



Year 6 Summer Topics



Children will be taking their SATS during the week beginning **Monday 11th May**. It is vital therefore, that children are in school every day, on time and ready to learn.

READING

This term we are going to be reading 'Windrush Child' by Benjamin Zephaniah



WRITING

This term we will be learning and applying key Year 6 grammar, punctuation and spelling to extend sentences.

We will be applying KS2 grammar concepts to short slow writes and descriptions as well as an explanation text linked to our Spring term Science topic.



MATHS

We will be focusing on solving reasoning problems, interpreting data represented in various forms and problems requiring several calculations.



Please ensure that your child practices their times tables at home.

SCIENCE

In Summer 1, the children will cover the topic of evolution and inheritance where they will look at fossils and changes over time.



In Summer 2 our topic is light, where we will explore how light travels and how we are able to see things

R.E.

This term will be spent thinking about how people express themselves and appreciate beauty through religious or spiritual joy.



P.S.H.E

We will be covering the topic health and wellbeing. We will discuss the importance of good mental health. There will be an emphasis on growing and changing.



P.E.

6M - PE will be on Wednesdays

6D - PE will be weekly swimming lessons on Thursday afternoons



ACROSS THE CURRICULUM

History - we will be studying the Early Islamic civilisation

Computing - children will be learning how to plan, design and make their own 3D model

Art - children will be making prints based on Islamic Art

Homework

English - Will be set on **Monday** to be returned on **Thursday**. It will be based on work covered in class. Children should read every evening for at least 20 minutes. Please sign their reading diaries.

Maths - Will be set on **Thursday** to be returned on **Monday**. It will be based on work covered in class. Children should practice their times tables to improve fluency and accuracy.

How can you help?

- Talk to your child about their day. Being able to answer questions in full sentences will help your child develop their vocabulary.
- Make sure your child gets lots of sleep
- Bring in a water bottle everyday

Thank you for your support, Mr McNidder, Mrs Dwyer and Mrs Khanum