

Year Six

	✓	Date:
1. Harvest their own crops	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2. Perform at a theatre	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3. Canoe on a lake	<input type="checkbox"/>	
4. Visit a zoo, wildlife or safari park	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Be part of a choir	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6. From classroom to 1km challenge	<input type="checkbox"/>	
7. Take part in a residential	<input type="checkbox"/>	
8. Meet an author	<input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Sing in a stadium	<input type="checkbox"/>	
10. Take part in a WW2 street party	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11. Produce a writing portfolio	<input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Study a rainforest animal	<input type="checkbox"/>	
13. Share my work with younger children	<input type="checkbox"/>	
14. Have daily access to ICT	<input type="checkbox"/>	
15. Celebrate a French Christmas	<input type="checkbox"/>	
16. Spend time at my next school	<input type="checkbox"/>	
17. Study a range of artists	<input type="checkbox"/>	

During every pupil's time at Riverside, we plan a whole host of exciting opportunities. Furthermore, we guarantee that every pupil will have an entitlement to a broad, balanced and exciting curriculum and pledge that every pupils will also have:

- The opportunity to learn a musical instrument for at least six months
- The opportunity to perform on a theatre stage
- A developed understanding of ecology and sustainability through our Eco-Schools work
- Opportunities to engage with sporting festivals and competitions
- Opportunities to engage in pupils voice and democratic activity
- A range of arts experiences including performing arts, which provide opportunities for all pupils to explore and develop creativity




**Our Curriculum
Pledge
2019-20**

**Information for parents
about our Riverside School
Curriculum**

This booklet has been compiled to give parents a brief overview of our school curriculum as well as an oversight of our Year Group Pledges— things which your child will experience during the school year and which you might want to link in with at home.

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Want to find out more?

Every year group in school issues a termly information letter detailing their 'curriculum jigsaw' for the term ahead. This gives information about the coverage in every curriculum area as well as ways you can link in at home. Our Curriculum Policy is available via our school website. There is information about each curriculum subject area and how we teach that element at Riverside, on our school website.

Year Five

	✓	Date:
1. Individually learn and recite a poem by heart	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
2. Write and perform a play	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
3. Perform a dance on stage to an audience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
4. Make and launch a rocket	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
5. Use an OS map to study and learn about the	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
6. Grow and harvest fruit and vegetables	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
7. Send an email from a personal account	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
8. Write a story for a younger class	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
9. Discuss mindfulness and personal identity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
10. Visit a science museum	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
11. Design and make a Greek clay pot	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
12. Participate in an Ancient Greek Olympics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
13. Sing in a choir	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
14. Visit a local library and take a book out	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
15. Experience the benefits walking can have on	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
16. Serve and order breakfast in French in a French	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
17. Write in the Greek Alphabet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
18. Compose and perform music as a group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
19. Bake a Viking loaf	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
20. Experience a day in the life of a Viking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
21. Build a shelter outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>

Year Four

	✓	Date:
1. Make a food product	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
2. Create a display for show and tell	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
3. Write and perform a poem	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
4. Perform in a play	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
5. Watch a play or a dance production	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
6. Use a camera	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
7. Contribute to the content of a historical re-enactment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
8. Make a model of a historical artefact	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
9. Stay away from home for a night	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
10. Have fun outdoors with water!	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
11. Have a new outdoor educational experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
12. Learn about a new religion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
13. Make up your own game	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
14. Visit a museum	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
15. Try a new outdoor activity; develop some new skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
16. Try an unfamiliar food item	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
17. Improve swimming skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
18. Learn to play a musical instrument	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
19. Dress up in a costume	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
20. Take part in a treasure hunt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>

1. The STAR Multi-Academy Trust - Curriculum Principles

The curriculum in each of our schools will be designed to help children become well rounded individuals who have had opportunities to develop:



1. Themselves

To become:

- Physically and mentally healthy
- Informed risk takers, problem solvers and critical thinkers
- Articulate communicators
- Reflective, resilient and able to self-regulate

2. Their ability to interact with others and contribute positively to society

To become:

- Tolerant and respectful of others: different people, places and cultures
- Responsible, aware and engaged citizens: locally, nationally and globally
- Able to develop appropriate and successful relationships

3. The knowledge and skills which will equip them for life

An entitlement to:

