

Writing

Our class text for this half-term will be, 'The Origin Of Species.' We will also be reading, 'No One is too Small to make a Difference' by Greta Thunberg. We will be exploring the whole range of Year 6 grammatical features and applying these to our writing. We will be writing across a range of genres.

Reading

Individual reading

- Decoding Skills
- Fluency

Guided reading

- Summaries
- Author's vocabulary choice
- Deducting
- Retrieval
- Character development

Maths

Our topic this half term is fractions, decimals and percentages. We will also be exploring ratio and algebra. We will be continuing to focus on the 4 operations as an introduction to each lesson and the children will have an additional week covering long division strategies.

Art

In art sessions this half term we will be exploring the skill of painting. We will be developing our skill and focus on the techniques used by Rhiannon Roberts - a modern day artist.

Music

In music we will be gaining confidence through performance and exploring the key question: How does music improve our world?

Geography

Our Geography unit this half term is a whole term unit. We will be exploring mountains and rivers.

RSHE

In RSHE, we will be thinking about dreams and goals. We will be setting aspirations, discussing how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go with these.

PE

In PE, we will be working on our gymnastics skills by developing group dynamics, as well as our football skills.

Computing

Our Computing lessons will focus on the skill of creating media. The children will be creating their own web page.

Science

Our Science focus for this half-term is Evolution and Inheritance. We will be looking at how animals and humans have evolved and what this could have looked like. We will be looking at fossils as primary evidence and discussing how these are made. We will also be looking at genetics and what features we inherit and what features develop within us.

Religious Education

Our key question in RE this half term is, Creation and Science: conflicting or complementary? We will be looking at different creation theories, both religious and scientific.

French

In Year 6, children will continue to be being taught French by Ms. Evans on Thursdays.

