



Rise Park Primary and Nursery School Year 6 Newsletter

English, Maths and Science

English and Maths will take place every morning in Y6.

Learning spellings and reading regularly are vital elements of English. With particular reference to the end of KS2 SATs, which take place in May, your child will this term be expected to continue to learn a weekly list of key spellings. Please use the guidance provided in the Home-School Organiser to support your child in these areas.

In Maths, we would appreciate your help working with your child on their times tables, practicing on Times Table Rockstars on a regular basis, and with their arithmetic skills. We will be exploring

Homework

There will be weekly spelling tests, alongside revision and other small, focused tasks. Please ensure that your child reads at home every night.

place value, the four operations and fractions, decimals and percentages.

The topics this term in Science are 'Animals, including humans' and 'Evolution and Inheritance.'

P.E.

6L and 6S will have P.E. on Monday and 6K will have it on Thursday.

Both classes will have PE on Friday. Children should wear their full PE kit to school on PE days.

If earring studs are worn, children must be able to remove them or we may require you to come in to school to remove them before your child can partake in PE. We will also be taking part in The Sheriff's Challenge for 10 minutes each day.



The Wider Curriculum

Our topic for this term is World War II, and we will be studying the Holocaust and in particular the impact that it had on Jewish people in RE. Our first shared reading text is 'Rose Blanche,' to link in with this theme. Our second text is 'Silverfin,' and we will be using this to write our own horror stories. In Geography, we will be exploring Europe, focusing on Eastern Europe. In DT, we will be building and testing out bridges to link to our theme. In Art, we will be sewing 3D worry monsters. In Computing, we will be focusing on online safety for the first half-term and then moving on to coding. In PSHE, we will be exploring what it means to be us and celebrating the differences between each other. In Music, we will be focusing on appraising and learning the pop song 'Happy' and then learning about jazz music.

Autumn term 2020/21

Things to remember

Please remember to sign your child's Home/School Organiser each weekend and throughout the week.

Adults

**Argentina's teacher—
Miss Cubbon**

**Nicaragua's teacher—
Miss Lynch**

**Year 6 teacher—Mr
Kelly**

Year 6 TA—Mrs Lamb

Dates for your diary

**Parents' evening—
7th October**

Any questions?

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come and talk to any member of the Year 6 team.