







Donisthorpe Primary School Curriculum Map- Year 6

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	To entertain: Narrative – building suspense To inform: Formal letter	To persuade: Essay/Speech	To entertain: Narrative – classic fiction To discuss: Debate/Balanced argument	To inform: Journalistic writing, including biased and non-biased	To entertain: Narrative – mix of genres	To entertain: Narrative - film script To entertain: Poetry - song
Reading	Whole class reading taught through variety of extracts appropriate to year group. Whole texts covered: The Boy at the Back of the Class; Beetle Boy; Letters from the Lighthouse; Holes					
Maths	Place Value Addition/Subtraction Multiplication/Division	Order of Operations Fractions Position and Direction	Decimals Percentages Algebra Converting Units	Perimeter, Area and Volume Ratio Statistics	Properties of Shape Consolidation	Consolidation Investigation Focus Preparations for KS3
Science	Investigation Skills Focus	Light	Evolution and Inheritance	Electricity	Living Things: Classification	Animals Including Humans: Circulatory system; Impact of diet, exercise and drugs
History	Heroes of British history		Queen Victoria's reign		How has Leicestershire changed over the past 100 years?	
Geography		Location/Place Knowledge: Africa		Human and Physical Geography: Investigating coasts		
Computing	Unit 6.1 Coding	Unit 6.3 Spreadsheets	Unit 6.4 Blogging Unit 6.2 Online Safety (Education for a	Unit 6.5 Text Adventures Unit 6.2 Online Safety (Education for a	Unit 6.6 Networks	Unit 6.7 Quizzing

			Connected World, linked to PSHE)	Connected World, linked to PSHE)		
Online Safety	Self-Image and Identity, Online Relationships, Online Reputations, Online Bullying, Managing Online Information, Health, Wellbeing and Lifestyle, Privacy and Security, Copyright and Ownership					
Art		Matisse – Creole dancer Painting - Jackson Pollock winter scenes	Painting/Drawing - LS Lowry		Sculpture – local 'Black to Green' art project	
DT		African Instruments		Fairground models (link with science)		
Music Throughout each unit children: Listen and Appraise Participate in Musical Activities Create and Explore Perform and Share	 Happy	 Classroom Jazz 2 Appreciation and understanding of variety of music/History of music	 A New Year Carol	 You've Got A Friend	 Music and Me	 Reflect, Rewind And Replay
PSHE	Rule of Law <i>British Values</i> Democracy <i>British Values</i> Individual Liberty <i>British Values</i>		Behaviour and Safety (including online safety) Mental Health (including online safety)		Sex and relationship education Drug/alcohol/tobacco education (linked to Science) Physical health (linked to Science)	
PE	Invasion Games	Ball Games Swimming	Net/Wall Games	Multi Skills Gymnastics	Striking and Fielding Dance	Athletics

RE	Unit 2.3 What do religions say to us when life gets hard? (Christians, Hindus and non-religious)		Unit 2.5 Is it better to express your religion in arts and architecture or in charity and generosity? (Christians, Muslims and non-religious)	Unit 2.7 What matters most to Christians and Humanists? (Christian and non-religious)		Unit 2.8 What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa, Grace, and Ummah? (Hindus, Christians and Muslims)
Character Muscle Focus	Humour	Curiosity	Empathy	Courage	Reflecting	