



WHAT'S ON

Y6

AUTUMN
2024

Welcome back to school- here is an overview for this term

Our Class :

Teacher - Miss Phillips

PPA cover and Maths Specialist

Miss Robinson

Learning Mentor - Mrs Mulla-Ibrahim

Teaching Assistant - Mrs Campbell

Teaching Assistant - Miss Whittell



English

During this term, we will be covering the following genres:

- Novel as a theme using the book 'The Nowhere Emporium'



- Poetry - song and lyrics

Science

Our topics this term are 'Living things and their habitats' and 'Evolution and inheritance'. The children have already started to understand the definition of living things through previous years but will now start to use classification through use of Venn and Carroll diagrams.

Later in the term, children will start to investigate Charles Darwin theories and identify how evolution has impacted Scientific understanding of species and diets impacting adaptation.

Maths

This will be taught by Miss Robinson. We will be incorporating The Five Big Ideas of Mastery in all lessons and focusing on number and place value and the four operations (+ - x ÷).

PSHE

Families and friendships

Safe relationships

Attraction to others; romantic relationships; civil partnership and marriage. Recognising and managing pressure; consent in different situations

PE

This term children will continue to develop key skills of resilience, tactics and game sense. This will be incorporated through Badminton, Netball and Orienteering.

RE

The unit of work this term will be Christianity with focus on the church and Jesus.



Music

Children will learn songs popular during WW2 such as 'Pack up your troubles in your old kit bag' and 'We'll meet again'

Art

In art, we will be creating mixed media and city scenes through composition of work, and exploring lots of media combinations through exploratory work.

Geography

The class will be developing their field work knowledge about the local area. Within this they will use map reading skills, knowledge of the local community and map drawing skills.

French

Learning a second language early in life enhances overall cognitive skills and improves brain development. So, our unit of work this term will be 'Le Week Les Vetements'

Design & Technology

Children will be creating moving mechanical systems similar to those found on a fairgrounds.

History

Our new topic is 'WWII'. There is a lot to cover including:

- Outbreak of war
- Evacuation
- Rationing

The children will also be developing their historical skills including, chronology enquiry and interpreting sources and communication.

Computing

In computing, Year 6 will be creating their own webpage and collaborative communication. This will also be developed within our online safety unit later in the term.

Homework

Maths: Times Tables Rockstars for **10 minutes every night**.

Spelling: Spelling Shed for **10 minutes every night**. Your child will continue to use the same password as last year.

Reading: **10 minutes every night**

M: PE and Library

T: Outdoor enrichment and Hockey Club (afterschool)

W:

T: Tag Rugby Club (afterschool)

F: PE and Ju Jitsu(afterschool)

Upcoming dates:

- 13th September - Roald Dahl Day
- 31st October - deadline date for High School applications
- 1st November - Diwali
- 14th November - Anti - Bullying week