Year 6 Curriculum Leaflet Autumn Term One

Subject	We will be learning about
Writing	 Poetry, diary writing, story writing and recounts of fictional events.
	How their writing skills can be linked to our study of World
	War II and our core text to ensure they have enough prior
	knowledge to enhance their writing.
	How to apply colons and semi-colons accurately
	How to experiment with vocabulary to enhance their articulacy
	How to use personification and metaphors
Reading	Our core text, 'Goodnight Mister Tom'.
GOODNIGHT MISTER TOM	The adventures and relationships between our main
	characters, William Beech and Mr Thomas Oakley.
	My Book Blog and how to use this to demonstrate their
	understanding of the text so far as well as to aid the reading
	and understanding of their personal choice of book from our
T I HT	extensive class library.
Maths 6159	place value and decimal numbers
	 reading different scales and intervals
	 applying the standard written methods for all 4 rules of
	number to solve problems
	 negative numbers and differences
	 2d shapes and their correct names and properties
	 Percentages of amounts
Art	 How to combine colours, tones and tints to enhance the mood
	of a piece.
	 Use a variety of techniques to add interesting effects
	 Create an accurate pattern, showing fine detail.
Science	How to classify living things
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	easily be affected
	 How scientists have classified living organisms for centuries and
	how these have stayed the same/changed and why.
Music	 Reading lyrics and understanding how the melody and temporary
Widsic III	can enhance the meaning of a song.
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PE	P.E. lessons will take place on Friday afternoons. Please ensure that you child has the correct kit for both indoor and outdoor use as weather permitting, the children will spend some of their lesson outside partaking in contact sports.
RE +	 The comparisons and contrasts between Christianity and Islam. The everyday practises of both religions and will consider what they do the same and what is different.
History	 Why World War II began The impact it had on British children, evacuation and rationing Developing their enquiry skills to further aid their learning and thinking skills as a historian.
PSHE	Our hopes and aspirationsThose who can influence our decisions
French	actions & directions in FrenchSpoken articulationWritten accuracy

Home Learning	You can help me at home by
Spellings	 Practising my spellings with me. They will be handed out each Monday They will be tested each Thursday
Maths	 Practising my times tables with me Play Hit the Button online Accessing BBC Revise Wise and play games associated with the learning that has taken place in class over the week.
Reading	 Reading with me at least 4 times per week – although Y6 are older, it is still nice to listen to them read. Check for fluency and accuracy as well as intonation and expression. Completing My Book Blog after the given chapters. Making sure that I change my book in the class library when I am ready to.
Homework Project	 Checking what the homework project is and when the deadline is. Making sure that I start my research for the project in plenty of time and that I make a start sooner rather than later. Making sure that I bring my project into school by the deadline.