

## Bonneygrove Primary School

Year Six Curriculum Newsletter

Spring Half Term Two 2025

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| English  |    | Maths  |  |
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| Letters: Write a persuasive letter of choice. Narrative: Create mood and atmosphere using the 'show not tell' technique.   |    | Area, Perimeter, Volume: In this unit children will recap learning from previous years by finding the perimeters areas of shapes including rectangles and rectilinear shapes, triangles and parallelograms. Children will also explore volume as the amount of space that a solid object takes up.   |  |
| Reading  |    | Science  |  |
| In <b>Guided Reading</b> we will continue to read the book 'Goodnight Mr Tom' by Michelle Magorian.  |    | Evolution and Inheritance - Children will learn about variation and adaptation. They will be able to explore how Charles Darwin developed his theory of evolution. They will also examine the scientific evidence from plants and animals that has been gathered to support the theory of evolution. |  |
| Design Technology  |    | Geography  |  |
| Master Chef In this unit, children will compete against the other Year Six class to plan, budget, prepare, cook and serve a three-course meal to Mr Hamilton!    |    | The Rainforests: In this unit, children will explore rainforests (temperate and tropical) across the world. They will study their locations, the layers of a rainforest, who lives there (including animals, plants and indigenous people) and the environmental threats to the rainforests.         |  |
| Religious Education  |    | Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE)   |  |
| Religion: Christianity/ Easter We are learning to examine the influences Christianity still has in the world and evaluate whether it is still a strong religion. | 30 | Healthy Me: This unit will support children with taking responsibility for their own health and well-being. We will explore having a healthy diet and being physically active. The unit will also provide children with an understanding of the  |  |



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| Modern Foreign Languages:  Mi Casa - My home: pupils will learn to present both orally and in written form about where they live and which rooms they have and do not have in their homes in Spanish.  | Spanish                                 | effect of drugs, as well as gangs, exploitation and healthily managing stress.  Physical Education  Outdoor Adventurous Activities  This half term children will practice their team-working and collaboration skills, as they work with their groups to solve problems including physical challenges. |  |  |
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| Computing Big Data 2 (Data Handling): Understanding data usage through the use of mobile data vs WiFi, the Internet of Things, and big data. Identifying high/low data activities and preparing presentations on using Big Data/IoT to improve school efficiency while respecting privacy. | - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 | All the learning in this unit is focused around one song: You've Got A Friend - a song about friendship by Carole King.  | <b>\</b> \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\ |  |
| Key Dates  |   |  |  |  |