Reeth and Gunnerside Schools



Key Stage 2 Curriculum – Y5 and Y6

| | Year 1 (2023/24) | | | Year 2 (2024/25) | | |
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| | Autumn | Spring | Summer | Autumn | Spring | Summer |
| Science | Animals including humans | Earth and SpaceProperties and changes of materials | Living things and their habitats Stream habitat study Forces | Animals including humansElectricity | Light Evolution and inheritance | Living things and their habitats Moorland habitat study |
| Geography | Design a city, to include study of contrasting cities around the world Visit – York | Natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water Sustainability | Below the surface: earthquakes, volcanoes and caves Visit – Crackpot | National Parks in the UK and North America Antarctica – an international park? Visit – National Park ranger & Lake District (January) | Mountains Visit – Lake District | Climate zones, climate change, biomes and vegetation belts Longitude and time zones |
| History | Roman Empire | Victorians — with a focus on industry Visit — Beamish / Castle Museum, York | Mayan Civilisation | Ancient Greece | Anglo Saxons and Scots | Local lead mining |
| Art | 3D workSutton – clay houses | PrintingMorris | TextilesSenelon | CollageKandinsky | PaintingVan Gogh, Smithson | DrawingKlee |
| DT | Textiles | Construction — Controllable vehicles (e.g. Mars Rover) | Mexican Food | Food — Mediterranean Cooking | Construction — mountain hut with working lights and solar panel | Textiles – bags for use outdoors (lunch bag, binocular case, shoulder bag) |
| ICT | Computer science (binary programming) Information technology (PowerPoint) | Digital literacy Information technology (databases) | Information technology (email) Computer science (crumble) | Computer science (Scratch) Information technology (Word) | Digital literacy Information technology (Excel) | Information technology (blogging) Computer science (crumble) |

| Music Performing | Play the pitch together with Christmas bell plates Harvest singing and speaking Nativity (bell plates and choir) | Structure Victorian composers Easter – singing and speaking | Elements Holst's planet music Leavers' performance (lead, including solo / duet / small group parts) Swaledale Festival (live performance) | Pulse Find the pulse in Christmas music Harvest singing and speaking Nativity (bell plates and choir) | Rhythm Feel the rhythm, speak the rhythm Easter — singing and speaking | Mood Perform the mood Leavers' performance (lead, including solo / duet / small group parts) Swaledale Festival (live performance) |
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| French | 14. On fait la fete 20. Les cadeaux | 13. Ma famille 19. Les portraits | 16. Le petit dejeuner22. Au cafe | 15. Cher zoo 21. Le carnival des animaux | 17. Vive le temps libre23. Tour de France | 24. Destinations18. A la plage |
| RE | Methodist Unit Commitment to Christianity: is it long and far away, or is it here and now? | 2.4 If God is everywhere, why go to a place of worship? 2.3 What do religions say to us when life gets hard? | 2.6 What does it mean to be a Muslim in Britain today? Lord Wharton project | 2.2 What would Jesus do? Can we live by the values of Jesus in the 21st century? 2.8 What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa, Grace and / or Ummah? | 2.5 Is it better to express your beliefs in arts and architecture or charity and generosity? 2.1 Why do some people think God exists? | 2.7 What matters most to Christians and Humanists? Lord Wharton project |
| PE | 1st half term Invasion — tag rugby Swimming | 1st half term Dance Netball | 1st half term Striking and fielding cricket and rounders | 1st half term Invasion — hockey Invasion — football | 1st half term Dance Gymnastics Outdoor education | 1st half term Striking and fielding — cricket and rounders |
| | 2 nd half term Invasion — hockey Gymnastics | 2nd half term Swimming Net and wall – tennis | 2nd half term Athletics Outdoor education | 2nd half term Invasion – basketball Gymnastics | 2 nd half term Net and wall – tennis Netball | 2 nd half term • Athletics |
| PSHE and Citizenship | Me and my future Becoming an active citizen | Me and my relationships Keeping myself safe | My healthy lifestyleMoving on | Me and my future Becoming an active citizen | Me and my relationships Keeping myself safe | My healthy lifestyle Moving on |
| Residential | City / contrasting locality — York | | | | Outdoor education - Lake District | |