- Develop mathematical fluency and essential literacy skills
- Be taught a broad, rich and age appropriate programme of study in every subject
- Stimulating and exciting learning experiences both within and beyond the 'classroom'
- Opportunities to take part in sport, performance and other creative activities
- Careers education and guidance

Each school will ensure that its curriculum:

- Reflects local context and is responsive to need
- Is informed by the National Curriculum programme of study for each subject
- Delivers careers education as defined by the Gatsby benchmarks

2. Riverside School - Curriculum Intent Statement

At Riverside School, the curriculum is designed to: recognise children's prior learning, provide first hand learning experiences, allow the children to develop interpersonal skills, build resilience and become creative, critical thinkers. Every child is recognised as a unique individual. We celebrate and welcome differences within our school community. The ability to learn is underpinned by the teaching of basic skills, knowledge, concepts and values. We constantly provide enhancement opportunities to engage learning and believe that childhood should be a happy, investigative and enquiring time in our lives where there are no limits to curiosity and there is a thirst for new experiences and knowledge. We promote positive attitudes to learning which reflect the values and skills needed to promote responsibility for learning and future success. This brings to life our vision 'Learn to live and live to learn.'

Year Two

	✓	Date:
1. Write and post a letter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
2. Create and play a board game	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
3. Learn a poem off by heart	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
4. Take a trip to somewhere new	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
5. Bake a cake	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
6. Buy something and check your change	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
7. Write a weather report for your class	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
8. Build a bridge and test its strength	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
9. Become a nature detective	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
10. Dress up in fancy dress	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
11. Make a film	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
12. Grow your own vegetable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
13. Celebrate a festival from another culture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
14. Go bird watching	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
15. Learn a French song	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
16. Borrow a book from the library	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
17. Start a collection and share it with your class	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
18. Walk to a local landmark	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
19. Make a mask	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
20. Write and illustrate a book	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
21. Enter a competition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>

5. Year Group Pledges

Each year group has also made the following pledges for the coming academic year.....

Nursery

	✓	Date:
1. Go on listening walks around the school	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
2. Paint a picture of you and your family	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
3. Plant some seeds and watch them grow	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
4. Lie on the grass and look up at the clouds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
5. Try food from another country	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
6. Say hello in other languages	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
7. Look after our pet fish	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
8. Watch a caterpillar turn into a butterfly	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
9. Run in a race	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
10. Try Baby Yoga	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
11. Perform in a Christmas Nativity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
12. Listen to a story in the outdoor reading den	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
13. Build a giant brick house	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
14. Make a clay pot	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
15. Meet some farm animals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
16. Use a computer with a mouse and an i-pad	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
17. Learn manners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
18. Laugh	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
19. Dance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
20. Make new friends	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
21. Play musical instruments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
22. Bring in a show and tell to share	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
23. Get messy making food in the mud kitchen	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
24. Celebrate festivals from other cultures and religions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>

Reception

	✓	Date:
1. Visit important places in Tadcaster		
2. Paint a self portrait		
3. Plant some bulbs and watch them grow		
4. Go on a seasonal walk		
5. Go on a school trip on a coach		
6. Cook some food for everyone		
7. Taste a new fruit or vegetable		
8. Visit a place of worship		
9. Fly a kite		
10. Look up where you live on a world map		
11. Perform a song or a poem		
12. Re-tell a story to an audience		
13. Learn some words from different languages		
14. Take care of insects/animals		
15. Search for butterflies outdoors		
16. Take a photograph		
17. Make a treasure map		
18. Dress up days		
19. Run in a race		
20. Have a teddy bears picnic		
21. Play a musical instrument		
22. Try something new outdoors		
23. Talk about something special		
24. Find out about celebrations around the world		

Year One

	✓	Date:
1. Play Hopscotch		
2. Make some biscuits		
3. Taste foods from other cultures		
4. Make a puppet		
5. Put on a shadow puppet show		
6. Borrow a book from a library		
7. Discover what is in a pond		
8. Build a snowman		
9. Look up at the clouds, create a picture		
10. Perform a dance		
11. Go on a hunt for some insects or small creatures		
12. Make a home for an insect or small creature		
13. Create a class collage		
14. Visit a Wildlife Park		
15. Take part in play day		
16. Dig in the mud		
17. Sing and clap a rhyme		
18. Join an extra-curricular or out of school club		
19. Build a den		
20. Perform in front of your class		