

Honesty
Kindness
Responsibility

Year 6 Curriculum Newsletter

Summer 1 Term

Resilience
Ambition
Respect

English: During our writing sessions we will be inspired by a speech by **Greta Thunberg** and write and perform our own passionate environmental themed speeches. Our class book will be *Can you see me?* by Libby Scott and Rebecca Westcott, a book which is a powerful story of autism, empathy and kindness whilst also exploring the themes of transition to secondary school.

We will have a renewed focus on spelling ahead of SATs focusing on the [Year 5 and 6 statutory spelling which you can find here.](#)

Maths: This half term we will be using algebra to describe patterns and write expressions. We will then be exploring averages and calculating the mean; reading pie charts and line graphs and converting miles and kilometres. We will also continue our SATs preparation with regular reasoning and arithmetic revision. Roman numerals will be a particular focus for this.

Science:

In science, we will finish off our Energy: circuits, batteries and switches unit.
[For more information click here.](#)

Geography:

Can I carry out an independent fieldwork enquiry?

[For more information click here.](#)

This unit will support the fieldwork we carry out at Aylmerton and around Linton.



Music:

In music this half term we will focus on singing and performance skills. We will start to work on the songs for our end of year performance 'I'm a Year 6, Get Me Out of Here!' and also enjoy class instrumental performance opportunities to perform in solo and small group contexts.

PE:

PE will consist of children taking part in badminton. Miss Rootes will teach dance for the other lesson.

Enrichment:

This half term most of our children will be taking part on our residential trip. Those who are not attending will have a wealth of enrichment opportunities in school.

Computing:

In computing, we will be finishing off our data handling unit of work called:

Big Data 2

[For more information click here.](#)

RE:

Miss Davies will be teaching RE on a Thursday afternoon.

Why is there suffering? (Part 2)

[For more information click here.](#)

PSHE:

Economic Wellbeing [For more information click here.](#)



Class 7: Mr Wilson

Class 8:
Mrs Webb (mornings)
Miss Walton (Mon & Tues pm)
Miss Rootes (Wed & Fri pm)

Mrs Mason and Miss Davies
(Thurs pm)

Reminders: PE days: Tuesday and Wednesday Reading record or reading journal check every Friday

Forest School dates: Class 8's last session - Friday 26th April Athletics home learning finished by Tuesday