



English

Reading: The children are expected to read for at least fifteen/twenty minutes each day (a minimum of three times a week). Please encourage your children to read age appropriate material whatever the genre.



Handwriting: Children are encouraged to write in cursive joined handwriting at all times to enable them to meet the expected standard for the end of year 6.

Writing:

Our children will be recapping grammar knowledge including word classes, active and passive tense.



The children will be working on writing a narrative based on the short clip of Alma. We will be using speech to advance character action. They will also be writing a balanced argument. Children will have their writing moderation in the middle of June.

Maths

During this term, Year 6 will be re-covering a range of topics in preparation for their SATs assessments and to aid their transition to year 7; including a range of investigatory challenges.

Science

This half term, the children will be learning about their Circulation and health. In preparation for year 7, we will also be writing a scientific report based on our science module:



History

We will be looking at Migration to Britain over time, the reasons behind it and the benefits to our society.

RE

In Year 6, we are looking across the religions of Christianity, Buddhism and the world view on Humanism. We will consider how people can live together for the good of all.

PSHE +C

This term year 6 will be thinking about relationships and their mental health. Children will learn about puberty in boys and girls; the changes that they go through and discover the stages of development of a baby starting at conception.

DT

Structures: playgrounds. This unit involves designing, evaluating and creating structures for a mini-playground landscape.

Spanish

We will be learning all about 'Yo En El Mundo' which is learning all about themselves in the world.

Music

We will be learning the compositions for our year 6 leavers play. The children will be focussing on the art of performance.

Home Learning

In addition to times table practice and the 3x weekly reading expectation, Year 6 will have a home learning creative menu to choose activities from and CGP books to work through.



Please encourage the children to engage in these to set up good habits and expectations for their transition to secondary education in September.

General Points

The children are expected to be organised and we encourage them to be independent whenever possible, i.e. remembering their equipment for each day. **This is especially important with the children preparing for secondary school in September.** Please encourage them to get into the habit of placing everything they need for school into their bag during the previous evening.

PE

PE lessons are on Thursdays. Please ensure the correct PE uniforms are worn to school on this day.

Children will be looking at skills within athletics and Quidditch during this term.

All their belongings, including items of clothing, are the children's responsibility, and should be **clearly named** to ensure the best chance of them being returned to their rightful owner!

If you have any queries or concerns about any aspects of the curriculum or your child's progress, please do not hesitate to contact your child's Class Teacher in the first instance.

We feel strongly that home and school need to work together to ensure the best outcomes for our children and we are here to support in any way that we can.

Please use the relevant class email in the first instance if possible. If you wish to meet with your class teacher, please try to arrange an after school session (and avoid Wednesday- staff meeting day.)

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