



Year 6 CURRICULUM LETTER

Summer Term 2 2026

Staff:

Year 6 teachers are: **6A** – Miss Mughal, **6B** – Mrs Rossall, Mrs Higgins and Miss Radcliffe.

Our Learning Support Assistants are:

6A – Mrs Ali, Miss Omer and Miss Aleena

6B – Miss Richardson and Mrs Hussain

Junior Jam will cover the class during PPA time, this half term it is a Tuesday morning.

Parents can contact us in person, via the school office, via Class Dojo and also at our Year Six collection point at home time.

Key information:

Please ensure full school uniform is worn as we take pride in setting an example to our younger students, this includes plain black footwear.

Physical Education (P.E.) kits need to be brought to school. We will wear them on our PE Days. Thursdays for **6A** and Tuesdays and Thursdays for **6B**. Please keep PE kits in school – we require them in school for clubs, extra activities and, at times, emergencies.

Spellings are set on a Monday and tested on a Friday. Please log on to Dojo to see these and support your child. Homework is set on both an online platform, Learning By Questions (LBQ), and different activities sent home in a paper format.

Important Dates (Further details will be posted on Class Dojo.)

- Children to visit the Minster Church in Preston City Centre, 10th June– Packed Lunch needed
- Secondary school transition days. Each school has their own dates. Please look out for emails from your child's next school for these, we will try and keep you posted but in the first instance, they contact parents regarding transition days
- The production to parents is on the afternoon of the 9th July
- Leavers' assembly – Morning of 16th July (Get your tissues ready!)



English

In English, we have begun a unit based on 'The Lion and Albert', a poem by Marriott Edgar. We are focussing sessions on writing and making sure your child is at the expected standard for high school. We are focusing on consistent tense, cohesion, structure and the basics – writing in sentences! Much time is being spent reminding children of the basic non-negotiables, such as capital letters, full stops and accurate punctuation. Please encourage and support your child by discussing the poem and reminding them about re-reading and checking their work.

Maths

In Maths we will be applying all the skills we have learnt throughout Primary School to solve a range of problems. We will begin with a unit focussing on how to plan our own fictional holidays. The children will study line graphs as well as create their own graphs to decide when the best time will be to go. They will also solve money problems and use their reasoning skills to find good deals.

Religious Education

This half term our unit is 'What is the Nature and Character of God?'. We will explore Christian beliefs about the nature of God, his character, and his relationship with people. We will also look at similarities and differences in beliefs about God across major world faiths. As the final unit we will be doing, it will be good to see how all of our knowledge from the whole year can be used to offer deep insight and thoughts into discussions.

Personal, Social, Health Education

In PSHE, we will continue to follow our transition work based on 'My Happy Mind'. We are also exploring and debating keeping safe, peer pressure and talking about changes at secondary school. **A separate letter will follow about the lessons regarding puberty and relationships, outlining lesson content and statutory requirements.**

Physical Education

Our PE sessions are on Thursdays. On Tuesdays, 6B are completing team building activities and outdoor adventurous activities. On Thursdays, in both classes, we will be choreographing our dances for our end of year production. Please ensure your child has the correct St. Matthew's PE kit for their PE sessions.

Art/DT

When we have completed our Arpilleras, we will move on to Aztec Art, based on the work of the artist Dan Fenelon. We look forward to creating 3D images based on his style.



Junior Jam

6A will have Junior Jam delivering their Computing, Spanish and Music this half term. 6B will have Junior Jam delivering their Music and Computing with Sports Cool delivering some P.E lessons this half term.



READING

Please read with your child daily. It doesn't need to be the whole book, 5 to 10 minutes is sufficient. Please sign the reading diary, this lets the teacher know they have been heard at home. We encourage children to read and reread books to become fluent. Parents who support their child with reading at home make more accelerated progress at school.

Ensure reading books are kept in your child's red reading bags, so we can listen to them read in class daily.

There will be a charge of £10.00 for any lost or damaged reading books.