

**Maths:** This half term, the children will be re-visiting several curriculum areas already taught in the build-up to SATs week. They will also be introduced to new learning, and we will be covering shape and position and direction during this half term.



**English:** This half term sees the introduction of our new novel study 'Skulduggery Pleasant'. We will enjoy the story together considering new vocabulary and the character and themes of the story. Then we will write our own detective stories to 'entertain and intrigue' children in another class.



**Science:** This half term, the children will be exploring two science units. The first unit we will be looking at is around variation in different species. The children will explore how living things can be grouped by their species and within each species there are variations which make us unique! Their second unit of the half term will focus on adaptations and how living things have adapted to help them survive over time.

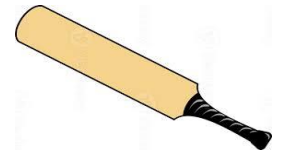
## Year 6 - Summer 1/Half Term 5

**Computing:** This half term, the children will be completing a Quizzing Unit. They will learn how to create a picture-based quiz for young children and to use the question types within 2Quiz. They will then make a quiz that requires the player to search a database.



**RE:** In RE this half term, the children will be focusing on Buddhism. During this unit they will explore the big question 'What do we mean by a good life?'. They will have the opportunity to learn about Buddha, the Four Noble Truths and the Eightfold Path.

**PE:** This half term, we will be moving on to a striking and fielding unit where the children will explore two main sports: cricket and rounders. We will be looking in detail at the three main disciplines in cricket and tuning our skills in these!





**History:** This half term, the children will be learning about World War Two, the causes and consequences. We will look at what life was like on the Home Front in Leyland, learning about the 'Battle of Bamber Bridge' and the role of women in the war effort. Answering the question Why should we remember the Second World War?

**Music:** This half term in music, the children will be continuing their learning of the recorder and reading and writing music correctly on the stave, creating their own musical compositions.



**PSHE:** In PSHE this half term, we will start the term by continuing the work we have started on British values especially the Rule of Law and then the focus will be around enterprise. The children will be thinking about the uses and power of money and different ways in which they could begin to earn money.

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**Art:** In art this half term we will book learning about the style of Salvador Dali. We will learn about surrealism and learn how to create optical illusions. Our final outcome will be a sculpture made from clay using bright colours to mimic the style of the artist.

**Spanish:** This half term in Spanish, the children will be exploring the world of music! They will be looking at different musical instruments and learning the many different genres before giving their opinions on these.



### S.A.T.'s timetable w.b 12<sup>th</sup> May 2025

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Date	Test
Monday 12 May 2025	English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2
Tuesday 13 May 2025	English reading
Wednesday 14 May 2025	Maths papers 1 and 2
Thursday 15 May 2025	Maths paper 3