



St Catharine's CE Primary School Curriculum Overview 2026-2027

YEAR 6 Long Term Map

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Enhanced Curriculum Experience:	Class residential Robinwood Bikeability Wigan Police Visit Ethos Day (Christmas)		World Book Day - Wigan Library Generation Wild - Martin Mere Wigan Museum – The Second World War (The Home Front) Experience Easter		Aspirations Week Arts Week Liverpool Cathedral – Leavers' Service Class celebration trip	
Parent engagement opportunity:	Macmillan Coffee Morning Christmas Carol Concert		Parent book sharing/quiz		Year 6 Enterprise/Summer Fayre Leavers celebrations	
Kay Annual Events:	Black History Month World Mental Health Day Remembrance Day		Children's Mental Health Day World Book Day National Story Telling Week Safer Internet Day		World Mental Health Day Sports Enrichment	
Christian Values:	Thankfulness	Trust	Perseverance	Justice	Service	Truthfulness
British Values:	Democracy	Mutual Respect and Tolerance	Rule of Law	Individual Liberty	Mutual Respect and Tolerance	Democracy
Subject Area:	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English Writing:	Linked text: Holes – <i>Louis Sachar</i> - Letter formation - Place Value of Punctuation and Grammar (PVPg) - Non-chronological report: Famous Outlaws	Linked text: Malamander - <i>Thomas Taylor</i> - Narrative (Setting description): Oddly – on - Sea	Linked text: Letters from the Lighthouse – <i>Emma Carroll</i> - Narrative (characterising speech): Surviving the Air Raid - Narrative: Danger at the Lighthouse (evacuee story)*	Linked text: The Final Year – Matt Goodfellow - Recount (diary entry): The Last Year - Explanation text: The Circulatory system*	Linked text: The Final Year – Matt Goodfellow (SATS) - Poetry	Linked text: Darwin's Dragons - Non-Chronological Report : The Galapagos flying lizard - Recount (diary): Charles Darwin – A new discovery - Persuasion: Puffins*

Reading and Spelling:	See English coverage document for full breakdown of reading and spelling focus				
Maths:	- Number/Place Value - Addition and Subtraction	- Multiplication and Division - Fractions, Decimals, Percentages	- Fractions, Decimals, Percentages - Statistics - Ratio - Geometry	- Algebra - Measurement - Perimeter and Area - Time - Position and Direction <i>SATS REVISION</i>	Consolidation and themed projects
Science:	Living things and their habitats - What is classification?	Electricity - How can circuits vary?	Animals inc. humans - How do an animal's living systems work together to maintain a healthy body?		Evolution and Inheritance - What is evolution? Light - How does light help us understand the world around us?
R.E:	Life as a journey: Is every person's journey the same? Why do people of faith make pilgrimages? Hinduism, Islam, Judaism, Sikhism	Advent: How do Christians prepare for Christmas?	The Eucharist: Why do Christians celebrate the Eucharist? Jesus: Who was Jesus? Who is Jesus? Who was Jesus? Judaism, Islam	The Exodus: Why is the Exodus such a significant event in Jewish and Christian history? Judaism	Ascension and Pentecost: What is the importance if Ascension and Pentecost to Christians? God: What is the nature and character of God? Have you discovered about any beliefs about God in common across different faiths? Hinduism, Islam
History:	Crime and Punishment The big question: How has crime and punishment changed over time in Britain?		World War II The big question: What role did Britain play in World War II, and how did this impact outcome of the war?		
Geography:	Biomes and ecosystems The big question: What trees, plants and animals are in our local ecosystems?		Economic activity of the UK The big question: What is the economic activity of the UK and how sustainable is it?		Fieldwork: Sustainability The big question: How can our school reduce its plastic waste?



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Design and Technology:	<i>Cooking and Nutrition: Come Dine With Me</i>		<i>Textiles: Bags</i>		<i>Digital World: Navigating the World</i>	<i>Electrical Systems: Steady hand games</i>
Art and Design:		2d drawing to 3d making: Drawing, sculpture, graphic design collage		Exploring Identity: Collage, drawing		Shadow Puppets: Making, drawing
Computing:		Computing systems and networks: Exploring AI	Online Safety: Year 6	Programming: Exploring Python		Data Handling: Big Data 1
Physical Education:	Fitness Football Rugby	Gymnastics Handball	Dance Dodgeball	Basketball Netball	Athletics OAA	Cricket Rounders Golf
R.H.E	Families and Relationships	Health and wellbeing	Safety and the changing body	Citizenship	Economic wellbeing	Transition
Music:	Songs that speak: Lyrics and messages		Music technology: Film Soundtracks			Leavers: Our story in song
MFL (Spanish):		Clothes in Spanish		Shopping in Spain	Free time in Spain	
SMSC:	Our year 6 curriculum promotes children's spiritual, moral, social and cultural development, ensuring that they are prepared to be reflective about and responsible for their actions as good citizens.					