

Health and Wellbeing

Our focus this term is on Health. We will be learning about the importance of a healthy diet, exercise and quality rest in our day to day lives.



In PE we are developing our skills in gymnastics and hockey.

P.E. days are **Tuesday** and **Friday**. Please ensure your child has a gym kit, including clean indoor shoes.

Many thanks.



Welcome to P6 as we move to Term 2. Here you will find an outline of what we will be learning this term.

Mrs Johnston

Numeracy:

We shall continue to work on our multiplication and division strategies to support our knowledge and understanding to support problem solving challenges.



Pupils shall also be learning to convert analogue and digital time as well as calculate time durations. Pupils will have the opportunity to explore real world contexts such as bus timetables, store opening times and much more.

Expressive Arts

Drama – We will express and communicate our ideas and thoughts in a fun and exciting way through drama.



Music – We will be using our voice and musical instruments to experiment with sound, pitch, melody and rhythm.

Art – We will be using our knowledge of proportion to create portraits and figures. We will also explore a range of materials to produce line, tone and shade in our artwork.



Literacy

Reading – This term we will continue to develop our comprehension skills through our reading books and class novels. We will have a particular focus on sequencing, finding similarities and differences in a text and predicting.



Writing – Our focus this term will be creating descriptive texts. Pupils will engage with PM Writing to learn how to construct a detailed descriptive pieces of work building on skills developed during Term 1 - Recount.

Talking and Listening – Pupils will be encouraged to deliver a presentation or talk to their classmates on a chosen topic possibly linked with our IDL learning context. Presentations will take place in front of the whole class or a small group and will promote positive talking and listening skills.

Context for Learning – we are starting to explore Climate Change and as we delve deeper considering the direct and indirect effects we are having on our planet.

Science will allow us to study local and global impacts of climate change. Through experimentation, we will investigate the oceans as absorbers of heat and why carbon dioxide is useful.

RME – We will be learning about the Jewish festival of Hanukah and as Christmas time approaches we will be looking more in depth at the meaning behind Advent.



Digital Technologies – We are learning to touch type using Microsoft Word this will allow us to develop skills for literacy and we shall use our touch typing to create one of our descriptive

pieces.



Homework

Your child will receive their homework tasks via Learning Journals on a Monday to be returned on Friday. All pupils have a homework folder with a literacy & numeracy jotters if required.