






Welcome to Year 6's Summer Term 2024 overview.

This term, we will be learning about:

<p>English</p> <p>During the Summer term we will begin reading 'Stormbreaker' by Anthony Horowitz. The children will consider the skills needed to be a spy when writing a persuasive letter of application to join MI6 before creating an advertisement encouraging the purchase of their very own spy gadgets!</p> <p>During Summer 2, the children will write in role as a character from "Shackleton's Journey" by William Grill. We will end the term by reading William Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream"</p>	<p>Maths</p>  <p>Following the White Rose Hub scheme, we will be covering Shape and Position & Direction, which looks at plotting shapes on a grid and translating or reflecting this in the x and y-axis. From here the children will look to consolidate the years learning before tackling the SATS. We will be continuing with Arithmagicians this term to increase speed and fluency in all calculations. Morning tasks will also focus specifically on arithmetic.</p>	<p>Science</p> <p>We will be studying Living Things and Habitats this term, looking at classifying living things into three main groups: Animal, Plant and Micro-organism.</p> <p>We will delve into the characteristics that make up the sub-species of these three groups before carrying out an investigation looking at how light, oxygen and water affect the growth of micro-organisms on bread.</p> 
<p>History & Geography</p> <p>We will study our new topic "Across Stormy Seas", thinking about the movement of people in and around Britain as well as world wide.</p> <p>In Geography we will be continuing our look at how our world is changing in terms of climate change, ocean clean - up projects and where action can take place.</p> 	<p>Computing</p> <p>Our Computing topic for Summer 1 is coding, where the children will look at inputs and outputs of electronic toys. They will then learn how to program a BBC micro:bit to reproduce these functions e.g. lights, music, speech etc. and apply them to non-electronic toys of their own from home.</p> <p>The children will then focus on algorithms in Autumn 2, gaining an understanding of how to find the quickest and most efficient algorithm to complete a task.</p>	<p>Religious Education</p> <p>Our key question for Summer 1 is "Does it matter what we believe about Creation?"</p> <p>The key question in Summer 2 is "What is God like?"</p> <p>PSHE</p> <p>Our focus for the Summer term is "Being my Best", which takes a look at the children understanding making good choices. In Summer 2 we will focus on the Sexual and Relationship Education (SRE) curriculum, shared directly with parents beforehand.</p>
<p>P.E.</p> <p>Our PE will be on Tuesday and Friday this year. TFG will lead PE on Friday afternoons using our hall or the Muga. Please ensure your child comes into school wearing an appropriate PE kit for the weather.</p> <p>Please bring extra/spare kit in a PE bag if necessary. During Tuesday lessons, we will focus on Athletics and Rounders. TFG will teach Cricket and Tennis skills.</p>  	<p>Music</p> <p>We will be using Charanga during our music lessons. Our unit for Summer 1 is called "Improvising with Confidence" where we can create music which is harmonically interesting. In Summer 2 we will focus on "Farewell Tour".</p> <p>French</p> <p>The study of French will continue with the revision of questions, greetings and numbers before learning about weather, the geography of France and the names of countries around the world.</p>	<p>Art and DT</p> <p>During the Summer term we have lots to fit in – Art starts with a focus on Activism, with the creation of posters and placards focusing on subjects that the children are passionate about.</p> <p>Then we will be cooking Bread in DT, before looking at another Art topic named Brave Colour.</p> 