

Curriculum Map - Japan  
Year 6  
Term 2 2020-21

**English**

**Fiction**

We will be studying the book *Sadako and The Thousand Paper Cranes* by Eleanor Coerr. We will be exploring characterisation and setting description.

**Non-fiction**

Journalistic writing and recounts

**Poetry**

*Overheard in Tower Block* by Joseph Coelho

**Maths**

- Fractions
- Geometry including properties of shape and position and direction.

**Computing**

Animation

**Science**

Evolution and inheritance:  
fossils, adaptation, evolution and variation

**History/Geography**

We will be studying various aspects of Japanese history, culture and lifestyle.

Geography of an island nation: Japan, including volcanoes and earthquakes

**Languages**

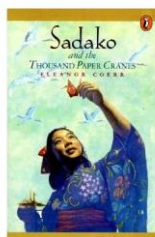
French 'Salut'

**Music**

*Happy* by Pharrell Williams

**PSHE**

Jigsaw- Celebrating Difference



**RE**

**Key Question: How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother?**

**Homework**

Spag.com  
Mathletics

**Things to do at home with your child**

- <http://www.mathletics.co.uk>
- <http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/ks2bitesize/>
- <http://web-japan.org/kidsweb>

**Art & Design**

We will be exploring Japanese art in the following mediums:

- Silk painting
- Ink block printing

In D&T, we will be making working fairground rides

**PE**

Netball and other ball games