

## Curriculum Information

### English

Our focus for English this half-term will be improving our writing, by developing sentence structures and paying close attention to punctuation. We will be reading the book *Rose Blanche*, an emotional tale from World War II. We will start with writing diaries. Our focus will be identifying the different skills for reading comprehension.

### Maths

Over the next half-term, the children will be learning about numbers and place value using numbers up to 10 million. We will then move onto formal methods of addition and subtraction, as well as extending our knowledge of fractions. We will also be applying our skills and knowledge in the context of measuring.

### Topic (Science)

This half-term, our topic is 'Space'. During this topic, we will be applying our space knowledge and skills:

- To research (using technology)
- To solve mathematical problems
- To gather and analyse data
- To represent data in different ways
- To develop our scientific skills

### R.E.

We will be looking at what it means to be a Sikh and what in life is worth fighting for.

### P.S.H.E.

During this half term, year 6 will look at health and wellbeing, ways of keeping safe and healthy, responding to friendships.

### P.E.

6MD have Indoor PE on **Mondays** and Outdoor PE on **Fridays**.  
6RM have Indoor PE on **Mondays** and Outdoor PE on **Fridays**.

If your children wear small studs for school, please ensure they are removed before school on PE days. PE kit must be in school on these days.

### Homework

Homework will be sent out on a Tuesday to be returned by the following Monday.

**Continuing reading** – It is vital that children in Year 6 continue to read at home regularly. Reading books should be taken home from school and changed on a regular basis.

***It is the responsibility of parents/carers to ensure home learning takes place.***

### Important Dates/Events

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> September – Parent information sessions.

2<sup>nd</sup> October – Parents coffee morning (9am).

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October – School closes for half term.

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November – School re-opens for Autumn 2.

### What do we need?

- School uniform must be worn; this includes sensible black school shoes.
- Be in line for quarter to nine. Learning starts straight away so don't miss out.
- It is important that you check your child's bag and student planner every night for any home learning or letters that have been sent home.

Year 6 is a significant year for all primary school pupils nationally, as they will sit their SATs this year. We will endeavour to support your child at all times both emotionally and academically. However, if you have any worries or concerns, with regard to your children's learning or well-being, do not hesitate to speak to a member of the Year 6 team.

**Mrs S Brown & Mrs A Holmes**

Year 6 Learning Support

**Mr M Donizetti & Ms R Mckail**

Year 6 Teacher

You can also contact **Mr Spink** (Vice Principal) and **Mrs Thomas** (Head of School) if you have any concerns.



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**Class Information**

**Year 6**

**Autumn 1 2018-2019**