Chapel St Leonards Primary School

Year 5/6 Curriculum Overview Cycle A

	Autumn Term (Terms 1 and 2)	Spring Term (Terms 3 and 4)	Summer Term (Terms 5 and 6)
Theme	A Child's War	Hola Mexico!	Allotment
Wow! Launch	East Kirkby? We'll meet again – Freiston?	Mexican party – Day of the Dead	Lincolnshire Show (June)
English	NF: Recount (Diary: Point of view of an	NF: Persuasion (holiday advertisements,	NF: Explanation (How plants grow,
	evacuee – dress as an evacuee for trip –	leaflets, deforestation letters to chocolate	comparison between animals)
	informal style like Donut diaries to build	company)	NF: Non-chronological reports (animals)
	parenthesis)	NF: Instructions (Preparation for Day of	
	NF: Discussion/debate (Should the UK help	the Dead/DT)	F: Wallace and Gromit – Curse of the
	other countries)		Were-Rabbit
		F: Stories with issues (Visual lit – Coco)	
	F: Historical fiction/ visual literacy (Good		Poetry – select a particular poet
	night Mr. Tom or War Horse)	Play scripts: Shadow puppets (Recreate a	
		nursery rhyme with a twist)	
	Poetry (Remembrance)		
	May Hill poems (Chapel born poet	Performance poetry	
	Dulce et decorum est		
SPAG – statutory year	Y5: Relative clauses (who, which, where,	Y5: Relative clauses (omitted pronouns)	Y5: Modal verbs and adverbs
group requirements	when, whose, that)	Y5: Cohesion within and across paragraphs	Y5: Commas to avoid ambiguity
	Y5: Parenthesis (brackets, dashes and		
All objectives to be	commas)		
threaded throughout the year. Recap of previous			
year's objectives will be	Y6: Difference in informal and formal	Y6: Synonyms and antonyms	
needed.	language	Y6: Passive and active voice	
	Y6: Subjunctive mood	Y6: Semi colons and colons	
Word class identification	Y6: Build cohesion with a wider range of	Y6: Hyphens to avoid ambiguity	
key throughout years	devices (repetition, adverbials like 'in		
* Full list in NC doc	contrast, consequently' and ellipsis		
Science	Y5: Forces	Light and shadows	Plant reproduction and life cycles
	Y6: Evolution and Inheritance	_	Life cycles of mammals, amphibians
			insects and birds
			Y5: Living things and their habitats

			Y6: Animals: Humans
Computing	Using search technologies	SO 5.6 We are architecs	Using the web, word processing
SO = Switched on	Using presentation software		SO 6.1: We are app planners
computing unit	SO: 5.5 We are bloggers		
Geography	Human Geography	Using maps	Land use
	Cities of the UK	Human and physical geography of Mexico	Food origin
			Geographical skills and fieldwork
			Map work
			Climate
History	The Second World War	Ancient Maya civilisation	
		Ancient Greece	
Art		Sculpture	Botanical drawing and painting
		Maya art	Wire sculpture
		Carving	
DT	Following recipes	Food of Mexico	Cooking and nutrition
	Building structures	Evaluating and making instruments	Making planters
			Making structures for growing plants
RE	God: What do people believe about God?	Being human: How does faith and belief	Big Questions and Forgiveness (Lincs)
	(Lincs) (Christianity and Islam)	affect the way people live their lives?	Y5 – Guru Arjan Gurpurab (Sikhism)
	Incarnation (UC)	(Lincs) (Christianity and Islam)	(Cornerstones)
	Y5 – Holi (Hinduism) (Cornerstones)	Salvation (UC)	Y6 – Bandi Chhor Divas (Sikhism)
	Y6 – Kumbh Mela (Hinduism)	Y5 – Passover (Judaism) (Cornerstones)	(Cornerstones)
	(Cornerstones)	Y6 – Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur	
		(Judaism) (Cornerstones)	
PE	Gymnastics (T1) Dance (T2)	Gymnastics (T3) Dance (T4)	OAA (T5) Athletics (T6)
	Games: Passing and receiving	Games: Invasion games	Games: Striking and fielding / Swimming
Music	Listening, performing and composing	Mexican music, musical notation	Food and Staying Healthy (Charanga)
PSHE	Health and Wellbeing	Relationships	Living in the wider world
	Organisation	Initiative	Leadership
	Resilience	Communication	
Trips/Visit/Visitors:			
Outcome/Celebration:			
Themed Week:	Science	History	Science

Y5: Forces	Ancient Greece	Y5: Properties and changing materials
Y6: Evolution and Inheritance		Y6: Animals: Humans