

Ensuring Excellence through an enriched curriculum

Trinity School and St Martin's School



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St Martin's and Trinity – Curriculum

The curriculum is all the planned activities that are organised progressively and in order to promote learning, growth and development. It includes the statutory Jersey Curriculum 2014. We ensure that we provide a broad and balanced curriculum alongside a high focus on teaching skills and a secure knowledge for English and Maths. We also provide experiences to enrich the curriculum. We teach children how to grow into positive, responsible people who can work, co-operate with others whilst developing knowledge and skills so that they achieve their true potential.

We want all our children to experience success and enjoy their learning whilst at school. We want to provide exciting learning opportunities which inspire, motivate and challenge.

This year, Teachers at St Martin's and Trinity will work together each half term to plan the curriculum based around the needs of the children. We want to provide a rewarding and memorable learning experience which enriches our broad and balanced curriculum. We believe that two single form entry schools working together will provide teachers the support to together develop exciting learning opportunities. We also hope that this will reduce the workload for planning and allow teachers more time to resource their lessons. This has a significant resource/budget implication and we will be measuring the impact of the planning together sessions. See appendix 2 for planning days.

Teachers are expected to:

- be creative when planning learning opportunities
- think about when it is appropriate to block topics or subjects e.g. a day of RE during the half term rather than 30 mins each week, plan a 3 week integrated topic for every afternoon which brings in Geography and History etc.
- use the opportunity of planning together to share resources and expertise (and even create opportunities for the children from both schools to come together to support learning)
- use our local environment and local experts to enrich curriculum topics.
- use the planning grid (see appendix 1) to plan areas of learning for half a term.
- take part in any surveys/reviews of the planning process to see if this approach is having an impact on teaching and learning.

Whole School Curriculum Events 2017/18

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Rights respecting week	Careers Day (link to PSHE Dreams and Goals) RE Week	Diversity Week

Planned learning opportunities for Keeping Safe (Safeguarding)

Year Group	Autumn	Spring	Summer
1	Dog Speak Online safety assembly	Online safety assembly	Changing me and SRE (PSHE) Online safety assembly Sun Safety
2	Online safety assembly Keeping Safe (EWO) intervention	Safety Sam Online safety assembly	Changing me and SRE (PSHE) Online safety assembly Sun Safety
3	Online safety assembly	Online safety assembly Safety Sam	Changing me and SRE (PSHE) Online safety assembly Sun Safety
4	Online safety assembly	Online safety assembly	Changing me and SRE (PSHE) Online safety assembly Sun Safety
5	Online safety assembly	Online safety assembly Swimming	Changing me and SRE (PSHE) Sea and Sun Safety Safety in Action Online safety assembly
6	Online safety assembly Swimming	Online safety assembly	Changing me and SRE (PSHE) Prison Me No Way Cycling Proficiency Sun Safety Online safety assembly

Assembly plans (focused on values and diversity) – this will be developed throughout the year.

Week beginning	Monday assembly	Friday assembly
4 th September 2018	n/a	Welcome back and school rules
11 th September	n/a	Celebration assembly and demo for Kick boxing
18 th September	Celebration assembly	School house captain voting (democracy)
25 th September	Celebration assembly Harvest festival	Celebration assembly and Mary's Meals (charity to support breakfast in Africa)
2 nd October	Achieving your goals (link to Fun Run, Invictus games, role models in sport).	Celebration assembly Fund raising for Mary's Meals
9 th October	Autumn theme – helping others	Celebration assembly
16 th October	National Braille week (Louis Braille as an inspirational person)	Celebration assembly
30 th October	Stories of the bible and accepting others	Celebration assembly and Guy Fawkes competition.
6 th November	Online safety assembly	Remembrance day assembly
13 th November	Celebration assembly	RE Assembly – Parish Church
20 th November	Our school values – working together to succeed more	Celebration Assembly and children in need focus
27 th November	Rights respecting assembly	Celebration Assembly
4 th December	Rights respecting assembly	Celebration assembly and school choir singing
11 th December	Hannukah celebrations	Celebration assembly
1 st January	n/a	Welcome back and New Year resolutions
8 th January	Washing hands and keeping well	Celebration assembly
15 th January	Martin Luther King day	Celebration assembly
22 nd January	TBC	Celebration assembly
29 th January	Tu B'Shavat Festival (Jewish)	Celebration assembly
5 th February	Safer Internet Day 2018	Celebration assembly
12 th February	RE Week assembly	Celebration assembly
26 th February	LGBT History month – role models in history	Celebration assembly

5 th March	TBC	Celebration assembly
12 th March	TBC	Celebration assembly
19 th March	TBC	Celebration assembly
26 th March	French Trip- what did we do – Year 6 children	Celebration assembly
16 th April	TBC	Celebration assembly
23 rd April	TBC	Celebration assembly
30 th April	TBC	Celebration assembly
7 th May	n/a	Celebration assembly
14 th May	TBC	Celebration assembly
21 st May		Celebration assembly
4 th June		Celebration assembly
11 th Jun		Celebration assembly
18 th June		Celebration assembly
25 th June		Celebration assembly
2 nd July	Transition	Celebration assembly
9 th July		Celebration assembly
16 th July		End of year celebration assembly and music

Year Group Curriculum topic overview (Long term plan)

Year 6 Long Term Plan			
Subject	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term
Possible topics or themes	World War 2		
English			
Maths	Maths no problem	Maths no problem	Maths no problem
Science	Working Scientifically Light Electricity	Working Scientifically Animals including humans Living things and their habitats	Working Scientifically Evolution and inheritance
Computing	Computing curriculum map Year 6 Autumn 1 and 2	Computing curriculum map Year 6 Spring 1 and 2	Computing curriculum map Year 6 Summer 1 and 2
PE	Dance – sporting themes Gymnastics Games – invasion games Swimming	Dance – Painting, photographs and postcards Gymnastics Games – invasion games Outdoor and adventurous activities	Gymnastics Athletics Games – striking and fielding games
History	Occupation and local history		Tudors and Stuarts (Elizabeth Castle)
Geography	Weather and Climate (Americas)	Geocaching (maps and grid references)	Environmental studies
DT	Celebrating culture and seasonality (Projects on a page)	More complex switches (Projects on a page)	
RE	Beliefs and practices (Islam) Christmas (Christianity)		
Art	Klimt – People Painting Textiles	Monet – Landscapes Printing and Painting	3D Collage
PSHE	Being me in my world Celebrating difference including anti- bullying	Dreams and goals Healthy me	Relationships Changing me (including SRE)
French	Lightbulb French unit 15	Lightbulb French unit 16	Lightbulb French unit 17

Music	Charanga Autumn term 1 Charanga Autumn term 2	Charanga Spring term 1 Charanga Spring term 2	Charanga Summer term 1 Charanga Summer term 2
Visits enrichment	Du Purton Challenge War Tunnels		