



Summer 1: Learning in Year 6



English

In English, we will be spending the first few weeks preparing for the Reading and SPaG SATs tests.

After that, we will be concentrating on our writing units to gain lots of evidence for the Writing Assessments. This will see us write biographies, narratives and poetry.

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

We need to finish off our unit on Evolution and Inheritance, then move on to the new unit of Electricity!

We will be looking into different types of circuits and why we have them and looking into the scientific diagrams for circuits then drawing them.

We will also be researching into key scientists whose discoveries have been instrumental in how we use electricity today. Our investigation will tell us if the wires used in a circuit make a difference to the brightness of a bulb.

History and Geography

We will be finishing off our Geography unit on Earthquakes and Volcanoes. Then moving on to the last History topic of The Victorians. With our school being built around this time we will be looking at the local area for historical evidence.

Maths

It's the last leg of our SATS revision and boosters. The tests are due to take place on Monday 9th May for the week. After this we will be completing transitional work to High school.

Computing

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

Art and DT

This half term we will be painting towns with a Victorian feel, and looking into creating mechanical fairground rides also inspired by a trip to the seaside in the Victorian times!

P.E

We can't wait to get back outside and enjoying lots of P.E. This half term will see us outside playing striking and fielding games like tennis, rounders and cricket.

PSHE

We will be learning about how to Keep Safe Out and About. This will include us knowing:

- about feelings of being out and about in the local area with increasing independence
- about recognising and responding to peer pressure
- about the consequences of anti-social behaviour (including gangs and gang related behaviour)

Music

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

German

We are finishing of learning about 'in the city and directions,' then move on to learning about going to market and healthy eating! We will also be revising numbers, days and months!

R.E

Year 6 will be looking at how Pentecost is the celebration of the Spirit's transforming power. We will be able to describe and show understanding of Scripture, beliefs, ideas, feelings and experiences of the power of the Holy Spirit in witnessing to the Good News of Jesus Christ and make links between them.