


<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>RE</u></b></p> <p>This term we will learn about Jesus as the Bread of Life; we will consider symbolism and ritual in the Catholic Mass and understand the sacrament of the Eucharist. We will then look at Jesus as the Son of God and learn about the mysteries of our faith.</p> <p>In our other faith work, we will consider similarities and differences between Judaism and Christianity and build on our study of Islam to make connections between the Abrahamic religions.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Dates for your diary</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January – trip to Tropical World</li> <li>• Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January – trip to Madni Jamia Masjid Mosque</li> <li>• Class worship – Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> January</li> <li>• Class Mass – Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Science and ICT</u></b></p> <p>Throughout Spring term, we will be learning about evolution and genetic inheritance. We will study adaptations of animals and plants over time and look at the fossil record to discover what this tells us about the evolution of life on earth. We will look at the paleontologist Mary Anning and the naturalist Charles Darwin to learn more about their discoveries and how these have influenced our understanding of the natural world.</p> <p>In ICT we will be using Scratch to develop our coding and programming skills.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>What we are learning Year 6 - Spring Term</i></b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">  </p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Together we are exploring our special gifts; Together we are growing towards God.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Foundation Subjects</u></b></p> <p><u>History and Geography</u> - We will be learning about South America and the Amazon rainforest in Geography, and the ancient civilization of the Maya in History.</p> <p><u>Art</u> – We will be making mixed media sculptures and studying the art of South America.</p> <p><u>PE</u> – Gymnastics and badminton</p> <p><u>PSHCE</u> – Healthy relationships</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Maths</u></b></p> <p>This term we will learn about fractions, decimals and percentages, followed by work on Shape, Space and Measure and Statistics.</p> <p>In Spring 2 we will be bringing all of our learning together in preparation for the KS2 SATs tests in May. All children are welcome and encouraged to attend Maths Club every Tuesday after school.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Homework</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Daily reading Spelling Shed daily Times Tables Rockstars daily</p> <p>More regular revision homework will be given as needed for Maths and Grammar, in preparation for the KS2 SATs tests in May. These will be short revision-style tasks to consolidate learning in class.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>English</u></b></p> <p>We will be reading ‘Macbeth’ by William Shakespeare and ‘The Iron Man’ by Ted Hughes to develop our narrative writing. Additionally, we will learn about persuasive writing in relation to environmental issues in the Amazon rainforest. We will then look at the wordless picture book ‘Flotsam’ to consolidate our work on short narrative.</p>