



*Through Christ we believe, inspire, achieve.*

# Welcome to Year 6

September 2025

# Who are we?

- ▶ **Ms Goulbourne (6A)**
- ▶ **Mr Lacey-Kiggins (6B)**
- ▶ **Mrs Naisbett**
  
- ▶ **Mrs Boylan**
- ▶ **Miss Hay**



# General Information

- ▶ **Timetable - A structured day!**
- ▶ **Homework for Autumn term**
  - **Daily Reading - Y6 Reading Book Club. Maths and English Boosters from January**
- ▶ **Termly topics - Conflict, Endurance, Transformation**  
**Whole School Schemes Followed:**
  - *Pathways to Write & Pathways to Read*
  - **WhiteRose Maths**

## Times tables

Please continue to practise your tables as often as possible. *TT Rockstar & 1-Minute Maths* details available.

## P.E kits

Tuesday/Wednesday/Thursday

Contacting teachers

# Read, Read, Read...

**Reading with your child is still essential.**

**Ask lots of questions and check their understanding of the text.**

**Reading fluency and speed is important too.**

**Reading interventions**

## THE MILLION WORD GAP

New research shows the different numbers of words kids will have heard by age 5 based on how often parents read to them.

Never read to: 4,662

1-2 times per week: 63,570

3-5 times per week: 169, 520

Daily: 296,660

5 times a day: 1,483,300







# Read, Read, Read...

READING SHOULD NOT BE  
PRESENTED TO CHILDREN AS A  
CHORE, OR A DUTY.  
IT SHOULD BE OFFERED  
AS A GIFT.

- KATE DiCAMILLO

 BilingualKidspot.com

**Read a variety of books,  
magazines... anything that  
interests your child.**

**Reading stamina - children  
should be able to read  
continuously for a period of  
time.**



# Maths

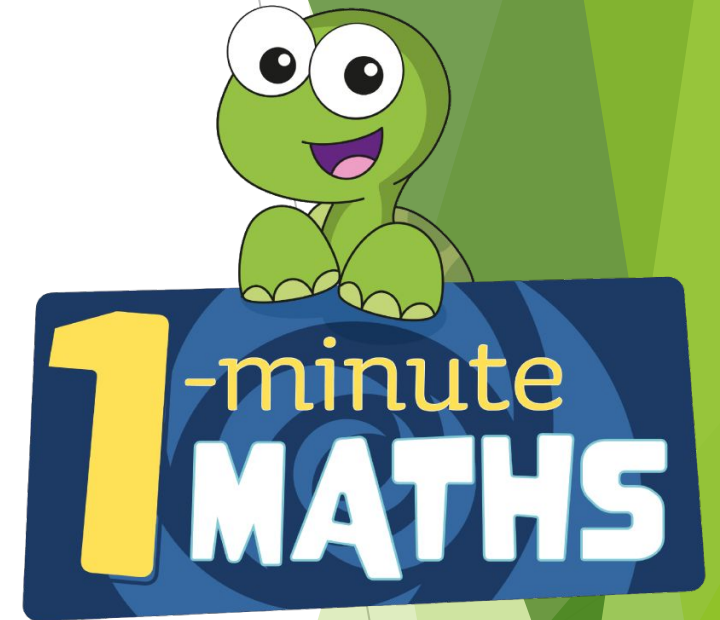
Basic skills - Vital!



WhiteRose - One Minute Maths (free app)

MathsFrame (free maths games)

TTRockstars



# RSE

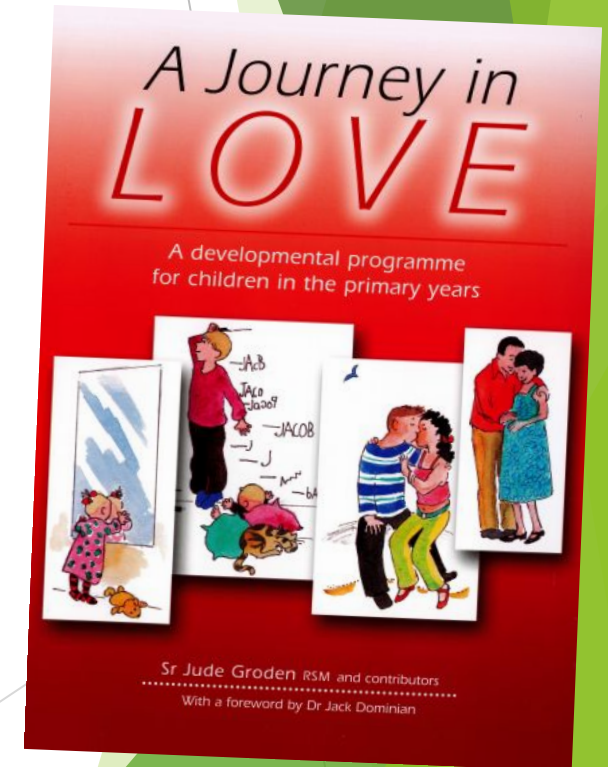
## *A Journey In Love*

Throughout the school children follow a relationship and sex education programme called '*A Journey in Love*'. This scheme has been approved by the Archdiocese of Liverpool's Education department.

