

Summer 2: Learning in Year 6



English

With the Queen's jubilee fun we didn't get started with our novel Kensuke's Kingdom by Michael Morpurgo so we will be reading and writing around this.

We will then move on to looking at Shakespeare texts and letters of complaint.

History and Geography

We will have a Geography focus this half term. We will be researching into Biomes, Volcanoes and Earthquakes. This should bring in our previous knowledge of learning about North and South America and extend our knowledge too. We will continue look at the skills of map reading and enquiry work

Art and DT

Art is a huge focus this half term; we are lucky enough to have an artist come in and work with us for 2 days! We will also be doing some clay work to create 3D pots with detail.

Music

Through Charanga will be completing the Music and Me unit, where we will be singing and leaning about melodies.

Supporting your child with their learning

- Practise timetables with inverse calculations too
- Get your child to read every night - this really does help
- Provide a quiet space to complete homework and help where you can
- Maths related help your child tell the time.

Science

Science sees us finishing off our topic on The Circulatory System by completing our investigation on pulse rates and linking to maths.

WE will then move on to completing the unit of Sound – this is a catch up unit from Covid to ensure the children have covered all units.

This unit will be about how we hear, looking at how sounds are created and an investigation on the best material for blocking sounds.

Maths

Maths will be looking at transition work, leading to Year 7 work. We also have a Real Maths Week planned and maths linked to Science, looking at data handling and graph work.

Computing

Through Purple Mash we will be catching up on missed units like, Blogging and quizzing. This will see us learn about how to present our work on different programmes and sharing them

P.E

We will be swimming again this half term and we also have Bikeability planned in to help us be road safe and confident on our bikes.

PSHE

Year 6 will be continuing with our 'Raising Aspiration' work and completing the booklet. We have also been invited to take part in interview people about the job they do.

We will completing work on our transition to High School and look forward to meeting new faces and the induction days.

Also we have talks from the police and fire services planned in to help us be safe when out and about.

German

German will be continue to learn games to play and foods, creating sentences. We will be revising

numbers and dates.

Healing

Year 6 will be able to know and understand when people become sick and need care and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

We will have father Philip in to explain how he cares for the sick and also Rachel from the hospice will deliver a talk on the work that take place at St. John's for the sick and their families.