

Year 6 Learning News - Autumn Term



A message from the Year 6 Team

We're excited about the term ahead and the opportunities it brings for our Year 6 learners.

This term, we'll dive into engaging topics designed to spark curiosity and creativity, while continuing to strengthen essential skills in reading, writing, and mathematics. We'll encourage pupils to think critically, ask questions, share their ideas confidently, and take pride in their individual achievements as they prepare for the next stage of their learning journey.

Mrs Upton, Miss Pillow &
Mr Glyn-Davies

Home Learning

Reading - 3x 10 minutes

Spelling - 3x 5 minutes

Maths - TTRS - 5x 5 minutes and Fluency Facts - 2x 5 minutes

Important Information

PE days - Tuesday & Wednesday

Upcoming trips, visitors or events -

Author Visit- Tom De Freston - Monday 5th October

Parent's Evening - 21st & 22nd October - more information to follow

INSET day - Friday 23rd October

Geography Fieldwork Local Work - more information to follow

Evacuee Day - Tuesday 17th November

We are learners...

English – As St Nic's writers our focus will be:

- Non-Chronological Report – Mythical Sea Creatures
- Recount – Terry Orange meets Opal Fruit
- Narrative retelling - The Arrival by Shaun Tan

Maths – As St Nic's mathematicians our focus will be:

- Number & Place Value
- Fractions
- Four operations (including BIDMAS)
- Fractions & Decimals

Science – As St Nic's scientists our focus will be:

- Animals Including Humans
- Electricity

RE – As St Nic's philosophers & theologians our focus will be:

How do beliefs and ideas about land shape the way human beings live?

Geography - As St Nic's geographers our focus will be:



I wonder why population changes...

To examine population change throughout history and the push and pull factors that affect this.

History - As St Nic's historians our focus will be:

I wonder if World War 2 had an impact on people's lives in Britain...

A study to investigate the impact of WW2 on Britain including on the local area following The Blitz.

Music - As St Nic's musicians our focus will be:

Singing: Theme – Songs of World War 2

PSHE - As St Nic's citizens our focus of learning will be:

- Being me in my world
- Celebrating Differences

Art - As St Nic's artists our focus will be:

Drawing: Street Art inspired that conveys an important message

Artist (s) Focus: Banksy, Shephard Fairey & Davia King

Final Piece: Artwork conveying an important message

Design Technology - As St Nic's Design Technologists our focus will be:

Electrical Systems: Designing and building an Anderson Shelter with a working light system

PE - As St Nic's athletes our focus will be:

- Fitness
- Dance
- Football
- Netball

Computing - As St Nic's computer scientists our focus will be:

Online Safety: Self-Image and Identity, and Online Relationships

Programming A: Variables in games

Computing systems and networks: Communication and Collaboration

French – As St Nic's Linguists & Communicators our focus will be:

- Time
- Daily Routine
- Physical Description

Aim high, be courageous and show love