

History

Year 6 will explore the "Race into Space" as part of Our Space Topic.

We will then move onto studying crime and punishment and how this has changed in England over a period of 200 years. Comparisons will be drawn against laws in England and those in other countries around the world.



Religious Education

The children will be working from the "Understanding Christianity" scheme of work.

This term's focus is "The Gospels".



FOOTSTEPS INTO THE UNKNOWN



Art and Design

The learning focus will bring together different techniques learned so far to design, create and evaluate an alien landscape.

The children will use:

- sketching
- collage
- paint effects
- chalk

They will bring all of these styles together, considering colour palettes and perspective.

We will also be designing and making slippers.

Geography

Rivers (the water cycle, river formation, river placement).

We shall also be working on world maps and globes - in particular- the continents, time zones, the tropics and hemispheres.

Computing

In Year 6, the children will continue their work on E-Safety. They will also focus on data handling and they will investigate networks.

Science

Electricity is the theme for this term. The children will:

- build a variety of circuits (and understand the symbols used to represent each component)
- experiment in ways to dim or increase the brightness of a bulb

We will also be looking at Quantum Physics and scientific theory backed up by our class text -Albie Bright.

Extra information!

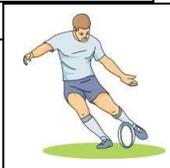
How can you help?

- Read with or encourage your child to read as often as possible.
- Practise times tables as well as spelling lists or patterns
- Assist with home learning tasks when they are set.
- We will be sending out support materials which we would like you to work through with your child if you have time.
- Thanks for your continued support!

PE

This term's main themes will be invasion games - rugby, hockey and netball.

We will also be doing gymnastics which will include the development of gymnastic sequences which are performed to the rest of the class.



Maths

We have introduced the mastery approach into our maths teaching and learning where the children are asked to build and explain their methods. This learning will be supported using equipment to embed the learning.

This will support them as they head towards the Sats in May.

Music

Composition and Performance

Year 6 will create a musical composition in the style of their choice. They will create a score from which to work and they will perform to the class using a variety of percussion instruments.



English

Key Text: The Many Worlds of Albie Bright.

Children will also use Doctor Who books and clips as a stimulus for writing. Emphasis will be placed on the children producing quality writing with grammar and spelling activities to support (some of which will be taught discreetly).

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

- Letter writing (formal and informal)
- Setting description
- Instructions
- Short Stories
- Biographies
- Leaflets

Children will also learn how to analyse, ask and answer questions on different texts as part of