St Margaret's at Cliffe Curriculum Overview for Year 6 Term 2 2018 - 2019

English

Writing

- -Always write legibly and fluently and with increasing speed
- -Select the appropriate form of writing after identifying the audience and purpose of the writing
- -Draft and write by selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary and understand how such choices can change and enhance meaning
- -In narratives describe setting characters and atmosphere and integrate dialogue to convey character and advance the action
- -Proof read for spelling and punctuation errors and to improve my work

Reading

- -Summarise main ideas, identifying key details and using quotations for illustration
- -Compare and contrast the styles of different writers and provide examples.
- -Use skills of skimming, scanning, text marking and knowledge of the genre to identify the main points.
- -Clearly identify and retrieve relevant points and key ideas from different points in a text and across a range of texts.
- -Retrieve information from non-fiction
- -Understand the motives of characters; I can explain their personality, with evidence from the text, to justify this.
- -Refer to the text to support my predictions and provide examples.
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Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

- -Identify synonyms and antonyms; identify the possessive pronoun e.g. *her, our, my*; compose expanded noun phrases and apply to writing; evaluate own and others' noun phrases to consider their effect
- -Secure understanding of four sentence types; evaluate own and each other's writing in order to check for variation of sentence types to interest the reader; identify rhetorical questions in texts
- -Identify parenthesis in texts; discuss the extra information provided; model variety of punctuation to indicate parenthesis; dictate sentences
- -Edit sentences or short paragraphs which mix tenses erroneously; sort sentence cards in the present perfect / past perfect tenses e.g. *He's left the room / She had loved having a pet*
- -Practise punctuating parenthesis, using pairs of commas, dashes or brackets; identify ellipsis in texts; edit deliberate punctuation errors; dictate sentences
- -Discuss and collect further nouns made from adjectives, with the suffixes *ance/ence* e.g. *innocence (innocent)*; define and discuss effective vocabulary in class text /poetry, including figurative language; use a thesaurus

Mathematics

Shape, position and measure

- -Express the relationship between radius and diameter as d=2r or 2 x r
- -Describe position using co-ordinates in all 4 quadrants on a 2D grid in the first quadrant after a reflection in either the horizontal or vertical axes.
- -Draw positions of points in the first and second quadrants of a 2D co-ordinate grid
- -Identify, describe and represent the position of a shape following a reflection
- -Use, read, write and convert between standard units, converting measurements of length and mass, from a smaller unit of measure to a larger unit, and vice versa, using decimal notation to up to 3 decimal places.
- -Convert between miles and kilometres.
- -Compare and classify geometric shapes, including any quadrilaterals, regular polygons and triangles, based on their properties and sizes
- -Know that the diameter is twice the radius.
- -Recognise angles where they meet at a point, are on a straight line, or are vertically opposite, and find missing angles.
- -Use conventional markings for lines and angles in geometrical drawings and sketches.
- -Recognise that shapes with the same areas can have different perimeters and vice versa.
- -Calculate the area of triangles using the formula ½ base x perpendicular height.
- -understand how the area of parallelograms can be calculated
- -Calculate areas by substituting values into formula (triangle: 1/2 b x h; rectangle l x b; parallelogram l x h

<u>Data</u>

-Interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts line graphs and pie charts

Calculation

- -Explore order of operations (e.g. BODMAS) using brackets.
- -Use rounding to check answers to calculations and determine, in the context of a problem and levels of accuracy
- -Use brackets in simple calculations
- -Divide 4-digit numbers by 2-digit numbers using the formal method with remainders
- -Multiply 4-digit numbers x 2 digit numbers using long multiplication.

Music

Singing and performing

- -Perform with control and expression solo and ensembles using their voices with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- -Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory
- -Appreciate and understand recorded music from different traditions

Art

Theme: People in action

- -Use sketch books to record observations
- -Improve mastery of drawing techniques

History

A significant turning point in British **History WWII**

- -Develop a chronological understanding of the period
- -Develop the appropriate use of historical and abstract terms and historical concepts such as continuity and change
- -Address and devise historically valid questions about change, cause, similarity and difference and significance
- -Understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources

Computing

Effective use of search engines & coding

- -Locate images and use advanced search techniques and explain who to contact if they have search content concerns.
- -Explain web page delivery and name different
- -Name common web addresses extensions and explain what they represent and evaluate web pages for reliability.
- -Evaluate websites for bias and tag for bookmarking.
- -Describe and name a URL
- -Learn the basic principles of constructing a computer programme

RE

- -Understand what Ahimsa, Grace or Ummah mean to religious people.
- -Make connections between beliefs and behaviour in different religions.
- -Explain similarities in ways in which key beliefs make a difference to life in two of three religions.
- -Outline the challenges of being a Christian, Muslim or Hindu in Britain today

PSHE

Aims and Values of our School – To understand respect and tolerance.

- -Anti-bullying
- -Understand what bullving is.
- -Understand the different types of bullying.
- -Understanding what to do if a witness to bullying.
- -Understand ways to stop bullying.
- -Understanding how to be a good friend.
- -Accepting and coping with differences.
- -Cyber bullying.

Design and Technology

Preparing a WWII meal

- -Prepare and cook a variety of predominately savoury dishes
- -Understand seasonality
- -Understand principles of a healthy and varied diet

Modern Foreign Languages

- -Listen attentively to spoken language and show understanding by joining in and responding
- -Develop appropriate pronunciation
- -Engage in conversations
- -Speak in sentences
- -Read carefully and show understanding of words phrases and simple writing.
- -Appreciate stories, songs, poems and rhyme in the language

Physical Education

Football/Gym

- -Play competitive games and apply basic principles suitable for attacking and defending
- -Develop technique, control and balance
- -Compare their performances with previous ones and demonstrate improvement to achieve their personal best
- -Perform balances in contact with a partner and counterbalance partner's weight in a balance.
- -Practice using different moves to position in and out of different balances and use in different activities
- -Design a circuit including jumping, balancing and partner activity in a group and perform flight sequence with still partner.
- -Perform cartwheel, forward roll and forward roll flip (horse)
- -Perform a sequence involving: flight, roll and piece of equipment.
- -Self evaluate progress.

Science - Light Cycle

- -Assess prior knowledge
- -Know how to represent light travelling and explain how things are seen.
- -Communicate ideas using scientific vocabulary
- -Know that some materials reflect light
- -Make predictions about everyday experiences (reflections)
- -Repeat measurements
- -Provide conclusions consistent with evidence
- -Know which materials are best at reflecting light
- -Explain why shadows change and represent data on line graph.
- -Identify factors which might affect appearance of shadow
- -Repeat observations and measurements
- -Draw conclusions consistent with evidence and begin to relate these with scientific knowledge and understanding
- -Evaluate results in terms of accuracy and reliability
- -Select from a range of equipment and plan to use effectively
- -Communicate findings using scientific vocabulary/conventions