



Half Termly Curriculum Overview

Year 6/ Summer 2

English	Maths
In Reading and Writing, we are studying 'Stella by Starlight' by Sharon M Draper – a story about a young girl who must learn to be brave in the face of violent prejudice when the Ku Klux Klan reappears in her segregated southern town.	In Maths, we will be consolidating and revisiting the many skills and curriculum content covered both in Year 6 and the rest of KS2. This will give us the opportunity to ensure any gaps in learning are addressed.
Music	History
In Music, pupils will be developing pupils' singing skills as they learn and rehearse the song list for our leavers' production.	In History, we will be studying the Civil Rights Movement. Linking with our key text in English and our earlier Geography learning on the USA, we will learn about what life was like in America in the 1950s and what segregation is. We will study some of the key figures in the fight for justice, such as Rosa Parks, Katherine Johnson and Dr. Martin Luther King, discovering exactly who our class namesakes are and what role they played in the Civil Rights Movement.
Drama	PSHE
We will be spending some time this half term preparing for our leavers' production. This will involve singing and acting, as well as all aspects of stage production.	In PSHE this half term, we will be exploring Health and Wellbeing. This will cover looking after our mental well-being and physical health, Sex and Relationships Education (SRE), keeping ourselves safe online and drug use and the law.
PE	Computing
In PE this half term, we will be learning cricket with Mr Jalland as well as participating in rounders. Building on learning from Year 5, there will be a focus on leadership, rules and umpiring.	In Computing, we are learning about the uses of Artificial Intelligence and how it is developed. We will also develop our high level formatting skills by creating a programme for the Y6 production.



RE	Spanish
In RE, our unit this half term focuses on the theme of 'Caring.' During this we will explore how different religions teach people to care for others and the environment which will also link to our previous learning on Sustainability.	In Spanish this half term, we will be looking at different Spanish festivals such as la Fiesta de San Fermin and La Tomatina festival. We will also learn some useful holiday Spanish phrases.

How you can help at home

As always, we encourage our pupils to read four times per week and fill in their reading diaries to be checked weekly. We will be resuming home learning and will expect pupils to complete one Maths and one English task at home each week – due on Fridays.