

Parents' Guide to the Curriculum: Year 6, Spring 2

Notices For This Half Term

Thursday 5th March

World Book Day – children to dress up as a detective/favourite book character

Monday 9th March– Friday 13th March

STEM week

Thursday 12th March

Parent Consultations – Book your time slot on Arbor.

Tuesday 17th March: 9:00am

Rock Steady Concert (parents of children who are in the bands are invited to attend)

Friday 20th March

Celebration of Learning – STEM Fair

Monday 30th March– Friday 10th April

Easter Holiday

Monday 13th April

Children Return

How to help at home:

Complete home learning:

- Set on Thursday on Microsoft Teams.
- Due back on Monday in home learning books

Read daily with your child

Encourage your child to revise for the end of KS2 SATs exams

Practise long division and long multiplication

Practise spelling words and writing sentences using the correct punctuation and joined writing.



MATHEMATICS

- Children will be consolidating their knowledge of decimals. They will learn how to add, subtract, multiply and divide by decimals
- They will learn to order, compare and convert fractions, decimals and percentages.
- Children will learn to recognise when it is possible to use formulae to find the area and volume of shapes



COMPUTING

Quizzes

- Children will be designing picture-based quizzes for younger children.
- They will explore which questions types are the most appropriate for the response they would like to receive
- Children will then use what they have learnt to create a grammar quiz to use for revision



RE

- In RE, children will be learning about humanism and what they believe is important. They will explore how Humanists decide what is right and wrong.



ENGLISH

- Children will be studying the novel 'The Girl of Ink and Stars'. They will write a narrative based on the villain of the story and his rise to power.



SPANISH

- The children will be learning how to describe their weekend and the hobbies they enjoy taking part in.



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- Children will be learning Netball and Dance this term and continue to develop their understanding of how to live a healthy lifestyle.

PE Days:

- Tuesday and Wednesday
- Children to come to school in their PE kits.



TOPIC

- In Geography, children will explore the city of Birmingham and how it has changed over time. They will study the population growth and impact of industrialisation.
- In Art, Children will continue to explore Art Deco Portraits. Children will design an Art Deco inspired rug using digital art.



SCIENCE

- The children will be exploring the topic of 'Light'. They will describe how light travels and explain why it is important. They will look at the reflection of light and explain how shadows are formed.



PSHE

- Children will be focusing on recognising racism and explore the concept of stereotypes.
- Children will also learn about attitudes towards gender differences and how to change negativity we encounter.
- Children will learn about peer-pressure and the steps they can take to avoid it.