



Dear Parents/Carers,

This letter includes information about school values & expectations, the Y6 timetable and what your child will be learning this term. We hope that you find this information useful..

Expectations for ALL children

Wear school uniform (including black shoes & plain headwear) and always bring a coat.

On PE days, wear black trousers/leggings, sports shoes, house colour T-shirt & school jumper – NO LOGOS

Come to school by 8.40am every day ready to learn.

Always act according to our values of: Respect, Resilience, Responsibility, Curiosity, Collaboration

Bring a healthy packed lunch (only crisps or sweet treat on a Friday)

Read 4+ times at home to become a Green Reader and bring in your reading diary every day.



Respect
Be kind
Be polite
Be helpful

Resilience
Be confident
Be brave
Be calm

Collaboration
Listen
Be involved
Be supportive

Curiosity
Explore
Be creative
Be inquisitive

Responsibility
Be ambitious
Be focused
Be proud

Expectations of Year 6

Wear PE kit on Tuesday (indoor) and Wednesdays (outdoor).

Forest School on alternate Thursdays

Learn spellings for Friday

Bring homework on Friday

Key Dates for Term

Visit to the mosque - Tuesday 12th November

PTA Winter Fair - Friday 13th December 3-5pm

Acacia Class Assembly - Monday 16th December 2.30pm

Christmas Dinner - Thursday 19th December

Year 6	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8.40 – 8.50	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check	Register Starter activities/reading record check
8.50 - 9.40	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in class)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in class)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in class)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in class)	Reading or phonics intervention (PHASE 5 in class)
9.40 – 10.45	Authors	Authors	Authors	Maths Authors	Authors
10:45-11.00	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
11.00 – 11.15	Basic Maths/Times tables	Basic Maths	Basic Maths/Times tables	Art	RE
11.15 - 12.15	Maths	Maths	Maths		Maths
12.15 – 12.30	Spelling/advanced phonics/ handwriting	Spelling/advanced phonics/ handwriting	Spelling/advanced phonics/ handwriting		Spelling/advanced phonics/ handwriting
12.30 – 13.15	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
13.15 - 13.25	Sticky Knowledge			Forest school	Computing
13.25 - 14.30	Enquiry	Enquiry	Indoor PE	Music	Learning for Life
14.30 - 14.45	Whole School Values Assembly		DT/ Spanish		Whole School Golden Book Assembly
14.45 - 15.00	Class Novel	Class Novel	Class Novel	Class Novel	Class Novel

Summary of learning in Term 2

Authors

In writing lessons this term, Year 6 will use 'The Boy Who Biked the World' as inspiration for writing a setting description. After this, Year 6 will be learning how the features of a persuasive letter. Spelling lessons will be on Fridays, with words set to be tested the following week. Handwriting will be practiced frequently.

Music

We will play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression.

Learning for Life

The theme for this term is 'Healthy Me'. This will consolidate the learning we will be doing in Science, focusing on ways to lead healthy and safe lives.

Art

We will be exploring how 2D drawings can be transformed into 3D objects. Year 6 will create a sculptural outcome.

Design Technology

We will be learning about seasonality, where and how ingredients are grown. Year 6 will design, make and evaluate a pizza using seasonal produce.

PE

On Tuesdays, we will be doing indoor fitness. On Wednesdays we will continue with basketball.

Computing

Year 6 will learn how search engines work, how they rank results and the things that influence results.

Maths

The main focus for T2 will be fractions and decimals. Daily arithmetic will continue to be practiced. It is essential that all Year 6 know their times tables fluently to be successful with this unit in maths.

Enquiry—Science

Year 6 will be learning about how to stay healthy and safe. This will involve understanding how water and nutrients are transported around the human circulatory system. We will then move on to how lifestyle choices support health and wellbeing, such as balanced diets, exercise and making choices to support mental health.

Religious Education

Our RE title is:

What does it mean to belong in Islam?

We will be looking at different practices in the Islamic faith and what they mean.