

Subject: Mathematics Year: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	Number and Place Value	Percentages, Ratio, Proportion, and Scale	Geometry
	Addition and Subtraction	Factors	Statistics
	Multiplication and	Algebra	Project
Content	Division	Measurement	
S	Fractions and Decimals		
	End of topic assessments and an end of term test	End of topic assessments and an end of term test	End of topic assessments, Project and
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Britannica International School Shanghai Curriculum Plan - Year 6



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Subject: English Year: 6

Exam Board: NA **Syllabus Code**: NA

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	Baseline assessment	Moonfleet (19 th Century text)	War Horse (20 th Century text)
	Reading & Writing (F & NF)	Reading:	Reading:
	Grammar	Fluency, intonation,	Fluency, intonation,
	Spelling	comprehension, and analytical.	comprehension, and analytical.
	Reading (own level appropriate)	Writing: Discursive and analytical; descriptive	Writing: Discursive and analytical; descriptive
	Biographical Writing		
	First person, past tense, passive voice, time conjunctions, structuring and organising ideas, formal register.	Travel (Brochure) Writing Rhetoric devices, structuring and organising ideas, descriptive.	Poetry (range) Explore a range of poetry looking at language, form, and structure.
	Raider's Peril (21st Century text) Writing (F & NF): using text as a	Poetry (range)	Use poems explored as models for own writing.
Content	guide to language use and structure.	Explore a range of poetry looking at language, form, and structure.	Throughout term: Statutory spellings
Ö	Reading: Fluency, intonation, and comprehension (focused reading skills per content domain)	Use poems explored as models for own writing.	Grammar practice focused on personalised grammar plan.
	Poetry (range)	Throughout term:	
	Explore a range of poetry looking at language, form, and structure.	Statutory spellings Grammar practice focused on	
	Use poems explored as models for own writing.	personalised grammar plan.	
	Throughout term: Statutory spellings Grammar practice focused on personalised grammar plan.		
Assessme	Reading comprehension Grammar Spelling	Reading comprehension Grammar Spelling	Reading comprehension Grammar Spelling
As	Extended Writing	Extended Writing	Extended Writing



Subject: History **Year**: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Content	Term 1 Prehistory	Term 2 Classical civilisations	Early modern history Scientific Revolution European colonisation Industrial Revolution Modern history World Wars Cold War Globalisation Skills: compare and contrast, significance, change and continuity, causation.
Assessment	Multiple-choice tests based on content, and IGCSE style written answers.	Multiple-choice tests based on content, and IGCSE style written answers.	Multiple-choice tests based on content, and IGCSE style written answers.



Subject: ICT Year: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	Online Safety	Unit: Coding (1)	Unit: Data
	- Passwords		
		Topic: Creating Stories	Topic: Introduction to
	Unit: Communication	with Code	Spreadsheets
	and Hardware	Dualita una a altaire d	Farmanthing
	Tania: Cammuniaatian	- Problem solving	- Formatting - Basic formulae
	Topic: Communication and Collaboration	skills - Sequencing and	- Basic formulae
	and Cottaboration	selection	Unit: Coding (2)
	- Communication	Sciodion	Omit. Odding (2)
en	using technology	Unit: Cross-Curricular	Topic: Variables in Games
Content	- Project using	Project	
S	collaborative		- Iteration
	software	Topic: Designing a Web	- Games design
		Page	
	Unit: Media		
	Topic: Film Making	CopyrightWebpage design	
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	- Script writing		
	- Filming		
	- Publishing		
	End of topic tests	End of topic tests	End of topic tests
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Subject: Music Year: 6

Exam Board: N/A **Syllabus Code:** N/A

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
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nt	Unit 1: Cuban Music History/Geog Conga and Tumbao Ukulele technique 2-3, 3-2 clave Polyrhythms and ensemble skills Simple chord voicing on keyboards for Chan Chan Whole class	Unit 3: Hip-hop and Beatboxing Types of sound Methods of bb sound production Microphone technique Beat writing Bass line writing Lyrics writing Hook writing	Unit 5: Zimbabwe and South Africa Spiritual music Protest Memancipatory music Polyrhythms Compound time signature Marimba and xylophone technique
Content	performance Unit 2: Musical Ladders Pentatonic Scale Chromatic Scale Major Scale Major Scale Whole Tone Scale Listening exercises Semitones as building blocks Group composition	Unit 4: Rounds and Cannons Rounds from around the world Singing technique. Part singing Small group singing Keyboard skills Instrumental round writing	 Class performance Unit 6: Music and Art Program Music Pictures at an Exhibition Danse Macabre Isle of the Dead Composition based on artwork Musical elements
Assessment	Unit 1: Whole class ensemble performances. Formative testing through small group work Unit 2: Mini-compositions. Performance, evaluation	Unit 3: Performative and ongoing. Composition quality and final stage performance evaluation Unit 4: Performance evaluation + Compositions	Unit 5: Rhythmic and vocal small group performances. Whole class performance Unit 6: Questioning, composition, performance and evaluation



