

Curriculum Overview

The challenge of changing patterns of weather contributing to longer climate change trends across the globe will undoubtedly be one of the greatest issues that will confront pupils in primary school today during the remainder of the century. This enquiry provides pupils with an insight into how changing patterns of weather at different locations around the world are impacting on the lives of real people with whom they can relate.

Key Concepts

The following are the key concepts for this unit:
 Weather, climate, desert, natural resources, economic activity, government, sustainability, energy, hazard, coast, location, scale, distribution, interdependence, processes, change, interaction, diversity

Year 6 Summer 2: How is climate change affecting the world?



English Texts

This term in English we will be studying the following texts:

Animalium by Jenny Broom

We will be writing a fact file on an animal of our choosing. We will also be writing about our favourite memories for our Leavers Assembly and Memory Booklets.

Main Enquiry questions

- Why is Elhaji cleaning shoes on the streets of Banjul? Why can't Olivia afford to insure her home?
- Why are people living in Starcross making flood plans?
- Why do Lars and Sofie disagree about how nice the weather is?
- Why are people all over the world noticing that the weather they're used to is changing?
- What have the countries of the world agreed on to protect the environment?

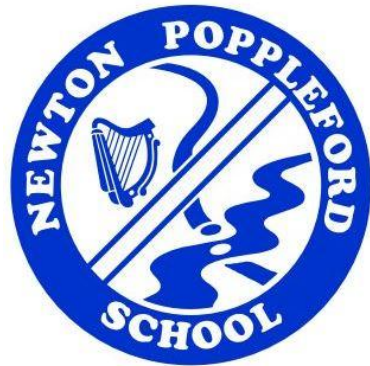
Maths Learning

This term in Maths we will be studying the following:

This term in Maths we will be focusing on Problem Solving activities, including longer projects and games.

Geographical Links	Science	DT	PE	Music	RE	Computing	French	PSHE
Climate change	Influential scientists	Fair ground rides	Athletics	School of Pop	Why do some people believe in God and some people not?	Sensing Movement	The Weekend	Citizenship

Our curriculum elements for this half term:











Trips, activities and/or visits this term:

Year 6 Performance

Sessions with dance teacher to choreograph the school production

Sports Week to celebrate inclusion and competition

Art Week

Learning hook		Study pictures showing the effects of Climate Change.
Fieldwork		Explore how climate change is affecting our local area.
Written outcome		Write memories of time in school.
Creative outcome		The school production will need backdrops to be designed and painted.
Adventure (activities in Adventure Island)		In Adventure Island, children will explore sustainability.
Play Project		We will be performing our leavers play.
Celebration		Leavers assembly for Year 6 parents, carers and families.
Retrieval practice		Each lesson to begin with questions/quiz from previous lesson to retrieve knowledge.



Learning & growing together,
taking every opportunity.

RESPECT - ADVENTURE - ACHIEVE

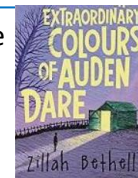
Suggested texts to read at home with your children

When the Wild Calls Nicola Penfold



Juniper and her brother Bear navigate a world where 'the Wild' introduces them to wonders, but dangers lurk in a city ravaged by disease. Juniper's determination to rescue loved ones, combined with Etienne's quest for freedom, creates a compelling ecological adventure that's perfect for fans of dystopian tales such as The Last Wild.

The Extraordinary Colours of Auden Dare Zillah Bethell



An atmospheric story that slowly builds into a gripping page-turner. Set in a world fighting over dwindling water supplies, the reader is introduced to Auden – an 11-year-old who is colour blind. But when he moves to a new town and meets a fascinating new friend, his life begins to change. Can he finish the work his professor uncle started and solve the planet's problems?

Curriculum Overview: Year 6 Summer 2

How is climate change affecting the world?

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Accompany	Awkward	Convenience	Equip	Government	Lightning	Physical
According	Bargain	Correspond	Equipment	Guarantee	Marvellous	Prejudice
Achieve	Bruise	Criticise	Equipped	Harass	Mischievous	Privilege
Aggressive	Category	Curiosity	Especially	Hindrance	Muscle	Profession
Amateur	Cemetery	Definite	Exaggerate	Identity	Necessary	Programme
Ancient	Committee	Desperate	Excellent	Immediate	Neighbour	Pronunciation
Apparent	Communicate	Determined	Existence	Immediately	Nuisance	Queue
Appreciate	Community	Develop	Explanation	Individual	Occupy	Recognise
Attached	Competition	Dictionary	Familiar	Interfere	Occur	Recommend
Available	Conscience	Disastrous	Foreign	Interrupt	Opportunity	Relevant
average	Conscious	Embarrass	Forty	Language	Parliament	restaurant
	controversy	environment	frequently	leisure	persuade	