Year 6

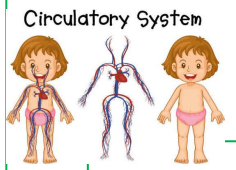
History – Crime and Punishment

How has crime and punishment changed over time in Britain?

This half term, children will build on their knowledge of periods in history that they have studied throughout KS2. Children will use different historical disciplinary concepts to explore how crime and punishment has changed over time in Britain. They will understand what was seen as a crime, and how the crimes were impacted by social status. Children will learn about what happened when someone was accused of a crime and explore the different ways people were tried and given punishments. They will learn how trials and harsher, more gruesome, punishments developed. The children will find out about the development of the police force from the Victorian period right through to the new millennium.

Science – Animals including Humans

How do animals living systems work together to maintain a healthy body?



During this unit of work, children will learn about the importance of the circulatory system and how it transports oxygen around our body. They will learn about the heart and how it is an important muscle in our bodies. Children will learn about their heart rate and different activities that can increase the heart rate. Children will learn about being healthy and things they can do to lead a healthy lifestyle as well as learning about things that people do that can cause them to be unhealthy.

PE

Football: In Year 6 PE, students are developing their football skills by practising passing, dribbling, shooting, and teamwork. They learn to apply these skills in games, while building fitness, confidence, and an understanding of fair play and cooperation.

PSHE

Children will take part in lessons on keeping/staying safe this half term focusing on water safety

Spellings

Children will learn a different spelling rule each week using Edshed.

Art

Children will learn specific skills and techniques to confidently use line, shape and value to create their own artwork. They will use pencils and ballpoint pens to explore shading, blending and mark-making and will have developed a proficiency at controlling and selecting the appropriate tools.

English

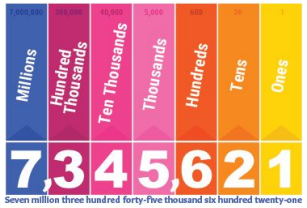


In Year 6, pupils follow the Grammarsaurus PVPG programme to strengthen their understanding of punctuation, vocabulary, and grammar. They learn how to use a wide range of sentence structures, punctuation, and ambitious vocabulary accurately and effectively in their writing. Lessons focus on applying these skills to improve clarity, coherence, and impact, supporting pupils to write confidently for different purposes and audiences, and preparing them for end-of-key-stage expectations.

Reading Comprehension

We will support pupils in becoming confident readers by developing fluency and comprehension through Phonics to Fluency using The Fluency Factory programme. The children will be exposed to different types of genres including fiction, non-fiction and poetry.

Maths – Place Value



In the Year 6 Place Value unit, students are developing a deeper understanding of the value of digits in numbers up to millions and beyond. They learn to read, write, compare, and order large numbers, and to recognise the role of zero as a placeholder. Students also explore rounding numbers, using place value to estimate and check the reasonableness of answers, and working with negative numbers in context. This learning strengthens number sense and supports more advanced mathematical skills such as calculations with large numbers, problem-solving, and real-life applications of mathematics.