

Curriculum Map

Summer Term Year 6

Our Place in the World



At Our Lady and St. Hubert's, home, school and parish work together, knowing that God is with us in all we do.



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CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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At Our Lady and St. Hubert's we are strengthened by our diversity and range of family backgrounds and this theme celebrates who we are. Children will learn about the history and geography of people – who we are, where we come from and why many people choose to settle and live where they do – particularly in our local area and Great Britain. Children will celebrate who they are through creating self-portraits; community events held within school will celebrate our range of family backgrounds; children will discover more about the variety of faiths followed by our local communities, underpinned by learning about the values that we have in Britain. Enrichment visits to local places of worship, will enhance children's understanding of a variety of faiths.

See below for further information on how Year 6 explore this theme.

Geography

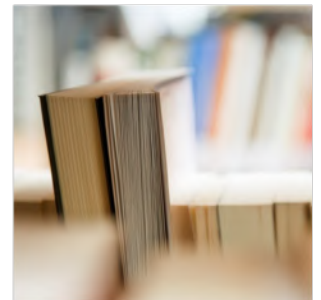


Urban and rural areas

Oldbury Life – The children will explore the local area that surrounds them. Pupils will learn to identify and describe both human and physical features of Oldbury, gaining a deeper understanding of how the landscape and community have developed over time. They will use a range of resources—including atlases, digital maps and online data—to investigate and compare Oldbury with nearby areas, helping them to recognise patterns and differences in land use, population and natural features.

Writing and Reading

Through Writing this half term, apply the skills they have practised throughout the year into focused writing tasks across a range of genres. This approach will help embed their SPAG knowledge within their independent writing. Reading will be a focus across the curriculum as children will apply their retrieval, inference and explanation skills to show their comprehension when reading material across different subject types.



Other theme information

Application and 6cs

Children will think of our place in the world, as they will think of ways to leave a legacy as they prepare to leave primary school.

Theme Impact

Children will have an awareness of their place in the world and a greater understanding of Oldbury Life.

Enrichment opportunities

Children will think about how they can entertain others, and their place within a community. They will take part in an end-of-year production, showcasing their own gifts and talents.

Catholic Social Teaching - Rights and Responsibilities

Children will explore the Catholic Social Teaching of Families and Community, recognising that we are all part of God's family and called to live in loving relationship with others. They will learn that each person has a role to play in building a supportive and caring community. This will connect with our learning about democracy, as children reflect on how everyone's voice matters and how working together with respect and fairness strengthens our shared life.



Religious Education

Pentecost – In this unit the children will learn about the coming of the Holy Spirit. Through their study of the Sacrament of Confirmation, they will learn about the Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit and how they are important in the lives of Christians.

Baptism and Confirmation - In this unit the children will explore the signs and symbols of both these Sacraments and will hear about the gift of the Holy Spirit being given in the celebration of these Sacraments.



Other taught areas



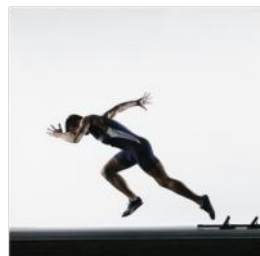
Maths

Children will continue to apply arithmetic and reasoning skills in preparation for secondary school by completing themed consolidation lessons. They will consolidate their understanding of core mathematical concepts through problem-solving activities and completing projects which require multi-step thinking building confidence and fluency.



Science

Circulation and health – This unit focuses on the human circulatory system, including the heart, blood, and blood vessels. Pupils will investigate how lifestyle factors such as diet and exercise impact heart health, exploring the link between exercise and heart rate through data analysis and practical activities.



Physical Education

Cricket

In this unit, the focus will be on developing pupils' skills in batting, bowling, catching, and fielding through engaging, progressive lessons. Pupils will be encouraged to use teamwork and strategic thinking, developing their collaboration and critical thinking skills.



Computing

Creating Media—3D modelling

In this unit, pupils will apply their knowledge of sequence, repetition, selection, and variables by programming micro:bit devices to sense and respond to movement. They will develop interactive programs—such as a step counter—enhancing their understanding of physical computing and reinforcing key programming concepts.



Art

Sculpture

In Art, children will explore Sculpture, where they will experiment with different materials and techniques to create three-dimensional artworks. They will learn how to shape, join, and finish their sculptures, drawing inspiration from a range of artists and styles. This hands-on unit encourages creativity, problem-solving, and an understanding of form and texture.



Music

Children will identify and evaluate musical features, contribute rhyming ideas to their group's chorus and verse, and fit melodies to a four-chord backing track. They will also create and record their own melodies using tuned percussion and letter notation and perform the leavers' song with confidence.



French

Phonics and key vocabulary

Phonics and key vocabulary revision – This half term, French lessons will include revising key vocabulary and the phonetic lessons, so children are prepared as they transition to secondary school.

RSE

Created to Live in Community with others

Children will learn that celebrating differences between people is enriching to a community and know that their self-confidence should arise from being loved by God. They will learn about the physical changes that boys and girls go through during puberty and how they should respect and take care of their bodies as gifts from God.

British Values



Individual Liberty

Throughout our "Oldbury Life" topic, pupils will be encouraged to express their own views and opinions about their local area, exploring how it has changed over time and what they would like it to look like in the future. By investigating different aspects of Oldbury—such as housing, transport, and green spaces—children will have opportunities to make informed choices and take part in respectful discussions about local developments. This supports the British Value of Individual Liberty, as pupils learn that their voice matters and that they have the freedom to make decisions and express themselves in a democratic society.

Digital Literacy

Privacy and Security

Children will discover how personal information can be used, stored, and shared, and learning strategies to protect their data and stay safe while using technology.



Cooking



Vegetable lasagne

Children will develop their skills in measuring, mixing, and pressing ingredients as they prepare a tasty fruit flapjack. They will learn how to combine dry and wet ingredients safely and follow a simple recipe to create their own healthy snack.