



Year Six — Autumn Curriculum Overview

Topic Overview

We are delighted to welcome your child to Year 6! During the Autumn term, the curriculum will be packed with exciting opportunities to learn about topics such as great leaders in History & RE, Brazil in Geography, sound and electricity in Science and bag printing in Art. We can't wait to get started!

Core Subjects

Reading and Writing - We will be using a variety of texts, including 'Cogheart' to inspire lots of writing, including descriptions, narratives and non-fiction. We will be developing our fluency and comprehension skills in Reading lessons.

Maths - We will be securing our knowledge of place value, as well as formal methods of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will move on to working with fractions, decimals and percentages before studying geometry and statistics.

Science - This term, the children will be creating waves throughout the school during their learning about sound. We'll be turning the volume up to 11 with our own investigations. After this, we'll be electrifying our senses as we study electricity.

Important Information

Class Teachers - Mrs Willis and Mr Tait

Year Group LSAs/Student Teachers: Mrs Scutt, Mrs Aberly, Miss McClymont and Miss Sanders

PE Days - Wednesday and Friday. If your child does not have appropriate PE kit, they will be unable to fully participate.

Reading - 5 times per week. Reading records need to be signed by an adult at the end of a week and are due in every morning.

Homework - Homework will be given throughout the year. Expectations will be clearly communicated when necessary. SATs companion and TT Rockstars are freely available to use at home. We will re issue passwords.

Foundation Subjects

Music - Amazing Machines (pitch and volume)

Personal Development - This term's focus will be on relationships and how they continue to change as we get older. Online safety will also feature heavily.

PE - Indoor PE will be a gymnastics focus and outdoor with Activ360. Please come in PE kit (white, plain T-shirt & black/blue shorts/jogger. N.B: No hoodies to be worn - thank you.)

Art and DT - In Art we will be focusing on printing, inspired by the artists Jennifer Durrant and Beatriz Milhazes, which we will link to our Brazil topic in Geography.

History - In History, we will be discovering more about great leaders from the past. We will work together to find out more about their achievements and impact.

Geography - We will be learning about the continent of South America, specifically Brazil.

RE - Our foci this term will be 'Leadership and 'The Magi' as we learn more about world religion (in particular Christianity) and how it applies to our own lives.