

CARDINAL NEWMAN CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
YEAR 6 TERMLY OVERVIEW – SPRING 2021



Week	Events	R.E.	PHSE	English	Maths	Science	History / Geography	Art/ DT	Music	Computing	PE	MFL
06/01/21	Return Wed 6th	Come and See - Introduction to topic of Sources	To revise internet safety issues following new technology Christmas gifts	Introduction to Goodnight Mr. Tom - Leaving home. Memories of an evacuee SPAG focus.	2D and 3D Shape	Light - How does light travel to our eyes? How does the working of the eye enable us to see? Label the eye and its function.	Introduction to World War Two. What, when, why, where?	To use various shades of pencils to create different tones and lines to recreate WW2 battlefield images.	Hanz Zimmer – 'Earth listening to and composing own piece. Use of musical language	Switched on computing 6.1 We are adventure gamers	Invasion games Football Dance	To revise personal vocabulary and greetings and numbers to one hundred.
11/01/21		Come and See - Sources - The Bible-books of the Bible, how is it structured	To discuss use of social media and excessive screen time.	Goodnight Mr Tom - Class text. Comprehension activity Zelda Claw unit	Area and perimeter / volume	Light - To identify natural and man-made sources of light. To understand light travels in straight lines.	Why did the war start? What part did Hitler have in it?	Begin evacuee collages using different fabrics	Hanz Zimmer – 'Earth listening to and composing own piece. Use of musical language	Switched on computing 6.1 We are adventure gamers	Invasion games Football Dance	To be able to describe their family, where they live and their nationality.
18/01/21	Sats info Meeting	Come and See-Looking up Bible references. Research The Dead Sea Scrolls	of decision making.	Goodnight Mr Tom - class text. Comprehension. SPAG focus. Zelda Claw unit	Measurement - conversion of units - length, mass and volume. Reading scales	Light - Group investigations - can light bend around a corner?	Adolf Hitler - How did he treat the Jews? Link to Anne Frank work (Literacy).	To create gas-masks following a set of instructions / Blast pictures World War 2 cooking – carrot scones	Hanz Zimmer – 'Earth listening to and composing own piece. Use of musical language	Switched on computing 6.1 We are adventure gamers	Invasion games Football Dance	Recap classroom object and parts of the body through use of song.

25/01/21	27/01 World War 2 day	Come and See - Death and New Life - Easter story.	To promote mental health awareness week.	Goodnight Mr Tom - Class text. Anne Frank diary entries.	Angles and constructing shapes with given angles.	Light - Blackout investigation - deciding on the best material to use for a blackout curtain during WW2.	How did the Jewish people feel during World War Two?	Blitz picture - St Paul's Cathedral	Hanz Zimmer – 'Earth listening to and composing own piece. Use of musical language	Switched on computing 6.1 We are adventure gamers	Invasion games Football Dance	To be able to describe their family, where they live and their nationality.
01/02/21		Come and See - Introduction to topic of Unity - what nourishes and spoils friendship.	To review classroom rules and acceptable behaviour in year 6.	Goodnight Mr Tom - Class text. Written account of life in a shelter - assessed writing. SPAG focus	Assessment week	Light - Blackout investigation - deciding on the best material to use for a blackout curtain during WW2.	The Battle of Britain - what was it? Why did it start? Who / what was involved?	Blitz picture - St Paul's Cathedral	Hanz Zimmer – 'Earth listening to and composing own piece. Use of musical language	Switched on computing 6.1 We are adventure gamers	. Invasion games Football Dance	To be able to describe orally and record in written form their likes and dislikes linked to food (including the use of conjunctions et and mais).
8/02/21	Parent consultations	Come and See - Introduction to topic of Unity - what nourishes and spoils friendship.	To discuss how choices we make may have long term consequences – emphasis importance of healthy lifestyle.	Goodnight Mr Tom - Class text. Assessment s.	Data Handling Assessment review	Light assessment.	The Battle of Britain -Heroes and types of planes.	Blitz picture - St Paul's Cathedral	Hanz Zimmer – 'Earth listening to and composing own piece. Use of musical language	. Switched on computing 6.1 We are adventure gamers	. Invasion games Football Dance	To be able to describe orally and record in written form their likes and dislikes linked to hobbies (demonstrate accurate use of infinitive verb).

Half Term

22/02/21		Come and See - Unity - Exploring unity in our community and friendship. How did the Disciples show unity to one another?	Journey in Love Year growing up and relationships education	Goodnight Mr Tom - Describing setting. SPAG focus. Letter	Measurement - conversion of units - length, mass and volume word problems. Miles to KM	Introduction to the Human Body Topic - review prior learning.	Research aspects of war on those left behind (rationing, air-raids, etc.)	Begin DT project air raid shelters	Music and World War 2 – Focus on work of Shostakovich	Switched on computing 6.2 We are computational thinkers Mastering algorithms for searching and sorting	Racket / net / tennis games Dance	To be able to describe orally and record in written form their likes and dislikes linked to hobbies (demonstrate accurate use of infinitive verb).
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01/03/21	Book Week	Come and See - Unity - Paul's teaching about the Eucharist, topic celebration.	Journey in Love Year growing up and relationships education	Street Child - non - chronological I report about life in a Victorian workhouse. SPAG focus. Reading comprehension.	Time - 12 and 24 hour clock format. Timetables. Calendars.	Describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood.	Digimap - where did children travel to and from during evacuation? Plan out using software.	Air-raid shelters.	Music and World War 2 – Focus on work of Shostakovich	Switched on computing 6.2 We are computational thinkers Mastering algorithms for searching and sorting	Racket / net / tennis games Dance	Places around town Begin to give simple directions
08/03/21		Come and See - Death and New Life - Life journey - loss of loved ones.	Friendships / anxieties	Street Child - Biography of the life of Dr Barnado, plan and draft writing. SPAG focus. Reading comprehension.	Ratio and proportion. Algebra.	Recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function.	Food for Thought –How has food changed? Where does food come from?	Air-raid shelters	Music and World War 2 – Focus on work of Shostakovich	Switched on computing 6.2 We are computational thinkers Mastering algorithms for searching and sorting	Racket / net / tennis games Dance	Places around town Begin to give simple directions
15/03/21	XAVIER INSET	Come and See - Death and New Life - Easter story.	Friendships / anxieties	Street Child -Book evaluation. End of Spring term assessment in reading, writing, spelling and grammar.	End of term assessment. Arithmetic review.	Recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function.	Food for Thought – Food miles. How does a Dairy Milk bar arrive in our shops?	Air-raid shelters	Music and World War 2 – Focus on work of Shostakovich	Switched on computing 6.2 We are computational thinkers Mastering algorithms for searching and sorting	Racket / net / tennis games Dance	French festivals – How customs are different

22/03/21		Come and See - Death and New Life - Review, celebration of topic.	Social media issues / gaming issues	Street Child Spring term assessment in SPAG, comprehension, and writing.	End of term assessment. Arithmetic review.	Recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function.	Food for Thought – Fair trading – enough for everyone.	Air-raid shelters	Music and World War 2 – Focus on work of Shostakovich	Switched on computing 6.2 We are computational thinkers Mastering algorithms for searching and sorting	Racket / net / tennis games Dance	Places around town Begin to give simple directions Easter cards
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