English Planning Y6

Topic	Wk 1/2	Wk 3/4	Wk 5/6	Wk 7/8	Science Unit:
A New Perspective Complementary: Is green really green?/ How does blood flow?	Non-chronological report - natural disaster TW/ Eye of the Storm LSF (Non-fiction)	Expressionist poetry QT - Earth Verse haiku/ Classic poetry TW (Poetry)	Biography - research an artist and explanation of artworks/ Keith Haring – artists TW (Non-fiction)	Surrealist narratives/ Alma LSF (Fiction)	Is green really green?/ How does blood flow?
Writing Outcome LS Comp 6: Famous artists/ Switched F'tales	Hurricane fact-file	Haiku/expressive fire poetry	Artist biography	Imaginary lands narrative – in a painting	Science experiment
Courage and Conflict Complementary: Can you send a coded message?	Letters from the trenches/ Soldier biographies/ The Alchemist's Letter LSF (Local history)	Historical narrative - Private Peaceful LSB/ Beyond the Lines LSF (Fiction)	Evacuation persuasion letters QT (Non-fiction)	War poems/ A Christmas Carol TW (Poetry/Classic Fiction)	Can you send a coded message?
Writing Outcome LS Comp 6: Christmas/ 5 World War 2	Letter from Ernest Brokenshire	WW1 narrative – march to the front and a gas attack	Letter persuading parents to evacuate children	Poetry/Character study	Types of switch to send Morse code messages
Polar Regions Complementary: How do animals stay warm? Frozen Kingdom	Diary - Shackleton's Journey QT (Historical fiction)	The Dreadful Menace LSF (Poetry)	Letters of complaint - animal point of view (Non- fiction)	Wolf Wilder LSB linked to KRP unit	Frozen Kingdom (Wolf Wilder)/ How do animals stay warm?
Writing Outcome LS Comp 5: Narrative Poems	Levels of formality diary extracts – Shackleton, Percy and a dog	Descriptive poetry based on extreme conditions	Letter complaining about human activity in Antarctica	Funeral speech from Ilya about Grey	Comprehension activity/ Science experiment
Digital Dreams Complementary: can fruit light a bulb? How does light travel?	VLOG/Podcast writing (Non-fiction)	Sci-fi narrative - The Water Tower QT / Road's End LSF (Fiction)	Shakespeare – MacBeth LSB TW knowledge organiser (Classic Fiction in Non-fiction style)		Can fruit light a bulb? How does light travel?
Writing Outcome LS Comp 6: British Innovators	Youtube style VLOG	Suspense narrative	Newspaper article		Science experiment
Nueva Mundo Complementary: Which shape floats best? Tuning forks.	Myths and legends/ Day of the Dead LSF (Fiction)	Narrative poetry - The Tale of Three Brothers LSF/ Little Freak LSF/ The Highwayman TW (Poetry)	Descriptive writing - Holes LSB – spotted lizard/ Postcards from Holes (Fiction)	Persuasive invitations - Mexican food festival / Day of the Dead TW (Non-fiction)	Which shape floats best? Tuning forks.

Writing Outcome LS Comp 6: Myths and Legends/ Mexico	Myth inspired script (Uxmal dwarf/Alux myths)	Narrative poem about meeting/receiving presents from Death	Encounter with a spotted lizard	Invitation to a Mexican themed event food tasting/ Day of the Dead celebration	Science experiment (coloured shadows)
Finding Myself Complementary: How does inheritance work? /Champion	New identity narrative/ Francis LSF (Narrative)	Lost Thing interview QT/ Home Sweet Home LSF (Non- fiction/Fiction)	Fingerprint reports/ High Flying Giraffes LSF/ Way Home QT (Fiction in a Non- fiction style) Mysterious invitation (formal/informal)	Shakespeare Hamlet LSB TW (Classic Fiction) Transition unit – 80 Days (Non-fiction/poetry)	How does inheritance work?
Writing Outcome LS Comp 6: Heart and Circulation	New identity/monster identity narrative	Interview with a synthetic creature	Crime scene/ Missing person report – boy and parent/ Mysterious invitation narrative	Agony Aunt letters/ Transition unit – memories of school/all about me poem	Science explanation/ Future goals

QT – Quality Text Unit

LTF – Literacy Shed Plus Film Unit

LTB – Literacy Shed Plus Book Unit

TW – Twinkl Resource