



Year 6 Summer Term



English

Children will be continuing to develop their Reading and Writing skills, writing in a range of styles as well as reading challenging fiction texts as a stimulus for their writing. We will concentrate on writing in different genres, choosing where and when to use the correct vocabulary, punctuation and grammatical features to create the desired purpose and impact for the reader.

Maths

In Maths, children will be continuing to develop their arithmetic and fluency, whilst also continuing the skills detailed in the National Curriculum. Every lesson will see the children applying their new knowledge to reasoning and problem solving questions. They will also be undertaking a Maths-based project.

Curriculum Subjects

Below is a list of topics that will be covered in other subjects this term:

Science – animals including humans

History – ancient Greece

RE – Christianity

PE – cricket, athletics, tennis and volleyball

Art – Greek clay tiles and an artist study on Ben Heine

Computing – website design and coding

French – sports and parties

Music – children will be analysing and creating their own music

PSHE – relationships and transition

Other Key Dates

Friday 8th July: Leavers' Disco (at Woodfield Sports and Social Club)

Monday 11th – 15th July: Residential in Wales (there will be a meeting and more information provided about this nearer the time)

12th – 15th July: Bikeability

We will also be arranging a production as well as some fun end of year activities (dates to be confirmed)

Welcome back everyone! We hope that you all had an enjoyable Easter break. We are looking forward to teaching and learning about lots of new topics this term as well as preparing the children in their transition to secondary school. Below is a reminder of the dates for this year's SATs tests:

Monday 9 May 2022 English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2

Tuesday 10 May 2022 English reading

Wednesday 11 May 2022 Mathematics papers 1 and 2

Thursday 12 May 2022 Mathematics paper 3

We are still finalising some exciting end of year activities for the children, so as soon as they are sorted, we will send letters out with the arrangements.

PE kit

PE days for Year 6 will continue to be on a **Thursday and Friday**.

Music lessons

Rocksteady and WMS music lessons will continue as normal.

On 7th June, Year 6 will also be participating in a music workshop in school (Samba)

Reminders

Reading: please encourage your child to read at home on a regular basis

Healthy snacks: please ensure that your child is bringing in a healthy snack for them to eat at break time (fruit/cereal bars are ideal rather than crisps)

E-safety: if you have any concerns about e-safety, please do not hesitate to contact us. There is information on the back of this letter regarding WhatsApp, which we know many of our children use.