

The Year 6 teachers would like to welcome all the Year 6 children and their families to the year group. This last year of junior school is very important for your child as they prepare for secondary school.

The children in Year 6 will sit SATs tests towards the end of this academic year. The work the children will produce over the whole year will prepare them for the tests and for secondary school.

Year 6 will be a challenging year and the children will be encouraged and supported to try their hardest and achieve the very best they can.

Additional support can be given at home through Times Table Rockstars which can all be accessed through our school website, www.clarendonjuniors.co.uk. If your child has lost their logins for this, please contact the class teacher.

The teachers will look forward to talking to you about your child at the parent consultation meetings. However, if you have any concerns please do make an appointment to talk to us.

Year 6 Teachers

Mrs Sanders- Leopard Class
Mrs Wardle — Upper Phase Lead and Orca Class

CLARENDON JUNIOR SCHOOL CURRICULUM INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Year 6 Autumn Term 1 2025 Take One World



ENGLISH

In reading, we are exploring "Black Powder" and working on improving and developing our reading and comprehension skills. In writing, we are focusing on setting descriptions and developing our vocabulary to describe. We will be consolidating our grammar skills throughout the term initialing focusing on word class and basic sentence punctuation.

MATHEMATICS

In Maths, the children will work on consolidating strategies for place value and the four operations of addition, subtraction, division and multiplication from Year 5- with a particular focus on written methods and reasoning. There will be a continuing focus on learning all times tables up to 12x12.

SCIENCE

This term, Year 6 will explore how the adaptation of plants and animals, to suit their environment, can lead to evolution. They will also look at how humans have changed over time and that a number of factors can affect a species' evolution.

GEOGRAPHY

The children will be using Ordnance Survey maps to develop their map reading skills. This will include using 6 digit grid references to locate different features and will find out why contour lines are useful. The children will create their own maps as part of this work.

MUSIC

We will be learning how to hold a part in a 3 part harmony whilst dancing in time with the music and each other. We will also explore singing with a sense of the context of the music.

ART

The topic for this term in art is producing 3D work from 2D work. The children will be looking at work by Lubaina Himid and using this to inspire their own creations.

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THEME:

'Take One World'

HOMEWORK

English, Maths and Spelling homework will be sent out on a Friday to be returned on a Wednesday.

Alongside this, the children are encouraged to read every day at home and practise their spellings and times tables. Times Tables Rockstars are available for the children to practise their skills.

RE

In R.E, Year 6 will be exploring the faith of Islam. The term will focus on how the faith encourages a sense of belonging in the community.

P.E.

As part of the P.E curriculum, we will be focusing on cricket and orienteering.

All children must have a change of shirt, shorts/tracksuit bottoms and a spare pair of trainers. All long hair should be tied back and earrings should be removed or covered appropriately.

P.E will be on Monday and Wednesdays for both classes.

COMPUTING

Children will continue to develop their understanding of internet safety. We will be exploring how the internet works and how information and messages are sent between computers and servers across the globe.

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

The children will continue to develop their conversational French and build upon their French vocabulary from Year 5. The theme will be 'Let's Visit a French Town'.

PSHE

The theme this term will be 'Very Important People' and will focus on relationships. Children will identify who their VIPs are within their families and friendship groups and how important kindness and respect are within these relationships. We will also explore conflicts and resolutions in relationships.