

Canterbury Cross Whole School Foundation Curriculum overview (2022 / 2023)

Year 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History / Geography	Cadburys		Famous people - Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole		Around the World	
Science	Everyday materials (chemistry)		Plants (biology)		Animals including humans (biology)	
	Seasonal changes (physics)					
Art	3D form - introduction to sculptures			Exploring printing		
D and T	Structures with mechanisms - sliders in a model house		Cooking - dips and dippers			
PE	Kick and pass	Send and return ball skills	Gymnastics Attack, defend and shoot		Hit and catch	Run, jump and throw (Athletics)
	Dance					
RE	What gift would I have given to Jesus if he had been born in my town, not in Bethlehem? Was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship?		Does Allah want Muslims to look after the world?	Does celebrating Eid Ul Fitr make Muslim children feel close to Allah?	Is Shabbat important to Jewish children?	
	Christianity					
Music	Rhythm in the way we walk (Charanga)	Round and round (Charanga)	Recorders	Your imagination (Charanga)		
ICT	Logical Reasoning Introduction to animation	Algorithms/Debug Sphereos			Create Digital painting	Organise Grouping Data

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History / Geography	Where are we? Birchfield contrast		Great Fire of London		Around the World	
Science	Use of everyday materials (chemistry)		Living things and their habitats (biology)	Animals including Humans (biology)		Plants (biology)
Art	Painting - Imagination through colour			Drawing - portraits		
D and T	Mechanisms - wheels and axles		Textiles - fabric bunting			
PE	Bowl, hit and run Send and return	Attack, defend and shoot	Gymnastics Dance		Kick rounders skills	Athletics Kick rounders skills
RE	Is it possible to be kind to everyone all of the time? Christianity		How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do? Judaism	Is it true that Jesus came back to life again? Christianity- Easter	What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Judaism	
Music	Hands feet heart (Charanga)	Recorders	Zootime (Charanga)	Friendship song (Charanga)		
ICT	Computing systems and networks	Sphereos			An introduction to quizzes	Digital Photography

Year 3	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History / Geography	The Rainforest		Ancient Egyptians		The Stone Age to the Iron Age	
Science	Animals including Humans (biology)	Rocks (chemistry)	Forces and Magnets (physics)	Light (physics)	Plants (biology)	
Art	Painting - Rainforest			Printing - caves		
D and T	Mechanisms - levers and linkages		Cooking - baking bread			
PE	Gymnastics Dance	Dance Gymnastics	Netball Badminton	Rounders Athletics	Swimming Swimming	Cricket
RE	Has Christmas lost its true meaning? Christianity		Does joining the Khalsa make a person a better Sikh? Sikhism	Do Muslims think it is important to share? Islam	Would visiting the River Ganges feel special to a non-Hindu? Hinduism	
Music	Recorders	Let your spirit fly (Charanga)			Glockenspiel stage 1 (Charanga)	Bringing us together (Charanga)
Spanish	Introduction to Spanish Spanish numbers, classroom vocabulary	Introduction to Spanish Spanish numbers, classroom vocabulary	Countries, numbers, days and months	Countries, numbers, days and months	Likes and dislikes, family, colours and weather	Likes and dislikes, family, colours and weather

ICT	Sequence to music	Animation	Desktop publishing	Computing systems and networks		
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Year 4	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History / Geography	Desert and Tundra		Greeks		Romans and resistance of Boudicca	
Science	Electricity (physics)	Sound (physics)	States of matter (chemistry)	All living things (biology)	Animals including Humans (biology)	
Art	Painting - desert and tundra landscapes			3D form - Greek theatre masks		
D and T	Circuits - battery operated lights		Textiles - Roman bulla bags			
PE	Gymnastics Netball	Gymnastics Hockey	Dance	Swimming Swimming	Swimming Badminton	Athletics Rounders
RE	Do people need to go to church to show they are Christians? Christianity		Is forgiveness always possible? Christianity-Easter	How special is the relationship Jews have with God? Judaism	What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God? Judaism	
Music	Mamma Mia (Charanga)	Glockenspeil stage 2 (Charanga)			Recorders	Blackbird (Charanga)
Spanish	Animals	Animals	Time	Time	Places around the world	Places around the world

ICT	Repetition in shapes	Repetition in games	Computing systems and networks	Creating Media - Audio		
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Year 5	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History / Geography	Anglo-Saxons and Vikings		Volcanoes and Earthquakes		Mayans	
Science	Properties and changes of materials (chemistry)		Earth and Space (physics)	Living things and their habitats (biology)	Animals including Humans (biology)	Forces (physics)
Art	Drawing - portraits			3D form / printing- Mayan clay pot		
D and T	Cooking - seasonal cooking		Mechanisms - Moving toys (CAMs)			
PE	Gymnastics	Dance	Hockey Badminton	Tennis Rounders	Football game Basketball	Cricket Athletics (skills / circuit)
RE	How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother? Christianity-Christmas		Do beliefs in Karma, Samsara and Moksha help Hindus lead good lives? Hinduism	How far would a Buddhist go for his/ her religion? Buddhism	What is the best way for Muslims to show commitment to Allah? Islam	

Music			Livin' on a Prayer (Charanga)	Classroom Jazz Stage 1 (Charanga)	Recorders	Dancing in the Street (Charanga)
Spanish	School	School	Food and drink	Food and drink	Sport and body parts	Sport and body parts
ICT	Selection in Quizzes	Sharing information	Vector drawing	Video editing		

Year 6	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
History / Geography	Victorians and Industrial revolution		SATs Preparation		Rivers and Mountains	
Science	Animals including Humans (biology)	Electricity (physics)	Light (physics)		Living things and their habitats (biology)	Evolution (biology)
Art	Drawing - Figures			Painting - Landscapes and cityscapes		
D and T	Structures with mechanisms - fairground ride				Textiles - pencil cases	
PE	Gymnastics Football skills and game	Gymnastics Dance	Hockey	Scooter hockey	Tennis Rounders	Basketball Athletics (skills / circuit)
RE	Can we compare and contrast religions and how they show commitment? Rastafarianism and Buddhism commitment Islam/Rastafarianism Buddhism /Humanism		Did God intend Jesus to be crucified? Christianity-Easter		Does belief in Akhirah (life after death) help Muslims lead good lives? Islam	

Music	Happy (Charanga)	Classroom Jazz 2 (Charanga)			Recorders	Music and Me (Charanga)
Spanish	Clothing	Clothing	Local area	Local area	Spanish speaking countries	Spanish speaking countries
ICT	Variables in a game	Sensing			Web page creations	Spreadsheets