

All of the Year 6 children have worked very hard this year following the curriculum. This term we will continue to build on their skills and provide opportunities to help prepare them for secondary school and their SATS tests.

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.

It has been wonderful to see how many of the children have been regularly moving their apples on the Reading Tree as they achieve each milestone.

Alongside this, it is important that your child continues to practise their times tables. This really does make a difference to them!

School website

Please use our school website www.clarendonjuniors.co.uk for regular updates and copies of letters sent home as well as additional homework opportunities. As well as Times Tables Rockstars, the children can practise their spelling skills and reading comprehension skills with Reading Eggs. If your child needs a reminder of their password to access these sites, please let your child's teacher know.

Year 6 Teachers

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

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Year 6
Summer Term 1 2026

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LITERACY

This term the children will look at fiction and non-fiction writing. The grammar and punctuation skills being taught will continue to be developed through the children's own writing. The children will be encouraged to broaden their reading and focus on making sure they understand what they have read. They will be given the opportunity to develop their skills of identifying and answering different types of questions.

SCIENCE

During this half term, Year 6 will be looking at how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals. They will be looking at the importance of the Linnaean System of Classification and who created it. The children will continue to practise their scientific predictions and conclusions.

COMPUTING

We will be developing our knowledge and understanding of using a computer to produce 3D models. The children will examine the benefits of grouping and ungrouping 3D objects, then go on to plan, develop, and evaluate their own 3D model of a building.

MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

The children will continue to extend their spoken French whilst looking at future and different types of jobs. They will also do some writing of short sentences in French linked to the topic focus.

MATHS

This term the children will continue to work on the four operations with whole numbers as well as recap fractions, decimals and percentages. We will explore the concepts of area, perimeter and volume using a range of different approaches to dig deeper into our understanding and add detail to our explanations.

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THEME:

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Homework

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

ART

The children will continue to build and create your layered portraits inspired by Mike Barratt. These will encompass the theme of identity.

P.E.

As part of the P.E curriculum we will be focusing on Gymnastics and Rounders. **All** children **must** wear their P.E kit to school on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Please can this be a white t-shirt (no vest tops please) and black or navy shorts, joggers or leggings and trainers.

HISTORY

In History, the children will explore Crime and Punishment throughout different eras of History. We will re-cap and extend the children's knowledge of chronology before delving into the details of the justice systems imposed by different leaders.

RE

This term, Year 6 will be looking at the faith of Buddhism. In particular, it will focus on what the 'triple refuge' is and how it helps Buddhists in their journey through life.

MUSIC

This term we will be singing and appraising music from a variety of eras. We will also look at musical notation and rhythms.

PSHE

This term, we will be looking at the topic Being my Best and will be exploring well being, aspirational goals and risks.

HARRY POTTER STUDIOS

We are very excited about our year group trip on the 15th of May to Warner Bros Studios to explore the sets of the Harry Potter films. We will be using this to inspire our persuasive writing when we return to school.