

Year 6 – Summer 2

The children have worked hard all year and put all their effort into their SATs last term.

We are very proud of all the children. We are looking forward to a fun-packed final half term in Year 6 before moving on to High School.

The children will rehearse for our end-of-year production and we will be undertaking a project connected to the British monarchy.

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English

This half term, we will be writing a range of genres for our research project on Queen Victoria. We will also be working hard on our drama skills, including speaking and listening in preparation for our performance for the end-of-year production and leavers' assembly.

R.E

We will continue our work on our unit 'What matters most to Christians and humanists?' As part of this unit we will be exploring the 'Code for Living' according to Christians and humanists, discussing the similarities and differences. Towards the end of term we will explore the unit 'What difference does it make to believe in Ahimsa (harmlessness), Grace (the generosity of God), and Ummah (community)'?

PSHE

We will be covering healthy relationships and online safety and then work on exploring feelings connected to our transition to secondary school. We will also cover the risks and effects of different drugs. We will also be learning about puberty and human reproduction. Please contact your class teacher if you have any questions about this.

Homework

This half term, we will be running our homework slightly differently to the rest of the year. The children will still be expected to read at least 4 times a week and have their reading log signed.

We are also giving the cohort two challenges to complete.

Challenge 1:- To learn their lines for our production.

Challenge 2:- To create a research project relating to a chosen King or Queen—presenting your findings through a range of ways e.g. poems, a story, paintings, models, non-chronological reports etc. Please be as creative as you can. This will be due in on Thursday 16th July.

Creative Curriculum- Science

This term we will be looking at animals through classifying living things into broad groups. We will carry out investigations about micro-organisms and explore our local habitats, including our class tree.

Born to Lead!



Maths

We will continue to revisit the Year 6 curriculum through investigations and practical activities such as, measuring, costing activities and application of their maths knowledge.

PE

The children will continue to have an outdoor games session on Monday and indoor PE on Tuesdays. We will also be completing dance routines for our production. During the week of the 15th June, the children will take part in a number of sports for 'Get Active' week such as climbing, badminton, tennis and a Soul Padel Experience.

Creative Curriculum – Art

Art this term will be looking at the symbolism used within portraits of monarchs to show their power and legacy.

Computing

The children will use the internet to support our topic work. We will also learn how to use Microsoft Excel and Google Sheets.

Creative Curriculum – History

This half term our topic is called 'Born to Lead'. In this topic, we will be looking at leaders from around the world as well as focusing on British Monarchs throughout the ages. Our main study in class will be the study of 'Queen Victoria' and the impact her legacy had on aspects of British history such as advances in technology during the 'Industrial Revolution' and the expansion of the 'British Empire'.

The children will also choose their own monarch to research and will ultimately produce a research project about their reign.

Creative Curriculum- Music

During this half term, the children will continue to learn how to play the recorder.

They will also improve their vocal ability, singing in parts and harmony. We will learn songs for our school production as well as the leavers' assembly.