

Summer Term 2024



Year 6

Year 6 will be taught by Mr Helm and Miss Lamb, supported by Mrs Jahangir.

English

In English, we will continue to apply all of our grammar and punctuation understanding to a range of fiction and non-fiction writing genres such as narratives, instructions and persuasive arguments. Our whole class novels and history learning in class will provide a stimulus and motivation for much of our writing. Our class novel will be 'Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief' by Rick Riordan.



Maths

We will begin this term by completing our learning about geometry, including angles and coordinates, and statistics. We will also continue to consolidate our understanding of number through regular arithmetic and number sessions. After half term, we will recap the key learning from this year so that we are fully ready for the KS3 maths curriculum next year.

Science

In Science, we will complete our work on 'Evolution and Inheritance' before focussing on 'Animals including Humans'. In this unit, we will learn about the circulatory system and how our bodies react when we exercise.

RE

Our work in RE will begin by exploring Judaism and the importance of the Torah to Jewish people. We will then explore the idea of faith and how a person's faith can help them when life is difficult.



History

We will be continuing with our topic about Ancient Greece this half term.

Geography

In Geography, we will learn about our local area and region. We will explore the human and physical features of our local area and



how they impact and are impacted by the people that live here. We will then compare our local area to other areas of the United Kingdom.

PSHE

We will prepare for secondary school by learning how to make the right choices in terms of emotional and physical health and exploring relationships. We will consider issues of society, community and global concerns. We will focus on 'Being our Best'.

Music

Children will be learning a two-part song about the value of friendship. They will learn a backing vocal and actions to the chorus. Children will learn to read a score for percussion parts to accompany the song. They will learn a two-part rap, and then decide when to include additional contributions for a good performance.

Art

Our art work will focus on 3D modelling and sculpture.

Design & Technology

Our work in DT will be a unit based on designing and making Greek Food.

Computing

In Computing, we will develop our understanding of 3D modelling as we work online to create and combine a range of shapes to design and create a 3D desktidy.

PE

In PE, we will develop striking and fielding skills and use all previously learned skills in a range of sport activities and games.



French



In French, we will consolidate previously learned vocabulary and grammatical structures whilst adding to this learning in topics about 'The Future' and 'Jobs' to enable longer conversations.

Helpful information:

PE:

Full kit needed in school on Wednesday and Friday. (PE kits can stay in lockers throughout the week).

Please ensure that children have an outdoor PE kit (tracksuit and trainers) in school. Earrings must be removed.

Homework:

Year 6 pupils will be given the following homework to be completed every week:

English and Maths – given on a Friday and due on the following Friday.

Reading Records – **must be brought in to school every day**

Please sign your child's record when they have read at home. Reading Records will be checked every Friday – children must read at least three times each week at home.

Please spend time discussing and interrogating your child's understanding of what they have read. Encourage them to evaluate and summarise what they have read, providing examples from the text to justify their opinions and answers.

Key Dates

SATs Week: 13th – 17th May

Keswick Week: 20th May – 24th May