

Year Six News Spring Term 2021



English



This term the class will be producing written work in a variety of styles. This will include letter writing, stories, diary, debate and persuasive writing. The children's written work is assessed throughout the year and the class will be completing a variety of comprehension style exercises. The class topic for this term is 'Caretakers of the Earth' where children will be learning about the environment and current affairs regarding this.

Please encourage your child to read as widely as possible at home and to continue working hard and keeping a positive attitude towards their home learning!



Maths



There will be an emphasis on problem solving this term. Pupils will develop their reasoning skills when working through problems including fractions, algebra and measurement. The children will spend lessons every week working on reasoning papers to prepare them for secondary school. Year 6 will be given practice test questions on Mathematics as homework and the class will be working on developing their arithmetic skills and increasing their speed.

Science



In Science the class will be studying living things, their habitats and animals including humans. They will also be beginning to revise the science topics covered in KS2 in preparations for their final assessments at the end of the year.

RE



The class will be discussing why the Bible is special and begin to understand the difference between the Old Testament and the New Testament whilst analysing the significance of both.

Homework

Homework will be given consistently as the term progresses and the children need to prepare for moving on to secondary school; it is vital that you work with your child and keep a check on their homework. This will assist in their preparation to be secondary ready.

At this stage, every child needs to work to their full potential ; it is essential that work is completed at home to the best of their ability. Please continue to send in your work and photographs to the class email address—working independently at home is a great skill for life so well done for your efforts!