

Year 6 Information Sheet

Spring 2020



**Reminders:**

Please ensure your child wears their school uniform every day and has a pair of black pumps in school. Ensure your child is reading everyday at home.

Indoor PE kit is provided for each pupil.

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## **Year 6**

Teacher: Miss Kauser, Mrs Rashid and Mr Masuf

Teaching Assistant:

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**English**

Reading lessons will target comprehension skills both through written answers to questions and verbal reasoning. Our class novel this term will be, ‘The Explorer’ by Jacqueline Wilson. The writing this half-term will be focused around ‘The Giant’s Necklace’ by Michael Morpurgo. Grammar will be taught both in writing lessons and as a discreet separate lesson, ongoing throughout the week, alongside spellings which will be done on a weekly basis and will come home to be practised.

**Diary Dates**

Dates for class assemblies and educational visits will follow as soon as we have finalised them.

Science

In Science this term we will be looking at **living things and their habitats**. We will identify how living things are classified- using a range of sorting and classification keys.

We will look at habitats and how plants and animals are suited to these environments.

Topic

This half term our topic is **Rainforests.**

This topic allows the children to understand the significance of the geographic zones of the world and the similarities and differences of a region in South America.

We will learn where rainforests are located in the world and why they feature in these places.

**Maths**

Maths in Year 6 this term will cover a range of concepts that will support children in being fluent in their skills, as well as solve problems and reason with mathematical concepts. We will also begin to work on properties of 2D and 3D shapes, angles, area and perimeter and volume. Alongside this new learning, we will also spend time revising number, fractions and decimals. It is extremely important that children become fluent in all areas of maths and can apply their knowledge to a variety of different problems when presented in different ways, looking for the most efficient solutions. As always children will be practising their times tables which really does help them in many aspects of number, and we would appreciate your continued support at practicing them at home.