

# Year 6 Summer 2 Term—Curriculum Letter

## Dates for this half-term.

10th June - Non uniform day for House winners  
22nd June - Class photos  
27th June - All week – dates to be confirmed – Book look with children and parents and new Teacher presentations to parents.  
30th June - Changeover Day all day - visit to new classes  
2nd July – School Summer Fete FOPTM - please see the FOPTM facebook page for more information soon.  
4th July - Swimming Gala – all week  
13th July - End of year attainment results to come home (apart from Year 6)  
13th July - Yr 6 Southend Trip  
Week of 11th July - Cross class house competitions this week  
Week of 11th July - Class parties  
Week of 11th July - Summer Splash this week – date TBC  
20th July - Break the rules day FOPTM  
21st July - Yr6 Leavers Presentation and Results Event 9.30am (Ticketed event)  
21st July - Last day of term @ 1.30pm

**PSHE**—This half term focuses on 'Inquisitive Fox.'

We will also be focusing on the transition to secondary school.

**Computing**— In computing, pupils will continue to learn about variables in games. The children will be improving games, designing and coding games. We will also continue with our online safety.

**Science.** In Science this half term, we are going to be focusing on 'The Heart and Health'. We are going to look at the function of the blood, how it travels around the body and how the heart works. More information will come out about our heart dissection, that we will be doing.

## We hope you had a lovely May half term!

Sadly, this is our last curriculum letter for our wonderful year 6, as we start to think about their transition to secondary school. Over the half term, we will be doing lots of transitional work to ensure that the children are as prepared as possible.

We are also going to be completing our topic 'How Can You Commit To Be Fit?' We are going to be focusing on healthy living. We will be planning and cooking nutritional food and understanding the importance of staying healthy.

## **Reading Expectations**

Year 6 children should be reading every night. This will not only help with their reading ability but will also help extend their vocabulary. Reading does not need to be a chore; it can be anything the children enjoy!

Please ensure that the children are also learning their spellings.

## **Maths**

This term, we will be focusing on problem solving skills and solving investigations through our maths curriculum. We will continue with our basic maths skills, in order for our children to be ready for secondary school.

## **PE**

In PE lessons, the children are continuing athletics and field events. We ask that full P.E kit is kept in school and all jewellery is removed for each

session. If for any reason your child cannot take part in a lesson, they must have a note to explain why. Remember that keeping active is essential for health and wellbeing.

## Willow Routine

**Friday—Homework checked and spelling test carried out . Reading diaries in to be signed– both Monday and Friday. Times tables test is on a Friday. Thursday and Friday are PE days.**

## Yew Routine

**Monday—Homework checked and spelling test carried out. Reading diaries in to be signed– both Monday and Friday. Times tables test is on a Tuesday. Friday is P.E. day.**

## **English writing, reading and SPAG.**

This term we will be focusing on writing skills and up-leveiling our writing to include a range of sentence structures and punctuation. We will also begin writing different genres which will incorporate our experience topic.

Reading will take place daily and will focus on developing the skills that will be assessed.