

Key Information:

Children need to wear their PE kits on the following days.

- ◇ Year 5: Wednesday
- ◇ Year 5/6: Monday
- ◇ Year 6: Monday

Key dates:

- ◇ Monday 3rd March: Year 7 Offer Day
- ◇ Monday 3rd March: Rainbow Raffle Collection Begins
- ◇ Thursday 6th March: World Book Day
- ◇ Wednesday 12th March: Year 5/6 Class Assembly
- ◇ Monday 31st March: Consultation Evening
- ◇ Wednesday 2nd - Friday 4th April: Year 6 Residential to Robin Wood

Homework and Passwords:

All children in Year 5 and 6 should have their Bedrock and TT Rockstars passwords and should be accessing these at home as part of their homework. All children will receive weekly spellings. They will have their test on a Friday. Children should also be reading daily and recording in their reading journal. Year 6 will receive additional Maths and English work based on the lessons in class. In Year 6, homework will be handed out on a Friday and will be due in Thursday.

Please make sure you sign up to your child's class twitter page for the latest updates and information.

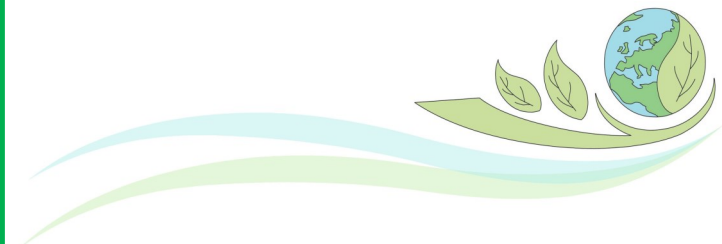
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Year 5 and 6

Spring 2

Curriculum Booklet



As readers and writers we will be ...

- studying a variety of text extracts in our whole class reading lessons
- learning how to use adverbials and tense choices to link ideas between paragraphs
- using verbs and adverbs to indicate degrees of possibility
- learning how to use hyphens
- using colons in a list
- learning how to punctuate bullet points in a list

As mathematicians:

Year 5 will be ...

- multiplying fractions
- calculating fractions of a quantity
- finding the whole
- using fractions as operators
- looking at equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages

Year 6 will be...

- looking at area and perimeter
- looking at shape
- looking at statistics

As scientists we will be learning about ...

- inherited traits and adaptive traits
- adaptations and understanding that they are random mutations
- fossil evidence supporting the idea of evolution.
- the difference between selective and cross-breeding.



As historians we will be learning about...

- what evacuation was and the reason for this
- what rationing was and the reason for this
- some groups of people who were persecuted by the Nazi party
- D-Day and its significance
- the reasons as to how and why the war ended
- the legacy that the war has had on the world today

As linguists we will be learning the following...

Year 5:

- Healthy and unhealthy foods
- Opinions

Year 6:

- Use of the bi-lingual dictionary

In computing we will be...

- learning how to code efficiently to create games
- understanding what simulation is and simulating physical systems
- using friction in code to simulate physical systems
- using string when coding to produce a range of outputs in programs
- setting/changing variable values appropriately
- using text variable when coding
- creating code programs that take text inputs from users and can attribute variables to these