

English:

Children will be learning about the Windrush Generation and their experiences of London. We will move onto a suspense unit based on a short film called Alma, where the children will develop skills in building suspense through a range of literary features. Moving forward, the children will study the book 'Skellig' and explore an unusual character, whilst considering the impact of descriptive language on the reader. The children will also be writing their Bye Highfield piece for the yearbook.

Maths:

Children will be building on their arithmetic learning and covering a range of topics. Children will learn how to use Area, Perimeter and Volume in real life problems. They also will be introduced to the concept and language of Ratio and Proportion. Following this topic, they will move on to our Statistics topic where they will draw and interpret a variety of different graphs and charts.

Science:

In the first half-term, we will be looking at Electricity. This topic will build on children's learning from Year 4. It will also link with our STEM learning. In the second part of the term, children will learn about Light and how we can see objects due to the way that light travels.

PE:

Our PE lessons will be focusing on Athletics, OAA, Striking and Fielding, Athletics and Hockey. The children will be building on previous skills and refining these further.

PE Days:

6A – Wednesday and Friday

6C – Wednesday and Friday

6P – Monday and Tuesday

Dear Parents/ Carers

We would like to wish you a Happy Summer Term and hope you all had a fantastic Easter break. We are very much looking forward to continuing the excellent progress your children have made in the past terms. As always, please do not hesitate to contact us if there is anything you need to discuss. Thank you. Miss Altundal, Ms Christoforou, Mrs Crossie, Miss Panchal and Ms Greenhill.

Year 6 Curriculum News Summer Term Topic: Marvellous Movies

Transition:

Children will be focusing on their transition in to Secondary School. They will have the opportunity to research their Secondary school, look at a timetable and the variety of lessons they will be taught and who are the members of staff they need to know. Children will experience many changes and emotions about their transition so it is important for them to learn about making new friends and what challenges they could experience.

French:

This term we will be learning about different animals through our 'Carnival of the Animals' topic. We will then learn about different French celebrations and national holidays, such as Bastille Day, in order to get a better understanding of French culture and history.

Don't Forget:

PE kits must be worn to school on the days your child has PE.

Homework will be uploaded to Google Classroom on Fridays.

Spellings will be uploaded to Google Classroom weekly.

Water Bottles should be brought in daily and should be named.

Uniforms must be correct and clearly labelled with a permanent marker. All children must wear black shoes or trainers.

Religious Education:

Our RE lessons will focus on Hajj, the pilgrimage taken by Muslims at least once in their lifetime. This is one of the five pillars of Islam.

Children will also learn about the inspirational life of Hany El-Banna, the co-founder of Islamic Relief, and why he is a significant person in Islam.

Art, Design & Music: The children will be learning about the wonderful life and creations of Roy Liechtenstein and will create their own Pop Art piece using pointillism. In addition, the children will be learning about different rhythms and instruments. Children will also be helping to create the props and backdrops for the Y6 production.

ICT: During our ICT unit, the children will be learning about the importance of staying safe online. In addition to this, the children will be learning cells and how to input data onto Google Sheets. We will link this to Maths by collecting class data and inputting this to create a graph.