelling test: Friday  Year 6 are expected to read at home daily for a minimum of 10-15 minutes.  Comments to be recorded in the reading diary.  Reading books must be in school every day.	М	Responding  Can We Save the Tiger by Martin Jenkins  Writing Outcome: Report writing. Information, explanation and persuasion hybrid text  Punctuation and Grammar Focus: synonyms and antonyms, identifying nouns, verbs, adjectives and adverbs, subject and object, determiners, conjunctions and prepositions, word  classes within sentences and the subjunctive form.  Guided Reading- a range of fictions and non-fiction texts and a weekly comprehension  exercise  Weekly spelling test: Friday  Year 6 are expected to read at home daily for a minimum of 10-15 minutes. Comments to be  recorded in the reading diary.  Reading hooks must be in school every day.
Science	Light — During this unit of work the children will:  • Learn how light travels  • Be able to demonstrate how we see objects  • Know why shadows have the same shape as the object that casts them  • Know how simple optical instruments work.		Living Things and their Habitats — During this unit of work the children will:  • Be able to classify living things into broad groups based on characteristics and similarities and differences  • Know how living things have been classified  • Be able to give reasons for classifying plants and animals in specific ways.
Computing	<u>Graphic design</u> – The children will be able to edit images by choosing and using appropriate software.		<u>Computer Systems</u> – The children will be able to explain how computer systems work and be able to use a range of technology to support a specific project.
Geography, /History	<u>WWII</u> – During this unit of work, the children will investigate elements that led to the start of WWII. They will learn about the evacuations, rationing, the role of women, the holocaust and they will be able to explain the key events in chronological order.		Our Changing World – during this unit of work, the children will discover some of the many ways in which the world around them is changing. Children will learn about the structure of the United Kingdom and how its shape and geography have changed over thousands of years.
PE	Invasion Games — The children will develop their skills needed to participate in invasion games. They will be able to play to agreed rules, explain the rules to others, make a team and communicate a plan and lead others in a game situation.  Bootcamp		<u>Dynamic Dance</u> — The children will be able to develop a sequence in a specific style and choose music to suit their chosen style.  Boxercise
PSHE	Health and Wellbeing		Health and Wellheing
	<u>Eat Better</u> – healthy eating, food groups, balanced diet		<u>Citizenship/Financial/Other</u> - Think Positive, Mental Health, House of Lords, Remembrance

	Citizenship/Financial/Other - Safety First, Classroom rules, School	Day, Antibullying week
	Council, E-Safety, Global CAFOD, Harvest,	
Art/DT	Shadow Puppets – During this unit of work, the children will be working	<u>Light and Shadows</u> – During this unit of work, the children will learn how to use different
	on a project to create a shadow puppet performance. This will include	shades of pencils to create a range of tones and lines, they will research a famous artist and
	learning about the history of shadow puppets, creating a story and the	create their own artwork based on the artists style. The children will be able to explain why
	characters needed and eventually making their own shadow puppets. The	they have used different tools to create art; be able to explain why they have chosen specific
	children will be able to follow, refine, justify and evaluate their plans and	techniques; explain the style of work and how it is influenced by a famous artist.
	finished project.	
Music	<u>Christmas Carol Concert</u> – The children will be able to:	<u>Christmas Carol Concert -</u> The children will be able to:
	Sing in harmony	Sing in harmony
	Perform parts from memory	Perform parts from memory
MFL	<u>Let's Visit a French Town</u> – The Children will be able to talk about towns,	Let's Visit a French Town - The Children will be able to talk about towns, directions home and
	directions home and numbers. The children will be able to hold a simple	numbers. The children will be able to hold a simple conversation with at least 4 exchanges,
	conversation with at least 4 exchanges, they will be able to use their	they will be able to use their knowledge of grammar to speak correctly, they will be able to
	knowledge of grammar to speak correctly, they will be able to understand a	understand a short story or factual text and be able to write a paragraph of $4-5$ sentences.
	short story or factual text and be able to write a paragraph of 4 – 5	
	sentences.	
Homework	Daily Reading, Weekly Spellings, English and Maths will be set on a <b>Friday.</b>	