

Science and Computing

Computing: online safety, variables in games and spreadsheets

Science: Living things and their habitats

Understanding the world around us:

Geography: How can we compare and contrast Rio de Janeiro and London?

Pupils will learn about and be able to compare Rio de Janeiro and London by focusing on their climates, topological features, regions and the impact of trade and tourism.

History: What were the key causes and impacts of WW2?

Pupils will learn about how the war began, the role of women, key battles, the impact of the Blitz and Evacuees.

RE: How do the stories of Exodus and Jesus help Christians live good lives and make the world better?

Pupils will be learning about the story of Exodus and how this guides Christians in their daily lives.

PSHE: Relationships and Living in the wider world

Literacy and Language skills

Letters from the Lighthouse - newspaper report and persuasive speech

Beowulf - narrative and newspaper report

Teacher Pleaser - explanation text

Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (GPS)

Guided reading / Reading comprehension

French - A l'école (At school)

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Creativity and PE:

Art: Exploring Textures and Artists

DT: creating a nightlight using crumble kits

Games: football, cricket, netball and gymnastics

Music: WW2 music

Mathematics skills and knowledge:

Number (including negative numbers and Roman numerals), place value (including decimals), mental and written addition, subtraction, multiplication and division (including remainders expressed as fractions and decimals) and algebra.

Measurement—length, capacity, mass, money and time

Fractions—improper and mixed number fractions, non-unit fractions of amounts, percentages, applying all four operations to fractions

Geometry: perimeter, area and volume of shapes (including the area of a triangle and of parallelograms), nets of 3D shapes, translation, calculating diameter and radius of a circle

Key vocabulary for this term

Geography: land use, settlement, vegetation belt, climate zone, biome

History: allies, axis Luftwaffe, blackout, propaganda treaty, blitz, nazi

Science: classification, vertebrate, invertebrate, organism, virus, bacterial, microorganism, species and botany

YEAR 6 SPRING TERM

The Spring Term is here and the year 6 children are in for a treat! Year 6 have an exciting term ahead of them! Throughout the term we will be learning about Rio de Janeiro, WW2 and Living Things and Their Habitats. See overleaf for our curriculum map.

- The children work so hard and as a result get through stationery rather quickly. They need sharp pencils, glue sticks, highlighters and whiteboard pens replenished regularly.
- PE and Games lessons will take place on a **Monday** and **Wednesday**.
- During this term, a new spelling homework document has been created which is designed to support your child with their spellings. Please refer to this document for further information and if you have any questions please contact your child's class teacher.

Reading	Read to an adult at home and discuss the book.	Parents / carers, please sign the diary when your child has read. Please see above for further details.	At least 5 times a week, for 10 minutes
Spelling	Practise spellings issued on a Monday (available on Spelling Frame).	The previous week's spellings will be tested each Monday, after which, a new set of spellings will be issued.	At least 5 times a week, for 10 minutes
GPS	Complete the questions uploaded onto Google Classroom.	Parents / carers, please help your child self-assess their work and upload their it onto Google Classroom.	Complete all questions allocated
Maths	Complete the questions uploaded onto Google Classroom.	Parents / carers, please help your child self-assess their work and upload their it onto Google Classroom.	Complete all questions allocated

Visits and Events

World War 2 Day - Friday 6th February

Whole school times table competition final - Friday 13th February

World Book Day (dress up) - Thursday 5th March

6B and 6C Parent Showcase - Tuesday 17th March

6K and 6W Parent Showcase - Wednesday 18th March

SATs Mock week - W/C 23rd March

Please refer to the school's website for the calendar of events: <https://www.hpp.school/page/?title=Term+Dates&pid=32>