Subject: Native Chinese Year: Y6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	《爱读书》	《太阳》	
	《将相和》	《父爱之舟》	《自相矛盾》
	《猎人海力布》	《月迹》	《田忌赛马》
	《牛郎织女》	《祖父的园子》	《跳水》
	《白鹭》	《月是故乡明》	《威尼斯小艇》
Content	《珍珠鸟》	《草船借箭》	《牧场之国》
Con	《松鼠》	《人物描写一组》	《金字塔》
	《落花生》	《刷子李》	《景阳冈》
	《桂花雨》		《猴王出世》
	《四季之美》		《红楼春趣》
	《鸟的天堂》		
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Assessment	总结性综合考试		总结性综合考试
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Subject: Science Year: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Content	Lab Safety Risks and Hazards Hazard poster design Electricity It's Electrifying Circuit symbols Volts and Voltage Series and parallel circuits Resistance Living Things and their Habitats Classification The Linnaean System Sorting animals Grouping animals Micro-organisms	Light How we see Reflection and Refraction The Spectacular Spectrum Shadows Seeing Colours Animals Including Humans Circulatory system Water and nutrients Healthy lifestyles and exercise Impact of drugs and alcohol	Evolution and Inheritance Evolutionary Pioneers Evidence for Evolution Fossils and fossilisation Adaptation, Evolution and Human Intervention KS3 Anything That Floats Engineering Competition
Assessment	Practical assignments / Mid-unit assessments / Research Tasks / End of Unit Tests	Practical assignments / Mid-unit assessments / Research Tasks / End of Unit Tests	Practical assignments / Mid-unit assessments / Research Tasks / End of Unit Tests



Subject: Mandarin Level1 Year: Y6&7

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	Revision: Pinyin	Chinese New Year	Colours
Content	Revision: Numbers and Basic strokes Revision: Greetings and dates Age Telephone Numbers Family members Self-introduction Occupations	Time expression Daily routines Means of Transportation	Clothing Body parts Countries, Languages Dragon Boat Festival
Assessment	Formative assessment on each topic. Summative assessment on topics in Term 1.	Formative assessment on each topic Summative assessment on topics in Term 2.	Formative assessment on each topic. Summative assessment on all the topics learned this year.



Subject: Mandarin Year: 6&7 level 3

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Content	Topic 1: Appearance-Book3 Mid-Autumn Festival Appearance-Book4 Topic 2: Occupations-Book3 Occupations -Book4 Revision	Chinese New Year Topic 2: Occupations -Book5 Topic 3: School-Book3 School-Book4 Revision	Topic 3: School-Book4 Topic 4: Personality-Book4 Dragon Boat Festival Revision
Assessment	Formative assessment on each topic. Summative assessment on topics in Term 1.	Formative assessment on each topic Summative assessment on topics in Term 2.	Formative assessment on each topic. Summative assessment on all the topics learned this year.



Subject: Mandarin non-native **Year**: Y6&7

Level 4

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	Climate	Chinese New Year	Community Services
	Camping	Friends	Party
ب	Booking Airline	Hobbies	
Content	Booking Hotel		
ပိ	Going to Beijing		
	Formative assessment on	Formative assessment on	Formative assessment on
ent	each topic.	each topic.	each topic.
SSI	Summative assessment on topics in Term 1.	Summative assessment on topics in Term 2.	Summative assessment on all the topics learned
Assessment			this year.



Subject: Art Year: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Content	To Investigate The students will investigate the elements of art, through form, shape, colour, texture through a range of appropriate wet and dry media to develop their spatial awareness and organisation of materials. Exploring Art Elements (line and tone) Drawing: Line and Tone Medium: Pencil ② Blind contour observation (Linear drawing) ② Upside down copying technique Understanding pencil grades ② Pencil tonal scale ② Applying tone to drawing (shading) ② Applying tone to drawing (hatching/cross- hatching) ② Developing drawing skills	To Develop The students will develop their formal skills using media and techniques in order to develop personal ideas in relationship to other artists and cultures. Exploring Art Elements (Shape, colour) Medium: Acrylic paint and tissue collage and ICT (if appropriate)? Contextual research-? Studies/pastiche of artwork? Exploring properties and characteristics of wet medium? Observational drawings of everyday items? Developing drawing skills? Understanding block colour	To consolidate The students will consolidate the elements of art and formal skills of drawing, painting, printing and collage in order develop a more complex and personal outcome. Exploring Art Elements (tonal value) Drawing: Line and Tone Medium: Charcoal, Soft Pastel (chalk) ② Contextual research- cave art ③ Exploring properties and characteristics of medium ② Observing and applying tonal value (newspaper portrait) ② Lifting-out technique ② Creating self-portrait using colour (tonal value) ② Developing drawing skills
Assessment	Continuous and practical Assessment Baseline assessment Internal taxonomy sheet	Continuous and practical Assessment	Continuous and practical Assessment End of year assessment



