

Year 6

Us in Year 6

Autumn 1

Rationale: As a year group, our aim is to prove that we are the very best we can be and we are ready to take on the challenges of Year 6, being the role-models for the rest of the school. We will be embodying The Park Gate Way and talking through how to display all our values throughout the year, including thinking about how this will support the new roles we could take on now we are in Year 6. We will complete this by celebrating our individual differences through designing and sewing a bookmark which represents ourselves and writing autobiographies to really show off who we are and what's amazing about us!

Lead Subject: PDL

We will consider the rights and responsibilities of being in Year 6 and how it is important to lead by example when being the eldest in the school. Seeing things from other people's point of view will be a prominent theme for exploration during this first week back.



Lead Subject: English

We will begin by looking at an example of an autobiography and everything that needs to be included to really entertain our reader – it can't just be facts about us; we want our readers to really feel like they know us! We will be creating lists, using a colon so that we can get as much information across in one go. We are really hoping to get a sense of who the children are from these informative pieces of writing.

Lead Subject: D.T

In Design Technology the children will be designing and making a fabric bookmark that reflects their individuality. They will need to reinforce it to make it durable/strong and then sew/applique designs and textile motifs onto their bookmark before finally sewing it all together.

2 WEEKS

School Value: Trust

- Value everyone's contribution to Year 6 and appreciate how our individualities combined will make us successful as a whole year group.
- Understand the trust needed for Year 6 to have certain privileges.
- See how Year 6 earn their privileges through being responsible and trustworthy.

Maths: In Maths, we will be recapping and extending our knowledge of Roman Numerals before moving on to negative numbers and numbers up to one million, making sure we are really secure with place value and rounding.

Outcome: The children will be bringing home their personalised bookmark to share with you. Families are invited to an Open Classroom on Thursday 17th September at 3pm to see children's work.

Home learning:

The way in which we send out weekly 'Homework' has changed. Our Homework Booklets will be replaced by work set on Google Classroom. This will be introduced to families in the autumn term. There will be 6 weeks of home learning tasks including a long-term 'Keep on Pumping' task to support our next project. Please spend the first half of the autumn term putting as much emphasis on reading as you can, making a start on the Reading Stars. We will start counting reads from Friday 11th September.

Discrete Subjects:

French: la phoniques/le ecole

Music: Duration and Structure

PDL: Me and My Relationships

R.E: Peace

P.E: Health related fitness/Dodgeball

