

Maths

In maths, we will be undertaking many problem-solving activities and investigations, both independently and in small group. This will help our transition to maths in Year 7.

We will also focus on statistics and use our mathematical knowledge across the wider curriculum, especially in geography and science.

As Scientists we will discover:

- the different components of blood and how the heart works to pump blood around the body
- the way nutrients are transported around the body
- how different lifestyles affect the way the body functions

In PSHE we will focus on 'Changing Me' and relationships, learning to:

- Know that taking care of my own mental health is important and ways I can do this
- Recognise times when people are trying to gain power of control
- judge whether something online is safe and helpful for me

In Music we will focus on:

- Listening, appreciating and performing
- Learning songs and rehearsing ready for our end of year production in July.

Year 6 - Summer Term Argentina, Rainforests and the British Empire



As Geographers we will:

- Gain understanding of climate zones and biomes and where they are located around the world.
- Focus on South America, particularly Argentina.
- Explore the physical and human geographical aspects of Argentina to answer questions such as 'Why do so many back-packers visit Argentina?'

As Historians we will explore the questions:

- What was the British Empire and what happened to it?
- Why did Britain build an empire around the world?
- What happened in Britain between April 2nd and June 14th 1982 and why?

In R.E. we will focus on beliefs and hopes. We will discuss questions such as:

- What do people say life is about? What is the purpose of our existence?
- What do different people believe about the purpose of life?

English

Reading

Wonder by R. J. Palacio will be the focus text in our reading lessons. We will:

- Clarify the meaning of words in context
- Retrieve information
- Make inferences about characters and use evidence to support this
- Identify themes across a wide range of books

Writing

Wonder will also be the focus text in our writing lessons.

We will be applying skills to write:

- A balanced argument
- A narrative

In PE, we will:

- Develop skills in athletics, including throwing and building stamina in walking and running.
- Refine our knowledge and skills in team games through playing rounders and cricket.

As Artists and Designers we will:

- Using the work of Georgia O'Keefe to inspire us to create our own artwork, looking closely at flowers.
- Explore the design and construction of a range of hats and then design and sew our own summer hat.

In Computing we will be focusing on programming. We will learn how to:

- Create appropriate animations
- Control the structure and timing of events
- Sequence events to create a short narrative.