

Whole School Overview

This whole school overview gives a brief outline of each term, for each year group. Each term & half-term is made up of the following:

Theme: Our curriculum is split into three themes (The Churchfield R's). Each theme links to a wider global citizenship issues. Respect (Peace & Conflict), Responsibility (Sustainable Development) and Resilience (Identity & Relationships).

Aspect: The aspect in half-term relates to the specific part of the Global Theme that a cohort will focus on. These are broad and well-balanced across all year groups, and address real world issues and concepts that we feel our pupils need to have a deep knowledge of.

Focus: The focus of a half-term is the context that an aspect will be delivered through – some subjects will be drivers and intertwined with this aspect, others will be taught as discrete topics.

Core Text(s): The Core Text is the main stimulus for that term's learning. These texts are chosen specifically to link to the Global Theme, Aspect and Focus and provide our pupils with engaging and thought-provoking texts, that also have a focus on widening vocabulary.

Our curriculum is designed so that whilst the Global Themes & Aspects covered will remain broadly the same year-on-year, the focus and specific content may change and adapt to suit the specific needs of a cohort and reflect what is happening in the world at that point.

YEAR 1						
TERM	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2
THEME	Self-Belief	Determination	Respect	Teamwork		
ASPECT	Self-Identity	Determination	Protecting The Environment	Keeping Safe	Differences	
FOCUS	Who Am I?	Weather & Extreme Environments	Animal Habitats	People Who Help Us	What Makes Us Different?	
CORE TEXT(S)	Our House; Beegu; Super Pigs	Singing in the Rain; On a Magical Do Nothing Day; Lost & Found	Dear Green Peace; The Gruffalo	The Rescue Party; Traction Man; Non-Fiction Books	The Sneetches	
YEAR 2						
TERM	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2
THEME	RESILIENCE		RESPONSIBILITY		RESPECT	
ASPECT	Managing Emotions	Strength & Resilience	Preserving Wildlife	Managing the Environment	Leadership	
FOCUS	Happiness	Inspirational People	Extinct Creatures & Dinosaurs	Deforestation & Global Warming	The Royal Family & Landmarks	
CORE TEXT(S)	Inside Out; The Mood Hoover; Happiness is; The Tide;	Grandpa Mandela; Little People Big dreams	We Will Miss Them; Hello Mr Dodo; Dinosaur Department Store;	The Lorax; Greta & The Giants	The Queen's Knickers; Katie in London	
YEAR 3						
TERM	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2
THEME	RESPECT		RESILIENCE		RESPONSIBILITY	
ASPECT	Displacement	Hierarchy	Impact of Conflict	Self-Worth & Reflection	Waste	
FOCUS	Anne Frank & Refugees	Kings & Queens	Migration & Asylum	Dreams & Aspirations	Recycling & Reusing	
CORE TEXT(S)	Little People Big Dreams (A Frank); Goodnight Mr Tom	Ice Palace	Azzi In Between	The BFG	One Plastic Bag	
YEAR 4						
TERM	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2
THEME	Determination		Respect	Self-Belief		
ASPECT	Imbalance of Power	Hazardous Places & Journeys	Dealing with Loss	Gender Equality	Changing Behaviours	
FOCUS	Slavery & The Slave Trade	Middle East Conflicts	Egyptians (Death & the after-life)	Stereotyping (toys & media/ news)	Ocean Plastic & Impact	
CORE TEXT(S)	Henry's Freedom Box; Wilma Unlimited	Oranges in No Man's Land	The Finding of Freddie Perkins	Boy in the Dress	Garbage Guts	
YEAR 5						
TERM	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2
THEME	Honesty	Respect	Determination	Teamwork	Passion	Self-Belief
ASPECT	Points of View	Global Relations	Medical Ethics & Advancements	Epidemics/ Pandemics	Exploration & Technology	
FOCUS	Crime & Punishment	WW1 Leaders & Beginning	Organ Donation & Advancements	The Bubonic Plague & Modern Epidemics	The Universe	
CORE TEXT(S)	The Highway Man	War Games; War Horse	Pig Heart Boy	Children of Winter	20,000 Leagues Under The Sea	
YEAR 6						
TERM	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2
THEME	Respect	Determination	Passion	Honesty	Teamwork	Self-Belief
ASPECT	Prejudice & Persecution	Racism & Equality	Society & Class	Personal Struggles	Distribution of Wealth & Finances	
FOCUS	The Holocaust	US Civil Rights Movement	1984 Miners' Strike	Homelessness	World Economics & Budgeting	
CORE TEXT(S)	The Boy in Striped Pyjamas	Stella By Starlight	A Kestrel for a Knave	Stone Cold	Lottery Boy	

*The phonics scheme that school follows is *Letters & Sounds*