



Grimsargh St Michael's CE Primary School  
Curriculum Overview 2020 – 21



## Year 6

Overall Theme	Light up the World		Footprints		Road to Gold	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>English</b>	<p>Novel: The Nowhere Emporium</p> <p>Extended narrative based on the novel</p> <p>Hybrid information text: Magazine page (mini-biography/ discussion /report)</p> <p>Shakespeare – classic literature</p> <p>Short writing opportunities</p>	<p>Novel: Chitty Chitty Bang Bang/The Wizard of Oz</p> <p>Classic Fiction</p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup> person sequel based on the novel</p> <p>Discussion and Debate (cross-curricular geography)</p> <p>Short writing opportunities</p>	<p>Novel: Running Wild</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> person narrative based on the novel</p> <p>Biographies ( science)</p> <p>Short writing opportunities</p>	<p>Novel: Whodunit? Detective Stories Chosen by Philip Pullman</p> <p>Detective/ Crime fiction</p> <p>Explanation Texts (history)</p> <p>Short writing opportunities</p>	<p>Short stories with Flashbacks</p> <p>Alternative viewpoint stories</p> <p>Informal/ Formal instruction writing</p> <p>PSHE/Science Information leaflet</p> <p>Short writing opportunities</p>	<p>Recount</p> <p>Autobiography</p> <p>Poems on a theme</p> <p>Short writing opportunities</p>



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<b>Maths</b>	Number and place value including negative numbers  Mental and written: Addition Subtraction Multiplication Division  Fractions	Fractions: equivalent, simplifying, comparing, adding/ subtracting, multiplying /dividing, fractions of amounts  Position and directions – coordinates  Decimals – including multiplying, dividing and equivalent fractions Percentages	Percentages  Algebra  Measurement: converting units  Measurement: perimeter, area and volume  Ratio and proportion	Statistics  Geometry: properties of shapes including angles	Consolidation and preparation for SATs  Fractions, decimals and percentages  Number and place value  Addition Subtraction Multiplication Division	Consolidation, investigation and preparation for KS3  Algebra
<b>Science</b>	Light – How light travels, reflection and shadows.	Electricity	Evolution and Inheritance - Adaptation, survival of the fittest, reproduction.	Animals Inc. humans - Classification including subdivisions for vertebrates and invertebrates.	Health, Exercise and the Circulatory System	
<b>RE</b>	Life as a Journey	How do Christians prepare for Christmas	The Eucharist  The Exodus	Easter: Who was Jesus?	Ascension and Pentecost	Ideas about God
<b>Geography</b>	World's countries and key features – research (Oceans, continents) To develop an appreciation of and responsibility for the environment.			A local fieldwork study – My Local Area 'Footprints around the Village'		Tokyo – globally and topically significant features and events



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<b>History</b>	A local history project		Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England		British history beyond 1066 – sports through the ages	
<b>Art</b>	Harvest – painting concentric fruit patterns Kandinsky	Card painting stained glass candle Card painting Klimt	Topic –Textiles wool winding, weaving, sculpture – wire bracelet Viking portraits – squared paper – Picasso fragmented	Mothering Sunday card – painting flowers various artists Easter – torn collage	Topic – Sport through the ages – time line of sports – drawing movement Giacometti/Da Vinci Drawing/painting Still life of sports objects Van Gogh	Japanese artwork – drawing, painting, printing Manga images 3D drawing – perspective – Tokyo buildings from above
<b>DT</b>	Shelters – by the ocean	Topic - calendar – Recycled junk modelling Kandinsky Mondrian collage	Healthy eating – menu choices – Viking style bread		Fairgrounds	End of term play props scenery
<b>Computing</b>	Coding/programming 'All About Me' (scratch)  Online Safety	Gaming – Scratch/purple mash	Communication - Blogging (purple mash)  Online Safety	Create a multimedia presentation	Online Safety  Debugging	Multimedia advertising
<b>Music</b>	Shakespeare		Viking Saga Music		Summer production	Summer production
<b>PE</b>	Football (PNE)	Gymnastics  Dance?	Invasion Games (Handball/ Basketball)	Invasion Games (Handball/ Basketball)	Outdoor Adventure Activities (Borwick Hall)  Striking and Fielding Games	Striking and Fielding Games  Athletics
<b>PSHE/Value</b>	Being my Best (5 Ways to Wellbeing project)	Me and My Relationships	Valuing Differences	Rights and Responsibilities	Keeping Myself Safe	Growing and Changing/Sex and Relationships Education



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<b>French</b>	Revisiting me Time Everyday lives	Growing up My house your house Christmas come dine with me	Happy New year forfeit game Investigating sports	All the fun of the Fair Favourites	Cafe culture Eating out	Tour de France Class Performances Year 6 Presentations
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