

Year 6

English

Writing: We will explore **'Can we save the tiger?'** and write letters, explanations, persuasive speeches, and a balanced debate.

After, we will read **'The Hidden Forest'** and write diary entries and non-chronological reports.

Our writing unit of the term will be on **'The Princess Blankets'** by Carol Anne Duffy. Writing outcomes will include descriptions, speeches, adverts and finally, an own fairytale.

Reading: **'Skellig,'** by David Almond

GPS: RWI spellings and discrete grammar lessons, active & passive voice, the subjunctive mood, Year 6 punctuation (dashes, hyphens, colons, semi-colons)

Maths

Shape: angles in triangles, quadrilaterals and polygons, 3D shapes.

Position and direction: co-ordinate grids, four quadrants, translation and reflection

Revision of Y6 maths curriculum: fractions, decimals, percentages, place value, the four operations

Art

Impressionism and Post-Impressionism: Monet, Renoir, Degas, Van Gogh, Gauguin and Cezanne. We will learn about transient effect and the use of brush stroke.

Summer 1



"One body with many parts, growing together in love"

Music

Topic: Music and Me, Creation

French

Pupils will revise their learning of food and drinks in French, before learning how to describe things that they **like** and **dislike** in French.

Computing - iAdvertise

Pupils will be introduced to advertising across three different mediums: Print, TV and Radio. They will learn how to create radio adverts and jingles to suit different products and themes and create a TV advert for a new product.

PSHE

Using the *Jigsaw* scheme of learning to learn about relationships: What is mental health? Love and loss; power and control; being safe online; using technology responsibly.

Miss Caruth

RE - How has the Christian message survived over 2000 years?

How the Christian message initially spread; how the Church have protected the Christian message; the Bible translation & how this has protected the Christian message; Christianity surviving persecution in North Korea; and how the Christian message is spread, worldwide.

PE

- Quick Cricket and Volleyball (Tuesdays and Fridays)

Science - Classification of Living Things

The five kingdoms of organisms; plant and animal cells; taxonomy; classifying vertebrates and invertebrates.

Humanities - History: The Cold War

Communism vs Capitalism; The Arms Race; The Cuban Missile Crisis; The Space Race; Proxy Wars; differing interpretations of The Cold War

Humanities: Geography - South America

Countries of South America, the challenging geography of Peru, the Incan Empire, the Andes Mountains, farming and energy production, deforestation in the Amazon.

Additional:

SATS will take place w/c 13th May 2024 (Week 5)