

Year 6: Summer Term



Trinity C of E
Primary Academy

Literacy

Throughout the Summer term, the children in Year 6 will continue to recap and consolidate their understanding of grammatical features and apply these to several writing pieces. They will continue to explore a range of texts and genres giving the children many opportunities to produce extended pieces of writing and show off their skills.

This term, we will be exploring 'The Nowhere Emporium by Ross McKenzie' and 'High Rise Mystery by Sharna Jackson' along with a visual literacy unit called 'The Lighthouse'. Using these texts the children will complete a character profile, newspaper article, biography and narratives to both inform and engage the reader.



In Reading, the children will continue to consolidate their skills of retrieval, inference and define through weekly comprehension lessons. We will continue to ensure that children are fluent readers with a deep understanding of what they have read and encourage all children to read for pleasure both at school and at home.

PSHE

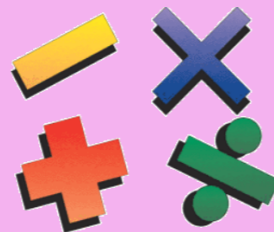
Throughout this term, the children will look at the topic 'Relationships'. Children will explore how they can build on friendships and also develop an understanding of what mental health is, dealing with love and loss and also recognising when others may be trying to take control.

PE

Children will take part in weekly PE sessions where they will play an active role in team sports.

Numeracy

During the Summer term, the children will focus on consolidating a range of skills that we have covered throughout the academic year including statistics, the four operations, time and percentages. The children will look at how they can apply these to a range of real life problems and problems in context in preparation for the transition into secondary school. We will continue to help children develop their understanding of reasoning and complete weekly arithmetic practice.



Humanities Geography

Around the world: a comparative study

In Summer 1 the children will continue to build on their geographical skills to explore The Alps.

The children will compare their own local area and discover the similarities and differences between where they live and the awesome Alps. We will explore longitude and latitude along with the human and physical features identified in both places. To complete this topic, the children will produce a comparative report exploring the similarities and differences between the United Kingdom and the Alps.

Humanities History

Slavery

During Summer 2 we will begin to look at Slavery. The children will explore the Triangular Atlantic slave trade. They will look at slavery from a slaves' perspective using historical sources and think about what the experiences were like for people. Throughout the topic, it will allow us to look at influential characters, such as Harriet Tubman. We will consider her struggle to become free, and then look at how she helped free enslaved people after.

The children will also look at the abolition of the slave trade and slavery in Britain. The children will look at influential people who were appealing against the slave trade and how eventually it was abolished.

Dance and Music

The children will take part in dance and music every week. Within these sessions, the children will build on lessons previously taught developing skills in both music and dance.



R.E.

In the Summer term, the children will be exploring the key question:

"What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?"

Throughout this unit, we will explore and discuss the resurrection and why it is important to Christians.

Science

Our topic in Science this term is 'Evolution'. The children will be exploring Charles Darwin and his understanding of evolution. They will consider how and why living things vary and survive. The children will investigate evolution and use evidence to support their findings in how living things have changed over time.



Reminders/Notices

Homework

Homework is set every Friday, to be returned by the following Thursday. Children will receive new maths and literacy work weekly. On occasions their work may be set on 'Google Classrooms' or 'Bug Club' - on these days, we will let the children know.

Spellings

Spelling tests will take place every Friday. Your child will have a sheet with the spellings on for each week for this half term.

Swimming

Swimming will continue throughout the Summer Term for those children who are currently attending swimming sessions.

Swimming will continue to take place on a Tuesday.

Physical Education

P.E. will continue to take place on a Thursday afternoon. Children must attend school in their school P.E kit. This consists of a red Trinity t-shirt and plain black bottoms.

We look forward to the final term and seeing the children complete their final year at primary school!

Keep up the good work Year 6!

Things to remember this term: SATs tests

Week Beginning - 09.05.22

Residential-Condover Hall

12th June-15th June



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Useful websites to help with your learning:

Literacy and Numeracy:

Use your Bug Club log on to access a wide range of reading books.
Remember you can also access Maths Flex!

www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0

www.onceuponapicture.co.uk

www.pobble365.com

www.myminimaths.com

www.topmarks.co.uk

collins.co.uk/pages/primary-mathematics-times-tables-test-simulator

www.snappymaths.com/

Humanities and Science:

www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvhhwcv

