



Y6 Curriculum Overview

Spring Term 2019



English

- Handwriting, grammar, reading, phonics and spelling form an essential focus of our work in Literacy throughout all the curriculum areas.
- The children will have text focuses - Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone, MacBeth and poetry by Ogden Nash, Ted Hughes, Pie Corbett, James Reeves and John Coldwell.
- In addition, the children will focus much of this term on punctuation, grammar, comprehension and vocabulary work.
- Some of the genres this term will be Older Literature, information Text Hybrid and Poetry with imagery.

Physical Education

- Games
- Tag Rugby.

Science and Creative Curriculum

Science: Heroes and Villains: A topic which investigates the circulatory system and considers the relationship between diet, exercise, drugs, lifestyle and health.

DT: To design a healthy menu, through an iterative process.

Art and Design: To create portrait art through observations and research on artists such as Rembrandt, Van Dyck, Picasso, Mondigliani and also more contemporary artists. There will be opportunities for experimentation with dry and wet media and experimentation with colour mixing and shading techniques.

Computing & ICT: To use programming techniques to design and create a game which highlights healthy food choices.

French: 'This is France.' Key vocabulary related to living in France, and in particular Paris.

PSHE: To recognise the impact on diet. Drugs and alcohol and the way our bodies function.

Mathematics

- Counting, partitioning and calculating.
- Number facts, shape.
- Data handling and measures.
- Calculating, measuring, shape.
- Number facts, relationships, calculating.
- The children will be undertaking revision for the upcoming SATs.

RE

- Exodus: Why Exodus was such an important event in Jewish and Christian history?
- Easter: Who was Jesus?

Our Christian Values: Respect and Friendship

Music

- Music appreciation
- To investigate the portrayals of perceived heroes and villains in musicals.

Homework

- **Reading:** Children are required to read every night during the school week
 - **Homework:** Homework will go out on Tue and must return to school the following Monday giving everybody plenty of time to complete it.
- A 5 week homework project will also be set this term which relates to our topic.**

Class: Year 6
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