

# Title: Us in Year 6

YEAR: 2020 TERM: Autumn 1  
YEAR GROUP: 6

## Rationale:

Mrs McCarthy isn't convinced that this year's Year 6 should be given any school responsibilities as they missed a lot of Year 5 (which was no fault of their own of course!) and might not be ready to take it on. We will aim to convince Mrs McCarthy that the children can be trusted right from day 1 and will use a poetry session, with Year 6 as the key subject of the poems, to show her all of the year group's strengths! At the end of the week we will perform our poetry. Will Year 6 show what they are capable of?

## 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 poems being performed by Joseph Coelho, Benjamin Zephaniah and Michael Rosen. Using the poetry toolkit from Joseph Coelho we will explore different poetic devices before writing poems about how trustworthy and kind Y6 are. Can the poems convince Mrs McCarthy to give them whole school responsibilities?

## Lead Subject: DT

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.

## Applied Subject: ICT

Our ICT will be reminding the children how to log on to the system using their passwords. They will then type up their poems in an appropriate size and font.

**School Values:** Kindness, partnership and trust will be the 3 values explored throughout this week as well as a reminder of all the others.

## Applied Subject: Maths (see detail)

### Place Value Chart

Millions			Thousands			Ones		
Hundreds millions	Ten millions	One million	Hundreds Thousands	Ten Thousands	One Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

## Maths

In maths we will be beginning to look at place value and our world in numbers. Year 6 need to read, write order and compare numbers up to **10,000,000!** We will be dipping our toe into the place value water this week and then continue in the next project.

**Outcome** The children will perform their poetry to Mrs McCarthy and see if they can prove how trustworthy, kind and empathetic than are! If all goes well, Year 6 can take on responsibilities to help the rest of the school.

## Home learning

As this is the first project back after a long break, we have decided not to give home learning for this particular project. Home learning will start again in our next one!

## WEEKS: 1

