

## 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 write a non-chronological report using a retelling of 'The Origin of the Species' by Sabina Radeva. We will also revisit the language of persuasion studying using *Greta*, a text outlining the campaigning of Greta Thunberg. Children are expected to apply their knowledge of the Year 6 curriculum expectations in final independent pieces. In our reading curriculum, we will read 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' and 'The High Rise Mystery'.

## 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, the 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 investigations and learn about mathematics in the natural world.

## Geography/History – Geography Ready/ Why have people settled in Britain over time?

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. Our final history unit of study will answer the question- Why 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.

## Computing

Programming and Creating Media- 3D modelling

## Art and Design/Design& Technology

In Art, we will explore the question-what is colour? We will study colour theory and how colour can reflect emotion. Our focus artist for the term is Vincent Van Gogh.

In D&T, we will combine a range of skills from across both the D&T and Art curriculum to construct a memory box that incorporates a range of different media.

## French

Vikings and Me in the World

## Music

Reading musical notation while playing the glockenspiel. Using the software 'Quickbeats' to create musical compositions using musical notation.

## RE:

- Why do some people believe in God and others do not?
- An introduction to the beliefs of Buddhists.

## Science:

Animals including Humans- Year 6 will explore the circulatory system, how to keep our blood and our bodies healthy and the effect of exercise on our body.  
Evolution and Inheritance- Year 6 will learn the discoveries of Charles Darwin, how animals have evolved and adapted to suit their environments over time.

## PE:

Dance, Athletics, Rounders and Hockey

PE day is on a Monday

## PSHE:

Changing Me

## Homework:

Mathletics and grammar will be set every Friday.  
Please ensure your child is reading daily.