Birkenshaw CE Primary School - Year 6 Long Term Planning Overview

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1 (SATs)	Summer 2
English **Each half termly unit will incorporate a range of reading and writing opportunities. SPaG skills will be incorporated into each English lesson.**	**Dragonology** (to incorporate a range of text types - fiction and non-fiction**)**	**Macbeth** (understanding themes in Shakespeare, interpreting Shakespeare's language)	**Escape from Pompeii** (recounts, chronological reports, NF writing - volcano research) **Fantasy Writing - Kraznir**	**Poetry:** (music and poetry - Bob Dylan Blowin' in the Wind; Speed poetry; Narrative poetry - January - Joseph Coelho)	**Graffiti, art or vandalism?** (Non-fiction - persuasive writing)	**Fiction - Alma** **Non-Fiction - The March of the Penguins**
Reciprocal Reading	Weekly Reciprocal Reading using Headstart Grammar text Reading Practice using past SATs texts to focus on retrieval and deeper understanding/inference					
Reading for Pleasure (class novels)	**Crater Lake** Jennifer Killick – Hawk & Eagle	**Crater Lake** Shadow Jumper - Hawk	**Crater Lake – Evolution** Jennifer Killick - Eagle **Eleven –** Tom Rogers - Hawk		**Windrush Generation –** Benjamin Zephanisah - Hawk	
Maths	Place Value Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division	Fractions	Decimals Fractions, Decimals & Percentages Converting Units Ratio	Algebra Area, Perimeter and Volume Statistics	Shape Position & Direction	Money Project consolidation & Problem Solving
Science	Circuits & Electricity	Light	Living Things – Classifying and Ordering	Circulatory System	Evolution & Inheritance	
History	Victorians and the Industrial Revolution				Battle of Adwalton Moor	
Geography			Biomes	USA		
Computing	**What more can I code? (CS)** *More advanced coding for applications other than game development – microbits and codebugs*	*Charity fund raising continued (including data handling, spreadsheeting, presentation) (IT)*	**Can tech help me to make money?!** *online-safety / Cyber bullying (DL) – start of fund raising project (team*	**What is a computer model? (CS) (IT)** *Based on:* *Rising Stars Unit 6.4* *'We are environmentalists'* *Modelling Climate Change*	**Could you be a publisher?** .(DL) (IT) *Creating a year book*	**Publishing continued then …** *Advanced coding, exploring other languages and coding for control systems.*

			working, document processing) (IT)			
Art	Painting & mixing (focus on John Singer Sargent) Incorporating Remembrance Art		Drawing: Make my voice heard Incorporating street art		Sculpture and 3D: Making memories	
DT	Electrical Systems Project: Research, design and programme a micro:bit that responds to changes in the environment.		Textiles Combining different fabric shapes Project: Design, make and evaluate a phone/tablet case (product) for a person (user) to use to protect (purpose) their phone/tablet.		Food – Grab & Go Project: Design, make and evaluate a savoury snack (product) for themselves (user) to eat "on the go" (purpose).	
PE - Yr6 staff	Invasion Games		Gymnastics	Dance	Netball	Striking and Fielding Games
PE – Velocity	Athletics		Net games: Tennis	Games	Kwik Cricket	OAA (Outdoor and Adventurous Activities)
RE Understanding Christianity Agreed Syllabus	How do Sikhs symbolise their commitment?	Was Jesus the Messiah?	Why are rites of passage important?	What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?	What do Hindu People believe about God?	Why do some people go on Pilmgrimage?
Emotional, Health and Well-being	Investors in Pupils	Family & Relationships	Health & Wellbeing	Safety & Citizenship	Citizenship, RSE, Economic Wellbeing, Identity	
French	Describing me and others En Classe	Saying what I and others have. Revision & Christmas	Saying what I and others do. Discussing family and friends.	Saying what I and others like. Saying what I others prefer. Saying how many and descrigin things. Easter & revision	Describing things and people – possessions, people and animals.	Expressing likes and dislikes and what others do. Stories and poems.
Music	Do you want to?	Disco Fever	La Bamba	Heal the Earth	Down by the riverside	Production
Visits / Visitors/Events	Robinwood				Visit to Gurdwara	Production Leaver's events Adwalton Moor Civil War Society