

YEAR 6 SUMMER 1 CURRICULUM NEWS

17th April– Non-pupil day (Inset Day)
1st May– School Closed (bank holiday).
8th May– School Closed (bank holiday).
9th May– 12th May– Year 6 SATs
15th May– Road Safety Week

This half term, we will continue to work on our sewing skills and creating our T-shirts. Once we have completed this, we will be starting our new topic ‘What Can You Be?’.

We will be focusing on South America and looking at the impact of the Mayan generation.

PSHE—This half terms focus in PSHE is Togetherness Rabbit! Our year 6 topic is to look at personal health and hygiene.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We ask that the children are reading every night. This will not only help with their reading ability but will also help extend their vocabulary. Reading does not need to be a chore; it can be anything the children enjoy.

Please ensure that the children are also learning their spellings. These spellings are very important in year 6 as they link closely to their SATs in May.

Homework:

Yew – Tuesday

Reading diaries and spelling test

Yew – Friday

SPAG and Maths books due in

Willow-Tuesday

All homework due in: reading diaries, spellings, SPAG and Maths books.

Maths This term we are going to focus on revision and preparation for the SATs. We will be focusing on reasoning and problem skills.

It is very important that the children know all of their times tables, prime, squared and cubed numbers so please practise these at home.

PE

Pupils will be learning tennis skills this half term. They will also continue to complete the weekly mile, to help support their physical and mental health.

Please ensure that P.E kits are in at all times.

Music

In music we are using the scheme ‘Charanga’ and focusing on ‘Reflect, Rewind and Replay’.

In Science, pupils will continue the Living things topic. We will also be starting the topic ‘Animals including humans: the heart and health!’

English

In English, we will continue to work on our skills of Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar in lessons. We will continue to write in a variety of genres and focus on sentence structure and the use of descriptive language. Much of the writing will incorporate this half-term’s topic.