

## English

In English this term, we will begin by studying 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. We will then move onto the graphic novel 'The Island' by Armin Greder and will explore the themes of conflict and differences. Finally, children will develop their debating skills when studying 'Zoo' by Anthony Browne.

## Maths

In Maths this term, the children will be learning about the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages. Within this learning we will cover a range of fluency, reasoning and problem-solving questions. It is important that all children are completing their Maths homework on MyMaths – this is an excellent revision tool and an opportunity to recap on previous learning.

## Art & Design

In Art, we will be exploring propaganda through time and use different tools and specific techniques to create our own propaganda poster based on, 'Our World, Our future.'  
In D&T, we are learning about cooking and nutrition (baking bread). Within this topic we will look at seasonality, and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed.

## French

This term in French, we will be looking at the 2022 Winter Olympics taking place in Beijing. We will continue revising our understanding of the Future Tense using the verb "aller".

## Dear Parents/Carers

Happy New Year! We hope that you all had a great break spending quality time with family and friends. We are very much looking forward to continuing the excellent progress the children made in the Autumn term. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to one of the Year 6 team. Thank you.  
Miss Panchal, Miss Altundal, Miss Christou, Miss Greenhill and Miss Brown.

# Year 6 Topic Web Spring Term

Topic: Our World, Our Future

Value: Equality

## Science

In Spring 1, we will be describing how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences, including micro-organisms, plants and animals.  
In Spring 2, we will be learning to identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and explain the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood. Also we will learn about the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle.

## Music & Drama

Throughout the Spring term, we will be incorporating our English and Geography topics within our Drama learning.  
For Music we will be focusing on 'You've Got A Friend', by Carole King in Spring 1.

## Reminders

**Homework** – Weekly Homework is set on Google Classroom on a Friday and is due the following Wednesday. Maths Homework is set on MyMaths.  
**Water bottles** – Please ensure all children come to school with a full water bottle that has their name and class clearly labelled.  
**Uniforms** must be correct and clearly labelled with a permanent marker. All children must wear black shoes or trainers.

## Geography/History

In Spring 1, we will be studying three contrasting regions (London, Mediterranean and the Amazon basin). We will look at how different factors impact these different regions, including: land use, pollution, tourism and migration.  
Within Spring 2, we will be learning about WW2 and how the war impacted our local area and London in general. There will be reference to the Windrush generation and Race Relations Acts up to present day.

## PE

Indoor PE this term will focus on gymnastics (matching and mirroring). Outdoor PE will focus on invasion games (tactics in netball/rugby).

### PE Days:

6A – Thursday

6C – Friday

6P – Thursday