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Subject	Learning	Resources, Trips and Visitors
RE	During summer term we will be studying three topics.  Witness - during this topic the children will be able to make links to show how feelings and beliefs affect their behaviour and that of others. The children will focus on telling the truth and the power of the Holy Spirit during Pentecost and the affect Pentecost had on the disciples as witnesses.  Reconciliation - during this topic the children will learn about the Commandments and how we should include these in how we live our lives. The children will focus on what happens when people become sick and need care. The children will also look at The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.  World: Common good - during this topic the children will learn about fairness and justice for the good of all. We will look at how Christians help charities and how we can support such charities (CAFOD, Nugent) The children will examine how Jesus wants us to be fair and just in the way we live our lives.	Ideas for the weekend: Attend mass and speak to Father John about Pentecost. Attend reconciliation at your local church. Research the role of a deacon. Research local charities and ask school council whether we can fundraise. Trips: St Patrick's church, Cathedrals Resources: The Bible, www.misiontogether.org.uk
English	Riose Blanche (Roberto Innocenti). This book will be used to develop a bravery award speech and a diary.  Shackleton's Journey (Willian Grill). This book will be used to write endurance narratives and a magazine article.	Ideas for the weekend: read magazine articles. Research, watch and read different speeches.
Maths	The majority of this term we will be focusing on statistics. We will be interrupting and constructing pie charts and line graphs and using these to solve problems. We will be focusing on calculating the mean as an average.  Also this term, we will do a lot of revision on specific areas which we may have struggled with in the past.	Ideas for the weekend: plan a trip to the shops, work out how much you will need to spend and how much change you should receive.  Trips: 1km walk around our local area.  Resources: 2d and 3d shapes from around the home. Let your children play with and use real coins.
Science	Our new science topic this term is 'Animals including humans'. In this topic, we will look at the main parts of the human circulatory system and what the function of each of the parts and organs is. We will also study the impact of drugs on the way our body functions. Finally we will learn the way nutrients and water are transported within animals.	Ideas for the weekend: Homework project - building an ideal home for an animal (more detail and resources given in class) Trips: Liverpool life science centre
Geography & History	The children will be combining our geography and history skills. They will be looking at our local area and how the history and geography of Liverpool has supported its success since 1948. The children will complete a project for this topic looking at the different industries and what was happening historically and how this affected Liverpool.	Ideas for the weekend: Visit landmarks around Liverpool such as the River Mersey, The Three Graces, Use maps to navigate around the city.  Resources: globe, maps of Liverpool and a map of the UK.
ICT/ Computing	In computing this half term, children will complete a topic about 'quizzing'. They will investigate different quizzes looking at what makes a good quiz. They will then investigate the coding and background building and sequencing that is required to create a quiz which reveals the correct answer. Children will create a quiz of their own	Ideas for the weekend: make a PowerPoint with your child to show us what you got up to over half term.
Art	This term we will be looking at 3D scultpures and will be looking to create 3D hats. We will research different types of hats and how they've been created and discuss what materials would be effective at creating our own hats.  http://stpatricksliverpool.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/Art-and-Designsubject-overview.pdf	Ideas for the weekend: as a family, visit on of the art galleries in Liverpool.  Resources: coloured card and scissors so children can create their own cut out art.
Design and Technology	Year 6 will spend time creating a St Patrick's memory textiles panel. We will be remembering our favourite things about our time in school and will look at the best way to represent these on a panel. Children will have a range of resources and materials to use and will be taught different stitching techniques they will be able to use.	Ideas for the weekend: Look at different textiles that you have in your home. Can you name the different materials and understand how they are created?

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PE	This term the children will be learning athletics and the skills to improve their own performance. At the end of the term we will complete an intra school sports day and some inter school competitions. We will also be focusing on dance during the summer term with the Year 6 show as our final peace. Children will be taught different dances and will have the opportunity to create their own routine in smalls groups and then put this together to create a whole class performance.  http://stpatricksliverpool.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/PE-subjectoverview.pdf	Ideas for the weekend: as a family, go for a run and practice your different skills.  Resources: join your local Life Styles gym.
Music	How Does Music Shape Our Way Of Life? - We Shall Overcome, Down By the Riverside (gospel)  How Does Music Connect Us With The Environment? - My Funny Valentine (musical), Theme from Schindler's List (J. Williams)	Ideas for the weekend: research and listen to a range of music from different artists. Discuss what you like about these and what you don't Resources: Charanga Music World login
PSHCE	This term pupils will be looking at budgeting and generating incomes. The children will complete a careers carousel and spend time talking to employees from different industries about how they ended up within their industry. The children will also be preparing for secondary school and will be completing a transition programme with Thumbs up based on managing challenging situations and positive thinking. Also, as part of the PSHE programme the children will look at extremism and terrorist actions and identify possible ways that people can persuade young people to join gangs.  Pupils will continue focusing on E Safety and be reminded of the PANTS rule.  http://stpatricksliverpool.co.uk/curriculum/pshe/	Ideas for the weekend: Make lists of all the positive experiences that you have had over the weekend and be thankful.
Spanish	Key Stage 2 to Key Stage 3 transition project	Ideas for the weekend: visit La Tasca and have a family meal - can you read the Spanish parts of the menu?

<sup>\*</sup> Not all subjects are taught in every term