

Curriculum Newsletter for Year 5 & 6 - Summer 2 - 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Summer 2! We would like to share our curriculum overview with you about all the great learning that we have coming up this term.

Please note:

- PE day is Monday so please ensure your child has their full PE kit (including trainers) on this day. PE will sometimes be outside so make sure you have the appropriate kit to keep warm when it starts getting colder!
- Homework will be handed out on a **Thursday** to be returned on a **Tuesday**. Children will receive literacy and numeracy homework as well as spellings.
- They are also expected to be reading daily and practising their times tables on TT Rockstars.

Please take a look at our Curriculum Map for this half term.

In Literacy, we will work on narratives poetry and explanation texts. We will also continue to work on a variety of spelling rules, grammar and punctuation. We will be continuing to read texts using our Destination Reader stems (predicting, inferring. clarifying, questioning, making connections and, evaluating)

In Maths, Year 5 and 6 will be learning about geometry, measurement, statistics and algebra. We will be applying these skills, and the skills we learnt in the Autumn & Spring term, into a variety of problems and contexts.

In Computing, we will use a wide range of graphical techniques to manipulate images to use in other work.

Our topic: London

Our Geography topic is to 'Know my way around London' in which we understand the make-up of the United Kingdom, its countries, regions, counties and cities as well as the different ways land is used and some famous human and physical features..

In Jewish Studies, we will be continuing to practise our Hebrew reading. We will also be looking at Life in Temple Times

In Music, pupils will earn accompaniments for songs such as 'Daisy Bell, When the saints and She'll be coming round the mountain'.

In Ivrit, pupils will be learning conversations in the context of the wider world, including active and passive infinitives.

In Science, we are learning about properties and changes of materials.

In Art this term, we will be working on 'perspective'.

In PE, we will be working on Tennis & Rounders.

Our PSHCE/RSE unit this term will be about online relationships and positive thinking.

In RE, we will learn about beliefs about the birth and death in Islam.