

Geography

Year 6 will, over a series of sessions, describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, with a particular focus on rivers and the water cycle.



Computing

In Year 6, the children will continue their work on E-Safety with a lead into Digital Awareness which will be a main focus next term. They will also explore control technology through a variety of software programmes.



PE

Outdoor PE: cricket and team games on the field, using skills in defending, striking and fielding.

Indoor PE: the children will learn and help to choreograph a 'flash mob' dance sequence!

Maths

SATs preparation - the children will revisit all areas covered so far and will be familiarised with arithmetic and reasoning-style questions.

Maths will be taught discretely with links to the topic where appropriate.

The children will also experience investigations and activities designed to develop their logical-thinking skills.

Religious Education



The children will explore the issues of what it means to be part of a community and its implications for personal behaviour using Bible narratives or Bible themes on the subject of community life.

MOVING ON



Extra information!

Children's Parade: **5th May 2018.**

SATs week: **14th - 17th May 2018.**

French Trip visit: **18th - 22nd June 2018** (Summer Term 2)

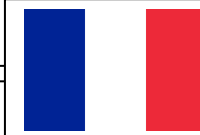
Bikeability: **12th - 13th July 2018** (more details to follow)

How can you help?

- Encourage regular reading at home
- Practise times tables as well as spelling lists or patterns
- Assist with home learning tasks when set

French

Year 6 will focus on daily-life vocabulary and sentence building in preparation for the French Trip in June.



Music

Samba

As part of our preparation for the Festival Parade, Year 6 will learn a variety of Samba rhythms using different Samba instruments and they will perform these as a group.

Art and Design

Year 6 will continue to build, cover and paint structures for the festival parade event.

The other in-class learning focus will bring together photography and different techniques learned so far to design, create and evaluate a piece of work inspired by Andy Warhol in a pop-art style. This project will build over the next few weeks.



Science

Evolution will be the focus this term. The children will recognise that living things have changed over a large timescale, that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents and they will identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment.

English

In Summer Term 2, we will work on a range of writing styles that will allow the children to produce quality work with grammar and spelling activities to support alongside (some of which will be taught discretely).

Some examples of the different types of written work this term are:

- Leaflets
- Poetry
- Story Starts
- Plus a variety of short tasks using the book 'There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom' as a stimulus

Children will also learn how to analyse, interpret and answer questions on different texts as part of reading comprehension lessons on the lead up to SATs.

