

English

We will begin by finishing reading "Goodnight Mr Tom."
Our next class reader will be "Spylark"-an adventure story set in the Lake District and written by a local author. We will also look at the poem "Albert and the Lion", which is set in Blackpool. We will use these texts as a basis for continuing to develop our writing skills. We will continue to work on specific letter patterns and rules in spellings, as well as revising the KS2 statutory spelling list.

Maths

We will begin by looking at the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages, before moving on to work on area, perimeter shape and angles. We will also be recapping some basic maths skills in preparation for the children's transition to high school, as well as enjoying some more practical and investigative maths activities.

R.E.

We will be learning about Jesus' ascension and what happened at Pentecost. We will explore the Fruit of the Spirit and the idea of inspiration. We will then research some ideas about God held by people of different faiths.

Year 6 Summer "Exploring Lancaster & Beyond"

Key Vocabulary

Geography : OS map symbol
History: settlement, primary & secondary sources of evidence, chronology

Science: light reflection, rays, source, parts of the eye.
reversible / irreversible change, soluble, insoluble, solvent, saturated solution

Science

We will begin by investigating light, finding out about how light travels and how we see things. Our final science topic will be finding out more about the process of dissolving and reversible and irreversible changes. We really hope that the new kitchen will be ready for us to demonstrate some of these by doing some baking!

Art

In art we will look at the work of one of the Lake District's famous artists, William Heaton-Cooper.

Computing/DT

We will be Creating media – 3D modelling.

Geography /History

We will learn about physical and human features of the Lake District, whilst becoming familiar with ordnance survey maps. We will also be using some of these map skills as we study the history of Lancaster, focusing on how and why the city has changed over the last few hundred years. We look forward to carrying out field work in both these areas.

PE

We will be continuing gymnastics, using the field to practise our athletics, as well as working on tactics in rounders and cricket.

PSHE

In PSHE our focus will be on how we contribute to the wider world. Much of our work will take place during Year 6's "Citizenship Week", when we find out about local and national government, our responsibility within society and the rule of law. We also learn about managing money and hope to undertake a first aid course. We will also be working on developing a positive "growth mindset", to equip the children to deal with future changes and challenges.

Wider Curriculum

Citizenship Week, First Aid training, field work/local visits, transition days at local high schools, end of year production, planning our Leavers' Service.

Worship Values

Trust
Endurance