

Maths

During maths we will be doing lots of arithmetic practice. We will recap children's understanding of place value and the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division).

We will use their knowledge of the above to reason and problem-solve in real life contexts. Furthermore, we will cover some aspects of fractions and dividing and multiplying by 10,100 and 1000. **Frequent times tables rehearsal should take place in school and at home to ensure that all multiplication facts and corresponding division facts can be recalled at speed.**

Science

During science lessons, children will investigate electricity including the brightness of bulbs and the volume of buzzers. They will work as a group to set up scientific experiments and compare how components function. Furthermore, they will recognise symbols in a simple circuit diagram. They will report on their findings.

PE and Well Being

Children will take part in two 1 hour PE sessions per week. This half term we will focus initially on improving fitness levels and achieving personal bests in activities linked to stamina, agility and quickness. This will be followed by sessions in orienteering including a visit to Ashton Park in West Kirby and tag rugby.

Weekly sessions of stretch and reflect will also be part of the Year 6 curriculum.

Please remember that your child should keep their PE kits in school, to change into on Thursdays and Fridays.

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Topic and Art

The children will explore life in Victorian Times with a particular focus on Port Sunlight. This will include life of a factory worker drawing comparisons on life today and the significance of Port Sunlight in the late 19th and 20th century. We will also study the legacy of Lord Leverhulme.

Art - children will further develop their sketching skills based on interpretations of scenes read from the class text Wild Boy.

French - Children will develop the capacity to partake in basic conversations about themselves.

PSHE - Will look at relationships including marriage and law in the UK. We will also begin the Happy Minds program, where children will learn about mental wellbeing and how their brain works.

Computing - children will focus on e-safety and how to keep safe online.

Music - children will learn about musical phrases and begin to compose their own pieces.

Nurturing achievers,
who in Jesus' sight are:

Resourceful, Reliable, Respectful and Resilient

English

The children will be reading a delightful book called "Wild Boy," by Rob Lloyd Jones. Through this text and also our local study linked to the Victorians, the children will experience writing in a range of genres including: a diary, a balanced argument and writing from a character's perspective

We will also revisit grammatical terminology from previous years and build on this.

RE & Worship

The Christian value we are embracing this half-term is 'love' and this will be the focus of assemblies and class worship. The main R.E. theme for our lessons is 'Life as a Journey', and what it means to make that journey as a Christian.

Homework

During the first half term, focus will be upon children being able to confidently recall all multiplication and corresponding division facts. Weekly TT Rockstars battles will be set up to motivate children. Children will also be given grammar and Maths homework, to build upon learning in class. The children are also expected to read **at least three times** a week and for an adult to sign their reading record.

Other information

Please email the Y6 team to give permission for your child to walk home. Mobile phones can be brought to school. They **must** be given to the class teacher in the morning and stored at the child's own risk in a box until home time.