

Curriculum Overview

Summer 2022



Year 6

English

This term, we will continue to use sentence stacking in our lessons with drama and other experiences intertwined in each unit. Our narrative writing focus will use, *Moth* by Isabel Thomas and *Letters from the Lighthouse Keeper* by Emma Carroll, as a stimulus to help develop our narrative writing with a focus on figurative language. We will also learn about the language and structure used in writing balanced arguments. Later in the term, we will revisit the language of persuasion studying using *Greta*, a text outlining the campaigning of Greta Thunberg. Children will be expected to apply of their knowledge of the Year 6 curriculum expectations in final independent pieces.

Physical Education

Year 6 will have two lessons of PE every Thursday afternoon.

- Athletics
- Orienteering

Homework

Homework will be set each week. It will consist of times tables, reading and spelling. Children are expected to read daily.

Music and French

Our unit this term is Music and Me- we will learn about inspirational women in music

French

This term our unit of study is 'Moi dans le monde'

Science, History, Geography, Computing, DT

Science – Evolution and Inheritance

We will learn about the process of evolution and adaption and how life on our planet has been changed over thousands of years and how scientists have helped us develop our understanding.

History

Our final history unit of study will answer the question- How have people settled in Britain over time? We will explore the migratory patterns that have occurred on the island of Britain for thousands of years.

Geography – Hasbury

Year 6 we will answer the question- Are we geography ready? We will spend this term consolidating the knowledge we have gained throughout primary school.

Computing

We will learn about programming, creating variables and explore senses in gaming

Art/DT

We will investigate, design and build mechanical systems

We will investigate colour theory and produce a piece of art work that reflects study of a range of artists whose focus was colour theory.

Maths

Year 6 will spend the first half of this term revising the content of the primary curriculum in preparation for the Key Stage 2 assessments. Once these have been completed, children will continue to have daily maths lessons to ensure they are fully prepared for the rigours of secondary school- with a focus on number and calculation. They will have the opportunity to conduct mathematical investigation and learn about mathematics in the natural world.

PSHE and RE

Jigsaw

- Relationships and Changing Me
- Religious Education
- Incarnation- Was Jesus the Messiah?
- Salvation- What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?

Trips

Trips – Year 6 will visit the Houses of Parliament and the Natural History Museum in July, depending on transport costs.