This will coincide with our current R.E curriculum - '*Come and See*'.

There are five elements of development that will be explored:

- ▶ Physical
- ▶ Social
- ▶ Emotional
- ▶ Intellectual
- ▶ Spiritual





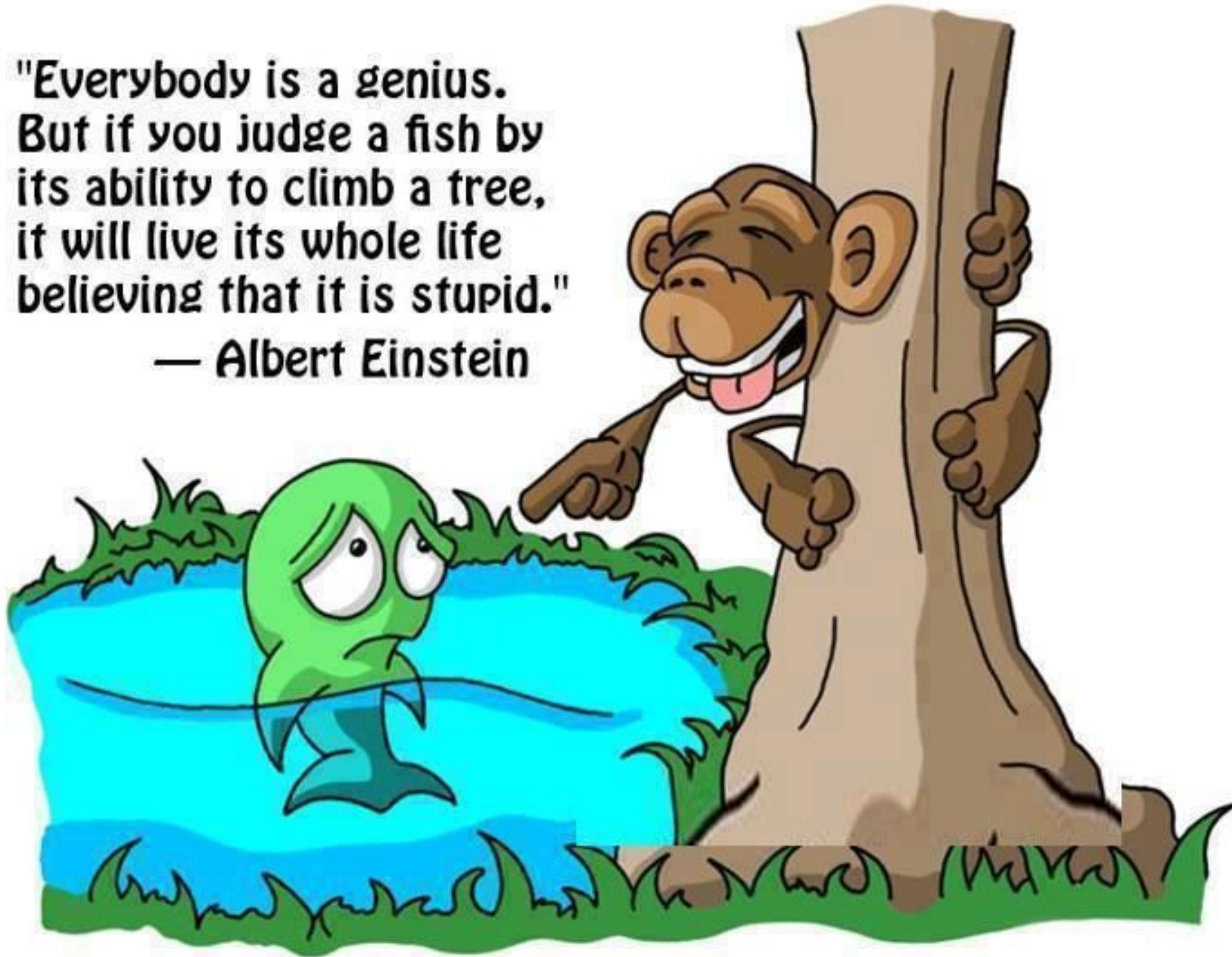
# KS2 SATs

- ▶ **Week beginning 11<sup>th</sup> May 2026 National Curriculum KS2 SATs**
  - **SPAG – 1 x 45 minute Grammar and Punctuation and a 20 Minute Spelling Test**
  - **Reading – 1 x 1 hour (3 texts including fiction, non-fiction and poetry)**
  - **Maths – 1 x 30 minute Arithmetic Paper  
2 x 40 minute Reasoning Paper**

**(Writing is teacher assessed by Y6 staff)**

**"Everybody is a genius.  
But if you judge a fish by  
its ability to climb a tree,  
it will live its whole life  
believing that it is stupid."**

**— Albert Einstein**





# Trip to Liverpool Western Approaches

Date: Monday 20th October

- ▶ Children to come to school dressed as an evacuee
- ▶ Bring a packed lunch





# Y6 Residential:

YMCA Lakeside

25th - 27th March 2026