Subject: Geography Year: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
	Doing Geography: Map Skills	China	Frozen Planet
Content	 Grid references Map symbols Understanding relief Latitude and longitude Types of maps Using an atlas Rainforests Rainforest locations Layers of the rainforest Plant and animal adaptations Climate graphs Human benefits of the rainforest Rainforest tribes Deforestation Sustainable management of the rainforest 	 Map China's human and physical geography China's physical and human geographic features Population distribution and history of migration Challenges facing future generations Describing and explaining China's varied climate China's variety of biomes Exploring diversity within China 	 Describe the location of the Arctic region Display the Arctic climate in a climategraoh Understand the wildlife of the Arctic Describe how human's use the Arctic Describe how native people survive in the Arctic Understand the different threats that the Arctic faces Evaluate responses to climate change in the Arctic
Assessment	Doing Geography: creating your own map using a variety of data presentation techniques Rainforest: Evaluating the different methods of sustainably managing the rainforest	Megacities research project on Shanghai	Short answer examination on key terms and processes



Subject: Physical Education

Year: 6

Year Group	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
6A	Block 1 Invasion Games Sports Choice: Football, Basketball, Netball or Hockey. Ball Control. Passing, Shooting and Dribbling. Tactical Awareness. Team working skills. Rules and Regulations. Match Fitness. Gameplay.	Block 3 Gymnastics Jumping techniques using the trampette and the vault Rolling techniques (dive forward roll and backward roll) Balancing techniques (handstand and headstand). Individual and Team Sequences. Individual and Team Performances.	Block 5 Swimming Consolidating skills from Block 2. Developing Water Skills (Underwater Swimming, Retrieving Underwater Objects, Skull Diving to different meters). Developing Swimming Strokes (Backstroke and Butterfly). Developing Breathing Techniques for different strokes.
	Block 2 Swimming Entry and Exit (Crouch and standing Dives). Water Skills (Push and Glide Techniques, Floating Positions, Treading Water, Underwater Confidence). Swimming Strokes (Freestyle and Breast Stroke).	Block 4 Athletics Running events (100m/200m/600m). Jumping events (Long Jump/High Jump/Triple Jump). Throwing events (Shot Putt/Discus.	Block 6 Net/Wall Sports choice: Badminton or Tennis. Hitting Techniques (Serve/Smash/Net). Movement around the court (Positioning). Tactical Awareness. Rules and Regulations. Match Fitness. Singles and Doubles Gameplay.



<u>6B</u>	Block 1 Gymnastics Jumping techniques using the trampette and the vault Rolling techniques (dive forward roll and backward roll) Balancing techniques (handstand and headstand). Individual and Team Sequences. Individual and Team Performances.	Block 3 Swimming Entry and Exit (Crouch and standing Dives). Water Skills (Push and Glide Techniques, Floating Positions, Treading Water, Underwater Confidence). Swimming Strokes (Freestyle and Breast Stroke).	Block 5 Athletics Running events (100m/200m/600m). Jumping events (Long Jump/High Jump/Triple Jump). Throwing events (Shot Putt/Discus.
	Block 2 Invasion Games Sports Choice: Football, Basketball, Netball or Hockey. Ball Control. Passing, Shooting and Dribbling. Tactical Awareness. Team working skills. Rules and Regulations. Match Fitness. Gameplay.	Block 4 Net/Wall Sports choice: Badminton or Tennis. Hitting Techniques (Serve/Smash/Net). Movement around the court (Positioning). Tactical Awareness. Rules and Regulations. Match Fitness. Singles and Doubles Gameplay.	Block 6 Swimming • Entry and Exit (Crouch and standing Dives). • Water Skills (Push and Glide Techniques, Floating Positions, Treading Water, Underwater Confidence). • Swimming Strokes (Freestyle and Breast Stroke).
Assessment	Teacher Observations. Peer-Assessment. Self-Assessment. Video Analysis.	Teacher Observations. Peer-Assessment. Self-Assessment. Video Analysis.	Teacher Observations. Peer-Assessment. Self-Assessment. Video Analysis.



Subject: Spanish **Year**: 6

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Content	Revision: Greetings and sounds	Professions Physical description and	The cinema.
	Classroom language + phrases	clothes.	The past tense: he visto
	The alphabet and spelling. Colours.	Verbs: tener and llevar.	Food and ingredients.
	Months of the year. Days of the week.	Describe your friends.	Vocabulary related to cooking.
	The school subjects: my timetable.	Sports and irregular verbs: jugar y hacer. Extended sentences	Typical Spanish food.
	Outdoors activities.	using connectives and adjectives.	
	The time Son las Es la		
Assessment	End of term activity: explain how Christmas are celebrated in any Spanish speaking country.	End of term activity: my ideal friend.	End of term activity: Master chef, students record a video of what they have cooked at home