



CURRICULUM OUTLINE - SUMMER TERM 2024

YEAR 6

English	Hamlet and Shakespeare's other works: writing a diary entry, writing newspaper articles and reviews, identifying and summarising key plot points, participating in active readings and drama activities. Spelling and reading throughout the term.
Maths	Mental arithmetic; UKMT Junior Challenge competition; expanding brackets and solving problems with brackets; probability; scaling; financial maths; problem solving; investigations; reasoning and explanation skills related to mathematical problems.
Science	Evolution: a study of adaptation, natural selection, similarities and differences of generations, and how scientists acquire this understanding using fossils. Light: recognising that light travels in straight lines, what happens when light reflects off surfaces, and how a shadow is formed and can be changed.
Computing and ICT	HTML & CSS: create basic webpages using HTML and CSS. Python: learning Python in Minecraft Education with MakeCode. Learn the basics of Python, including syntax, data types, variables, conditionals, 'for' and conditional loops, lists and functions.
History	Crime and Punishment: development of crime and punishment throughout the ages, making comparisons between eras and to modern times.
Geography	Japan: climate, physical geography, ecological features, map work.
Post 11+	Rehearsing and preparing for the end of year production – Shrek Jr. Skills to prepare for transition to secondary school, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• First aid• Personal hygiene• Healthy eating• Safety at home• Organisation – timetables, homework and time management• Making new friends• Navigation – planning and following routes; road safety
RE	Sikhism and Pilgrimages: exploring world views, understanding what impacts our beliefs, customs and traditions. Understanding key beliefs within the Sikh faith.

PSHEE	Healthy Relationships: considering and challenging stereotypes; learning to treat others with respect; to learn to resolve disputes and identify the qualities of a good friend; to learn how to communicate in a friendship; to know about the changes that happen during puberty and to understand the biology of conception.
French	Topics covered related to this term's French trip: look at key vocabulary and structures with the aim that they will seize the opportunity to practise what they have learnt during their stay in France.
Music	Music lesson time is used to learn songs for the end of year production. Participate in auditions and learn key skills of acting, singing and dancing as a soloist or ensemble.
Art	Places of personal significance: mixed media using aerial photographs. Re-imagined examples from art history: choice of drawing, painting, sculpture, or mixed media.
Games/PE	Cricket: advanced tactics. Athletics: Aviva UKA Awards in track and field. Sports Day. Dance: preparation for the end of year production. Swimming: SEAL award and distance awards.