

## English

In Summer term 1, our new writing unit is called Francis. Francis is the tense tale of the unexplained happenings on a lake in the middle of an Ontario Nature Reserve. We will learn how to write a conversation between Francis and her mother,, that will advance the plot/action on.



## Reading

As part of Sats revision and preparation for Sats tests, Year 6 children are reading unseen Fiction and Non-Fiction texts and answering comprehension questions. The children will develop strategies to answer retrieval, vocabulary, prediction, inference and summarising questions.



## PSHE

This half term, the children will be learning about growth and other ways the body can change and develop, particularly during adolescence and also learning about the human lifecycle.



## Maths

In Summer Term 1, Year 6 pupils study shape, focusing on properties such as angles, symmetry, and 3D shapes. They also learn about position by plotting points using coordinates in all four quadrants. In addition, they explore direction by translating and reflecting shapes, using mathematical language to describe movement on a grid.



## Topic

Learning varies across science topics, in Summer 1. In animals including humans, children learn about the circulatory system, including the heart, blood, and blood vessels, and how lifestyle choices affect health. In light, they explore how light travels, how we see, and how shadows are formed and change.

## How to help at home Year 6 Spring Term



## R.E

This term in RE, children are continuing to learn why suffering exists. They will explore a range of beliefs and teachings about the causes of suffering, including ideas from religious and non-religious worldviews. Pupils will make links between human choices, free will and responsibility, considering how actions can affect others. They will learn about different responses to suffering, including prayer, reflection and helping those in need, while considering how beliefs can shape people's understanding of difficult times.

## Spanish

This term in Spanish, children will build their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills through the topic of seasons and travel. They will practise using regular verb endings in the present tense, talk about what they do in different seasons and share their likes and dislikes. Pupils will develop their grammar skills through translation and sentence building activities. They will also learn about life in Spain and compare travel blogs, using a range of vocabulary to express their ideas with growing confidence.



## Computing

This term in computing, children will identify different types of AI and their applications in everyday life. They will apply coding skills to interact with AI applications.



## P.E

This half term pupils will develop their skills in rounders, focusing on batting, bowling, fielding, and teamwork in game situations. In basketball, they improve their dribbling, passing, and shooting, while learning how to apply tactics and work effectively as a team.