



WHAT'S ON

Y6

SPRING
2026

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

Holme Crew Club

The club will begin on w/c 23rd February for support with your child's transitions to high school and the upcoming SATs. Groupings and dates will be released in the coming days.

Science

Our topic this term is Electricity and, over the course of the term, the class will aim to recognise some common conductors and insulators. The children will construct simple series circuits, trying different components (such as bulbs, buzzers, motors and switches); to create simple devices. This unit interlinks to our previous work relating to climate change so we will be researching a sustainable resource to create a working mechanism which scientists can use to help save our planet.

RE

Focus question: What is Hajj and why is it important to Muslims?

This term, the unit of work will be Islam. In this unit, the children will learn about the Five Pillars of Islam and how they are linked. They will explain how the beliefs and values of Islam might guide a person through life. Additionally, they will learn about the importance of the Ummah for Muslims and that this is a community of diverse members .

English

This term, pupils will read *Tyger* by S. F. Said, exploring themes of friendship, courage and standing up for what is right. They will also learn about biography by studying the life of Rosa Parks and writing their own biographical pieces



Maths

This will be taught by Miss Robinson. Continuing to incorporate The Five Big Ideas of Mastery in all maths lessons, our focus this term is on fractions, percentages, area, perimeter and ratio.

PSHE Living in the Wider World - Belonging to a community

This unit will enable children to understand different communities and how we develop their values towards inclusion and diversity.

PE

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



Music - Dynamics, pitch and texture (Theme: Coast)

In music this term, children will learn how a conductor helps musicians play together, explore improvisation, and discover how music changes through dynamics, pitch, texture and tone colour, using a coastal theme

Geography - UK

This unit aims to develop understanding of location and characteristics of human and physical features. Additionally, children's use of geographical knowledge, understanding and skills to enhance locational and place knowledge

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 'La Famille'.

M: PE

T: Outdoor learning and a/s - Cross Country

W:

T: A/s club - Netball

F: PE

Design & Technology - Mechanical Systems

For this unit of work, there will be a cross-curricular theme. Children will link their learning from Science and Computing to design and make a steady hand game, developing a moving mechanism and applying their technical skills.

Computing

The units this term are programming and the introduction to spreadsheets: The unit of programming explores the concept of variables in programming through games in the app Scratch. Through the introduction to spreadsheets, children will learn how to organise data into columns and rows to create their own data set.

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**

Upcoming dates:

- 15th January - Theatre Production of Cinderella - visitors
- 4th - 6th February - Robinwood (Residential)
- 11th February - Valentines Disco
- 16th - 20th February - Half Term
- 23rd February - Ramadan
- W/c 23rd February - Holme Crew Club begins
- 26h February - Heritage Outreach (visitor)
- W/c 9th March - British Science Week and British Sign Language Week
- 20th March - Red Nose Day
- 30th March - 10th April - Easter Holidays

