

Curriculum Overview for Year 6

Spring 1

Here are Year 6 areas of study for Spring 1:

English core books: The Final Year by Matt Goodfellow and Wildlife Crossings by Catherine Barr.

Maths: Fractions, decimals and percentages.

Science: Living Things – Classification of living things

Geography: Cities – How do cities compare across the world?

RE: Creation stories – How was the world created?

Art: Art from around the world – studying different artists from different countries

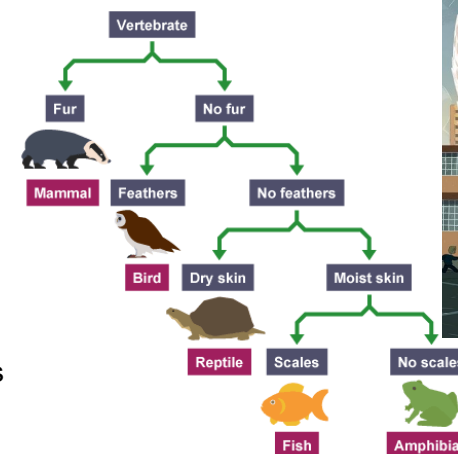
PE: Gymnastics and dance

UNCRC: #17 – Every child has the right to reliable information from a variety of sources. Governments should encourage media to provide information that children can understand and protect them from materials that could harm them.

SDG Focus: SDG #11 – Sustainable cities and communities

Online safety focus: Using devices to gather reliable information.

PSHCE lessons will focus on emotional wellbeing and will be a space to discuss global/local/school issues as they arise.



Emergency Issues (medicines/phone numbers etc)

Please ensure that the office is informed of any medical needs/allergies your child may have. It is essential that we have an up to date record. Please also make sure we have your up to date mobile number in case of an emergency with your child.

Break times

Children in Y6 can bring a piece of fruit from home to eat at breacktime.

PE

PE will be on a **Friday** afternoon. Please make sure your child brings their full **Chesterton** PE kit (including black tracksuit bottoms for outdoor PE in colder weather) and suitable trainers on this day. The PE uniform includes a white polo shirt, black plimsolls/trainers and school PE shorts/plain black jogging bottoms.

Maths

This half term we will be focusing on decimals, fractions and percentages.

Here are some games to play to help build skills

<https://nrich.maths.org/1249>

Don't forget to keep on practising your times tables using:

<https://trockstars.com/>

Please continue to work on practising telling the time at home.

<https://maths-games.org/time-games.html>

Set Homework

Remember to read at home every day!

Year 6 are to complete a reading comprehension, Arithmetic and SPaG homework once a week. This will be given out on Thursday and needs to be handed in on a Monday.

Geography: Cities

Can you find the answers to these key questions?

1. What is the population required for a city to be called a Megacity?
2. Are there any megacities in Europe?
3. What are the physical and human features of a city? Are there any similarities or differences?

Try exploring cities on Google Maps



Home Learning

Science

This half term, we will be studying Living Things and their environments.

We will be focusing on using a classification system to classify living things based on their physical features.

Try playing these games to help you classify living things

<https://wordwall.net/resource/41077/science/invertebrates-and-vertebrates>

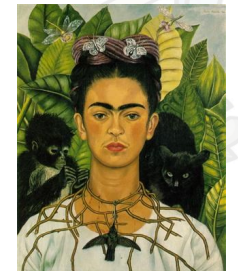
Art

This half term, we will be exploring artists from around the world.

Try researching some of these artists:

Frieda Kahlo

Derek Adams



Can you try replicating a piece of their artwork?