

The Year 6 teachers would like to say how well the children have settled into the year group and how pleased they are with their attitude and behaviour. Thank you very much for your support.

Your child will continue to receive homework every week. Please remind them to bring it into school on time. We would be grateful if you could encourage your child to read as often as possible. Our Reading Records will celebrate their achievements. The children are enjoying moving their apples on the tree. Alongside this, it is important that your child continues to practise their times tables. This really does make a difference to them!

Additional support can be given at home through Times Table Rockstars and Reading Eggs—which also includes a spelling section). These can all be accessed through our school website, www.clarendonjuniors.co.uk. If your child has lost their logins for these, please contact their class teacher.

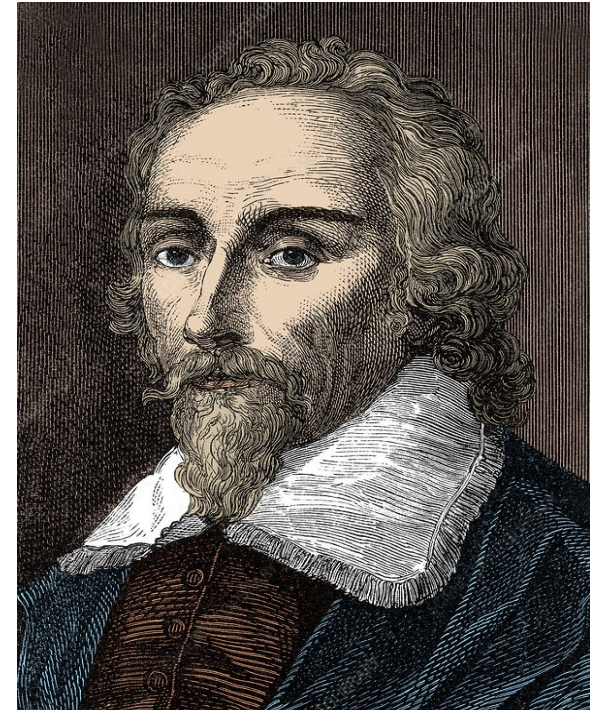
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**CLARENDON JUNIOR SCHOOL
CURRICULUM
INFORMATION FOR
PARENTS**

**Year 6
Autumn Term 2 2024
Take One Scientist**

William Harvey



LITERACY

The Literacy themes the children will be exploring this term are: formal and informal letters and character description within narrative. They will continue to develop a widening vocabulary as well becoming clearer on the purpose of the writing. Alongside this, the themes will provide the opportunity to progress your child's skills in grammar, punctuation and spelling.

SCIENCE

Throughout this term, Year 6 will be looking at animals including humans. Through practical and written activities, the children will learn about the circulatory system and what may affect it. They will also practise their scientific predictions and conclusions.

COMPUTING

Children will continue to be reminded of the importance of internet safety. what makes a good web page and use this information to design and evaluate their own website using Google Sites. Throughout the process learners pay specific attention to copyright and fair use of media, the aesthetics of the site, and navigation paths.

Homework

There will be spelling homework, 1 piece of English homework and 1 piece of Maths, given out on Friday for return the following Wednesday.
As well as this, Year 6 need to read at least 5 times a week and learn all their times tables and the related division facts.

MATHS

This term we will continue to consolidate the four operations of addition, subtraction, division and multiplication - with a particular focus on the written formal methods of short and long division and long multiplication. In addition, we will be looking at fractions and decimals and exploring position and direction. In all concepts covered, we will learn the basic skill and then apply this in different ways through different styles of questions using reasoning and problem solving.

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THEME: Take One Scientist

HISTORY

All the history work this term will be linked to the Victorians. We will look at what life was like for all classes under the rule of Queen Victoria. The children will have the opportunity to take part in a Victorian day later in the term.

DT

This term, DT will focus on textiles. Over the term, the children will use a range of materials to produce a money wallet of their own design.

P.E.

This term the children will be doing dance and netball. Please ensure they have the correct PE kit for both indoor and outdoor PE, including a change of footwear. This needs to be in school **at all times** due to the unpredictability of the British weather.
Both classes have P.E on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

MUSIC

Music will continue to provide the opportunities to listen and appraise a variety of music. They will also have opportunities to practise their singing skills through a wide range of songs. Also, the children will have the opportunity to produce a soundscape.

RE

In R.E, Year 6 will be looking Christianity . This will focus on the links between Jesus and God.

Modern Foreign Languages

The children will continue to develop their conversational French specifically about important places in France. They will also practise writing key phrases to build on their learning.

PSHE

The theme this term will be about safety. We will consider what it means to take responsibility for our own safety, including the decisions we make and how we can stand up to peer pressure in a range of situations. We will assess the risk associated with different situations and learn about what to do if they feel in danger.