

Long Term Planner: Topic & Science Key Stage 2, 2016-2017

Year 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
Topic	<p style="text-align: center;">Were the Vikings always Victorious and Vicious? (The Vikings and Anglo-Saxon struggles including: Viking raids and invasions, Alfred the Great, Viking invasions and Danegeld, Anglo-Saxons law and justice, Edward the Confessor)</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">I'm a Year 6 pupil, can you get me out of here? (Human Geography: The importance of raw materials such as water)</p> <p>(Use the eight points of a compass, four figure grid references, symbols and key (including OS maps) to build their knowledge of the United Kingdom and the wider world. Use fieldwork to observe, measure and record the human and physical features in the local area using a range of methods, including sketch maps, plans and graphs and digital technologies)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Will you ever see the water you drink again? (Physical Geography: mapping skills and fieldwork)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Why should the world be ashamed of slavery? (A non-European society: Benin)</p>		
Science	<p style="text-align: center;">Do all animals and plants start life as an egg? (All Living Things: life cycles of plants and animals, birth, growth, development and reproduction)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">How different will you be when you are as old as your grandparents? (Animals including Humans: changes as humans develop from birth to old age)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Have we always looked like this? (Evolution and Inheritance: fossils tell us about the past, off spring, changes to the human skeleton over time, Darwin)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Could you be the next Nintendo apprentice? (Electricity: electrical circuits, designing traffic lights)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">How can you light up your life? (Light: how light travels, the eye, shadows)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Practical Science Investigation Work</p>	
Texts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wolves in the Walls (PoR) • How to Train Your Dragon (Cressida Cowell – Planning Through Quality Texts Unit) • The Saga of Erik the Viking (Terry Jones) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Little Book of Growing Up (Vic Parker) • What Does Dead Mean? (Caroline Jay and Jenni Thomas) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kensuke's Kingdom (Michael Morpurgo) • When You Reach Me (Rebecca Stead) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Floodland (PoR) • Out of the Ashes (Michael Morpurgo) • Wordsworth Poems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Journey to Jo'Burg (Beverley Naidoo) • The Village that Vanished (Focus) • Coming to England (Floella Benjamin) • Olandah Equina autobiography 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	
Enrichment Opportunities	<p style="text-align: center;">Tullie House – How to Train Your Dragon exhibition Victorian Christmas at Muncaster Castle;</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Visit from Mountain Rescue; Visits to Wordsworth House & Whinlatter Forest; LDNP Water</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Visit to the Rum Story/Whitehaven Harbour</p>		
Curriculum in Action	<p style="text-align: center;">Christmas Songs</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Dance linked to topic</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Topic songs</p>		