

Year 6 Autumn Term Overview

Welcome to Year 6! This year is going to be exciting, fun, and hard work as we prepare for secondary school.

As the oldest children in school we will be taking on new responsibilities as well as working hard to prepare for SATs, which will be taking place next May.

We kick start the Autumn Term focussing on 'British Values'.

Following this, we will be taken 'Out of this World' to look at how the 'space race' has influenced many parts of our lives from film and music to books and history.

In NUMERACY we will be learning about...

- Place value and rounding of numbers up to 10,000,000.
- Mental and written addition and subtraction of large numbers.
- Multiples, factors and prime numbers.
- Written methods for multiplication and division.
- Circles and angles.
- Conversion of units of measure.
- Comparing, ordering and simplifying fractions.
- Multiplying decimals by 10, 100 and 1000.
- Order of operations.
- 2D and 3D shapes.
- Pie charts.

In ART, DESIGN AND MUSIC we will be learning about...

- The work of Lucien Freud and Claude
- Designing costumes for stage productions/films.
- Designing and making food packaging for astronauts.
- Creating a soundtrack surrounding the theme of 'Space'.

In LITERACY we will be learning about...

- Writing balanced arguments using evidence.
- Writing newspaper reports.
- Creating effective instructions.
- Exploring information texts.
- Writing and performing poetry.
- Writing a science fiction story.
- Using homophones.
- Reading and understanding a range of text types.

In SCIENCE we will be learning about...

Animals including human beings
Light

In RE and PSHE we will be learning about...

- Living by rules and free choice.
- Being fair and just.
- Christian morality.
- Religious persecution