



# Stubbins Primary School Curriculum Planner

Autumn 1		Year 6	
English	In English, children are learning to write an <b>action-packed story ending</b> using the book <b>‘King Kong’ by Anthony Brown</b> as a stimulus. We will be consolidating and building on the children’s spelling, punctuation and grammar skills throughout our lessons each week.		
	This half term, our class novel is <b>‘Running Wild’ by Michael Morpurgo</b> .		
Maths	In maths, our first topic of the half term is <b>place value</b> . Children will be learning to read numbers to 10,000,000, round any whole number, multiply and divide by powers of 10 and use negative numbers in context.		
	The second topic will focus on the <b>four operations</b> (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division). Children will use formal methods to solve calculations including short division and long division. Children will also learn to identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers.		
Science	<b>Living things and their habitats</b> Pupils will be learning to describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals. They will also give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics.		
Geography	<b>Where in the world could we go?</b> Our geography topic this half term focuses on <b>China</b> . Children will locate China on a world map, label its neighbouring countries, and identify major cities using grid references. They will explore China’s diverse climates, major rivers, and surrounding seas. Research China and compare Beijing to Manchester. Children will also learn about China’s grasslands, their ecology, and the impact of human activity.		
Art/DT	<b>Art – Drawing: Making my voice heard.</b> In these lessons children will be exploring and creating art with a message.		
Computing	<b>Communication and Collaboration</b> In computing children will be learning how data is transferred over the internet, including the structure of data packets and addressing. They will engage in shared online projects, evaluate different communication methods, and learn about responsible online behaviour.		
PSHE	<b>Me and my relationships</b> In our PSHE lessons we are helping children to understand and manage their emotions, develop conflict resolution skills, and recognise the qualities of healthy friendships.		
PE	<b>Cricket</b> <b>Orienteering</b>		
RE	<b>How do Christians mark the ‘turning points’ on the journey of life?</b> - This unit of learning explores the concept of God in Christianity and how Christians mark significant life events, such as baptism and confirmations.		

<b>Music</b>	<b>Developing Melodic Phases - How Does Music Bring Us Together?</b> During these lessons, children will be creating and understanding melodies.
<b>French</b>	<b>Seasons and weather</b>
<b>Homework &amp; Spellings</b>	<p>For homework, your child is expected to read their reading book regularly, practise their spellings and complete their weekly maths homework. This is due in on a Thursday. Spellings will be sent home in your child's home learning book, on a Friday, and tested the following Friday in school.</p> <p>There will also be a whole school core value challenge you can complete if you want to. We would love to see photos/ videos on class dojo! These will be celebrated at the end of the half-term.</p> <p>If you would like to do any extra home learning relating to your child's curriculum topics, we would love to see what you get up to! Please send your photos on class dojo!</p> <p>Thank you for your continued support.</p>