



Welcome to Year 6



Welcome back to school!

We are so excited to welcome you back after the holidays and can't wait to take you on your Year 6 adventure.



MORNING

9:00 - 9:55	9:55 - 10:10	10:10 - 11:05	11:05 - 11:20	11:20 - 12:15
Maths	Playtime	Reading	Assembly	Writing

Children should be in school promptly at 8:50am. This ensures that no learning time is lost.

AFTERNOON

We aim to stick to timetables, but occasionally there may be changes for a variety of reasons.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE PSHE	Science	RE Music French	History Geography	Computing/ PE

Our week is so busy that we cannot fit in every subject. We block up our Art and DT lessons so that we can create quality work over a number of themed days.

Homework

Each week children will be set Maths and English tasks on ATOM learning. Children are also expected to read three times per week and record this in their Reading Record. We also use websites in school that children can access at home such as Reading Plus and Spelling Frame. Logins will be sent home this week.



Care Subjects

Reading: Our main texts for this term are *Rain Player* by David Wisniewski and *The Chocolate Tree* by Linda Lowery and Richard Keep. Both texts will support pupils in their understanding of our new topic – *Mayan Civilisation*. We will focus on our prediction, retrieval and language skills initially.



Writing: This term we will write a range of genres for a range of audiences and purposes, beginning with Explanation texts on the Mayan ball game, Pok-a-tok. We will be consolidating our knowledge of Year 5 punctuation and grammar, then swiftly moving on to expand in to Year 6 content.

Maths: Our key focus in Maths this term is number and place value before moving on to four operations. It is important that children are able to recall all times tables up to 12x12 and any practise of this at home is greatly appreciated.



Science

In Science we will be learning about *Evolution and Inheritance*.

History

In History we will be learning about the *Mayan Civilisation*.

Computing

In Computing we will be learning about digital literacy.

Art

In Art we will be learning to develop our drawing skills.

PE

In PE we will be learning netball skills.

Geography

In Geography we will be learning about the landscape and climate of Central America.

Design & Technology

In DT we will be learning about the farm to fork process and making our own meals.

Religious Education

In RE we will be learning about Stories of Hinduism.

Languages

In MFL we will be learning about French phonics and pronunciation.

Music

In Music we will be learning to analyse our own performances.

Year 6 Curriculum