



Year 6 Curriculum Letter

**Autumn 2
2025**

The children have settled into Year 6 and are now clear about expectations. Please remember your child will have weekly homework as well as daily reading. All children should read for at least 30 minutes and complete their reading records daily. Now you have met with your child's teacher, you should be clear about their targets and ways you can support them. Parents and Carers are a key part in success at primary school. Here are some ways you can support your child at home.

English

Grammar will focus on knowledge of the different word classes (e.g. nouns, adverbs) and how we use them in our writing.

We will be using the short film 'Alma' as inspiration for a narrative. Our non-fiction writing this term is a newspaper report. Please talk to your child about newspapers, their purpose and the different types.

Our reading this half term will focus on retrieving key information and drawing impressions based on evidence.

Science

Our topic this half term is Electricity. We return to the this area of science to build our knowledge further. We will begin to understand the technical drawing of circuits and draw our own. We will also attempt to understand the variables needed to attempt to get many different components working within a circuit. We also look at the wider picture of how to generate electricity and how it travels to our homes.

Computing

Children will create websites for a chosen purpose using Google Sites. Children will pay specific attention to copyright, fair use of media and the look and navigation of the website. They will then evaluate their website.

PSHE

We will be continuing our topic of Relationships. The children will learn about their personal identity and issues faced in the world such as racism, bullying and stereotyping.

History

Our topic for history this half term is The Tudor Period. We will learn about why the Tudor period started, Henry VIII, his six wives and the contribution the Tudors made to Britain. They will learn what it was like to live during this period in British history.

Art

We will be continuing our topic about Street Art. Why not take a walk through London and see what Street Art you find?

Religion and World Views

The topic is 'Why does religion look different around the world?' The children will building on their learning from part 1, children will discover the diversity within Dharmic religions.

Maths

Our focus this half term will be on: place value; written calculations for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division; measurement facts and improving our arithmetic skills. Pupils will build on their ability to solve problems and use accurate mathematical vocabulary to answer reasoning questions. This will focus on the concepts mentioned above.

In order to prepare for SATs, your child will have a weekly arithmetic test which they will bring home. Please go through the test with your child.

Please support your child by quizzing them on their multiplication and division facts and ensure they log on to TT Rockstars.

P.E

Use their creative skills alongside a physical focus of static balancing: seated and floorwork. Creative skills range from linking sequences to adapting tactics to disguise their movements.

Please try to arrive at school for 8:35 am. Learning begins as soon as the children enter the classroom and if they are late they miss out on important learning time. Attendance is important for success. If your child is regularly absent, they will not achieve their full potential.