



Year 6 News



Summer 1

A message from Mr Lowe

Welcome back to what I'm sure will be a fun and enjoyable final term for Year 6. The children will be working very hard this term and completing lots of preparation work to ensure they are ready for the SATs. We have so much to look forward to this term as we endeavour to make this a special and memorable time for them. We are all so proud of our class.
Thank you Year 6 - you are an amazing class!!

Staff

Mr Lowe

Mrs Bills

Homework

In year 6 we aim to set 2 pieces of homework each week: Literacy and Numeracy. It will be given out on a **Friday** and must handed back in by **Wednesday**.

The children will also get spellings to learn and are expected to read at home most nights..

Reminders

Please bring your water bottle, planner and reading book every day and remember we are a nut free school.

PE

In Year 6, our PE sessions will be every Wednesday morning and swimming will be on a Thursday afternoon.

Please remember to take out earrings and remember to bring PE kits. As the weather gets can still be cold, please make sure an outdoor PE kit is in school too.

Birthdays

May:

Oscar

George

Max G

Dates to remember

6-7th May—Parent's evening

12th-15th May—SATs week!

20th May—Islamic Exhibition Centre Trip

23rd May—Praise and Break up

English

During this half term we will be examining the video 'Alma' and use it to create a piece of writing. Here are some of the objectives we will be covering:

- Identify and comment on writer's choice of vocabulary, giving examples and explanation.
- Use of hyphens
- Use the parenthesis to add in extra information about a character or scene.

Maths

In our maths lessons this half term we will be focusing on these targets that we have found that we need a little more work on:

- Identifying prime numbers, composite numbers, factors, multiples and prime factors
- Working with fractions on the four operations
- To form and solve algebraic expressions.

Science

Our learning focus will be learning Evolution and Inheritance.

Children will learn about how some species have gradually evolved through natural selection to help them to adapt to their environment around them. The children will also learn that animals and plants produce offspring that are similar but not identical to them and offspring often look like their parents because their features are passed on.

RE

Our R.E. work will be based around learning what it is like to be a Muslim in Britain today. This unit will involve the children looking into what the 5 Pillars of Islam are and how they guide a Muslim through life. We will explore what each of them mean and how it affects a Muslim's day to day life.

PE

Our PE unit will focus on athletics.

The children will improve their ability to throw various objects in athletics style games and they will also learn how to use a range of jumps to jump the farthest distance and height in a competitive tournament. This will lead us up to our District Sports Event that some children will take part in!

Topic

Our history this half term is going to be based on Migration. This is a fascinating unit where the children will dive into migrants and what it involves. The children will then see how migrants have changed our lives in many ways, such as what types of foods we eat and even what types of music we listen to.

Computing

In this unit, the children will look at text adventures and how they can create their own interactive story that gives a user multiple outcomes. They will learn how to plan using a flowchart which will then help them to code and create their own text adventure.

Art/Technology

During DT this half term, the children will be looking at cooking! In our cookery lessons, the children will learn how to create a range of recipes that are sweet and savoury and will learn the basic skills when it comes to preparing and cooking a meal. They will learn about seasonality with fruit and vegetables and discuss how a diet can impact our lives.

French

Our French unit for this half term will be all about school. Here the children will learn how to talk about different subjects they complete at school and learn how to give their opinion on them with a justification!

