

**St Barnabas CE First & Middle School**  
**Curriculum Overview 2025-2026**

<b>Year 6</b>						
	<b><u>Autumn 1</u></b>	<b><u>Autumn 2</u></b>	<b><u>Spring 1</u></b>	<b><u>Spring 2</u></b>	<b><u>Summer 1</u></b>	<b><u>Summer 2</u></b>
<b>Maths (Can Do Maths)</b> <i>Sometimes we can be working behind or ahead in these units of work. This is based on the CanDo LTP.</i> Remember It Assessments are completed at the end of a unit.	Pre-learning Number and place value Decimals Multiplication and Division Geometry: Position and Direction  Mock SATS	Fractions, Decimals and Percentages Geometry: Properties of shapes (angles) Properties of shapes + - x /	Fractions: Calculating Remember It Assessments Mixed Operations	Ratio and Proportion Measurement: Converting Units Measurement: Area and Volume Algebra	Statistics SATS Problem Solving	Problem Solving Consolidation and preparation for Key Stage 3
<b>English Key Texts</b>	'Floodland' by Marcus Sedgwick <i>layered with</i> 'Our House Is on Fire' by Greta Thunberg	'The Lost Words' by Robert Macfarlane and Jackie Morris	'Oliver Twist' by Charles Dickens	'Corey's Rock' by Anita Brahmachari	'One Boy's War' by Lynn Huggins-Cooper <i>layered with</i> 'Private Peaceful' by Michael Morpurgo	'Boy 87' by Ele Fountain <i>layered with</i> 'Migrants' by Issa Watanbe
<b>Science</b>	Electricity	Light	Classifying Big and Small	Circulation and Health	Are some sunglasses safer than others?	
<b>History</b>	What does the local census tell us about our local area?		What was the impact of World War 2 on the people of Britain?		Unheard Histories: Who should go on the £10.00 bank note?	
<b>Geography</b>		Why does the population change?		Where does our energy come from?		Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?
<b>Music</b>	Water Water Everywhere	Journeys	World Unite	Roots	Razzamajazz Keyboards	Stronger

<b>Art</b>	<p><b>Batik</b></p> <p>Children explore the colour wheel and investigate gradients by mixing secondary and tertiary colours alongside different painting techniques. Children create a piece of art linked to a given theme using watercolour paints. Children then transfer this knowledge of colour and their composition onto textiles using batik techniques.</p>		<p><b>In perspective”</b></p> <p>Children look at a range of ways to show perspective in art e.g. landscape images, top down, shapes. Use a range of art resources to create their own image showing their understanding of perspective - can also use technology.</p>		<p><b>Recycled Art</b></p> <p>Children use their research on activism to design and create 3D models using wire mesh, modroc and recycled materials. Children can then use this artwork to produce a stop motion video in DT - can be linked in other curricular subjects.</p>	
<b>Design &amp; Technology</b>		<p><b>Food</b></p> <p>Focus- celebrating culture and seasonality</p> <p><b>Gingerbread Houses</b></p>		<p><b>Electrical Systems</b></p> <p>Focus- monitoring and control</p> <p><b>Electronic game</b></p>		<p><b>Structures</b></p> <p>Focus-frame structures</p> <p><b>Bird-hide</b></p>
<b>Computing</b>	Computing Systems and Networks - communication and collaboration	Creating Media - web page creation	Programming - variables in games	Data and Information - Introduction to spreadsheets	Creating Media - 3D modelling	Programming - Sensing movement
<b>PE &amp; Games</b>	Tag Rugby Gymnastics	Volleyball Basketball	Dance Football	Dodgeball Orienteering	Rounders Athletics	Cricket Tennis
<b>RE</b>	Unit U2.7 Why do Hindus try to be good? [Karma/dharma/samsara /moksha]	Unit U2.4 How do Christians decide how to live? 'What would Jesus do?' [Gospel]	Unit U2.10 What matters most to Humanists and Christians?	Unit U2.6 For Christians, what kind of king was Jesus? [Kingdom of God]	Unit U2.2 Creation and science: conflicting or complementary? [Creation]	Unit 2:13 What can be done to reduce racism? Can religion help?
<b>French</b>	Phonetics and At School	Healthy Lifestyle	At the Weekend	Habitats	Planets	Me in My World
<b>PSHCE</b>	Relationships	Healthy Me	Changing Me	Being In My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals
<b>Visits/Visitors</b>			Severn Trent Careers Week	Oliver Twist Theatre Group	Residential (May) Bellboating	