Key skills for sixth from curriculum

Travel	Money	Food Preparation	Communication	Personal Care
Preparing to go out	 Savings – what? why? Bank account – what is it? opening Where? Why? Bank cards, PIN numbers, ATMs Who do you speak to? 	 Healthy and unhealthy choices To know about portion size Is able to show portion control Is able to make healthy choices To know why a balanced diet is important Is able to show what a balanced diet looks like Can show appropriate choices at different meal times e.g. not eating ice cream for breakfast 	 Using gestures / vocalisations / body language / speech / symbols / signing etc. Turn-taking (2-way conversation) Express needs/wants Respond to questions Ask questions 	 Getting Dressed Appropriate clothing Putting clothes on the right way round Putting clothes on in the correct order Putting a bra on Fastenings Knowing left/right Putting shoes on correct feet Shoe laces
Security • Locking door • Letting people know: Where are you going? When will you be back?	Process of shopping Shopping online Travel – buses, trains etc Getting the most out of their money – eg comparing same product in two shops Being realistic (as to what they can afford)	 Crockery and cutlery Knows where to locate and store items Can safely stack items in the cupboard Can make appropriate choices for needs e.g. doesn't choose a fork to eat soup Knows how to set a table Knows the importance of properly cleaning crockery and cutlery items 	 Conversations Talking with familiar adults Talking with unfamiliar adults Talking with peers Out in the community Speaking on the phone 	Keeping myself clean Brush hair Wash hair Brush teeth Run a bath Wash in a bath Shower Wash in a sink Hand washing Using soap/water Sanitary products Using a toilet
Walking skills ■ Being fit ■ Following directions	 Earning Money How? Jobs The exchange of work for money Other sources eg benefits, birthdays 	 Shopping Can write and follow a shopping list Can check what items they already have to see what is needed 	 Recognition of sounds Follow instructions with 1,2,3,4 key words Respond to whole class instructions 	Keeping my home cleanSweepingMoppingHooveringWashing up

		 Has a knowledge of quantity needed dependent on activity Knows what type of shops contain what type of stock Shows the different ways of being able to shop e.g. physically going, online shopping Can plan a trips to different shops/supermarkets Can show how they will get to a shop Can show how they can shop online, understands they have to wait for the delivery so they need to order in advance 	Respond to individual instructions	 Bins Knowing what items belong in each room Using products safely (COSHH)
 Wheelchair user Offering directions Speed push at 	What must you spend money? Food, water, electricity etc How? Phone, paypoints, post offices etc What can you spend it on?	 Unpacking shopping Knows which foods go in a cupboard Knows which foods go in a freezer Knows which foods go in a fridge Knows which foods are to be stored in containers e.g.pasta Safely stack items in a cupboard 	 Writing Mark making Signing name Filling in forms Agreement by signing 	 Keeping my clothes clean Knowing the difference between dirty/clean Putting dirty clothes into a wash basket Using a washing machine Drying clothes Matching socks Hanging clothes up Ironing Folding clothes
Time • Sequencing journeys	 Keeping Money Safe Purse/wallet In a bag Remember it! Keep it to yourself 	 Where to find food Can identify what type of shop stocks what type of food e.g bakery stocks bread, green grocer's stock fruit and veg etc 	Reading Recognising name Reading Symbols Reading words	Knowing who looks after me Family School Dr Nurse Hospital

	Who do you give it to? eg cashier	 Can identify the allotment as a source of fruit, veg, herbs etc Can identify places in the community to buy ready- made food e.g. Greggs, McDonalds, Co-op, Café etc 	 Recognising key signs in the community Recognising environmental signs Recognising shop signs 	DentistOpticianRespite carers
 Road safety Road crossing skills Traffic awareness Curbs and assessment 	 Who can help? Family Support workers Citizens Advice Bureau Store assistants 	 Kitchen Health and Safety Can identify the dangers of mixing water and electricity and can act appropriately to present danger Knows the dangers of sharp knives and can handle, use and store appropriately Can identify the dangers of tripping or getting caught in wires from electrical objects Can identify hazardous substances in a kitchen e.g. washing up liquid, bleach etc Can identify the dangers around ovens, especially gas hobs and the risk of fire or burning themselves and knows what to do in that situation Knows how to appropriately dispose of any waste food Knows what to do in the event of a broken glass, cup, plate etc Can identify the dangers of a kettle and can 	Using a phone Using a mobile Using the internet Sending / receiving emails Online forums	 My appearance Shopping for clothes Going to the hairdressers Going to a beauty salon Clothes for different occasions / activities Appropriate clothing Make-up

		 demonstrate appropriate use Can identify the dangers of liquid on the floor, and shows appropriate use of a wet floor sign Can actively act upon and dangers in a kitchen e.g. clean up spillages, hoover, sweep or mop as needed Has knowledge of importance of cleanliness and how to minimise pest/rodent problems 	
 Keeping your possessions safe Stranger danger How to store them What to do if something is lost 	Budgets	 Food Hygiene Has a basic understanding of food hygiene Can wash hands before food preparation or consumption Can wipe down surfaces before starting food prep Can use a chopping board when cutting food Can identify what food items need to be washed before consuming Knowledge of the need to wear aprons, hair nets, gloves when preparing food for others Has knowledge of why there are chopping boards in different colours Shows knowledge of food storage 	Keeping warm, dry, cool etc Sun cream Taking layers off when hot Putting on more clothes when cold Changing clothes when wet Putting heating on

	 Knows how to check a best before/use by date Has knowledge of cleanliness around shared food items e.g. don't lick a knife and put it back in the butter 	
Catching public transport	Food Packaging Can locate the best before/use by date Can locate and follow the cooking instructions Can locate the nutritional information Can check for allergens Can check if it is suitable for vegetarians Can dispose of packaging appropriately and recycle if possible	Sex and Relationships Education Managing monthly cycle Public / Private locations Public / Private body parts Public / Private activities Appropriate touch Saying no Relationships
 Recognition of bus and bus number Queuing Flagging bus down 	Food preparation Can find recipes from book and/or the internet Can follow a recipe Can identify what pieces of equipment they will need e.g. blender Can locate and use equipment for food item Can follow cooking instructions to make sure it is cooked properly Can maintain good food hygiene practises throughout	Keeping myself healthy Exercise Healthy eating Mental health Expressing ourselves Feelings Regulating our emotions

Catching a train	Can plan a meal	Keeping safe
Special assistance	 Can check how many people will be eating Can check if they need any special dietary requirements e.g. Halal, allergies etc Can make a list of ingredients needed Can order or purchase items to have them in time to prep Can plan in what order to cook the food to make sure it is ready at the same time 	 What to do when you're: Lost Sad Scared Ill etc E-safety Drugs Alcohol Smoking Stranger Danger
By bike Cycle skills Cycle maintenance	 Serving food Can use correct crockery and cutlery to serve food Knows to place food onto plate or bowl after cooking Knows a table needs setting when having guests Can take orders when serving larger groups 	
 Where I live Personal Address Where is the nearest bus stop? 	 Equipment and Appliances Can use a microwave Can use a blender Can use a cheese grater Can use a washing machine Can use a wide range of equipment and appliances Knows what to do when a machine is broke Knows what shops stock electrical appliances 	

	Knows where to buy	
	replacement equipment	