

Year 6 Newsletter: Summer One 2023/24

We hope that you have all had a relaxing Easter break. We have a very exciting half term ahead of us, including some History and Art!

Below is an outline of what we will be learning about in the coming weeks.

Literacy: We will begin this half term by continuing our work on holiday persuasion by writing informal travel blogs. After that, we will be looking at different Greek Myths and responding to the texts in different ways, including completing a first person narrative linked to 'Jason and the Golden Fleece'.

Maths: For our maths lessons this half term, we will be continuing with our work on shape before moving on to looking at perimeter, area, position and direction.

History : Our history will focus on journeys, where the children will learn about important historical journeys and explorations including those made by Sir Walter Raleigh in Tudor times, the Titanic, Kindertransport and the Empire Windrush.

RE: This half term we are looking at how religion can be expressed through Art.

RSHE: In RSHE we will be focussing on relationships in the wider world with a focus on communities.

Art: In Art, we will study the work of American painter, Bob Ross, exploring the techniques that he uses. We will then photograph our own landscape compositions in Graves Park and create our own paintings of these.

Computing: In computing, we will be focusing on programming. The children will recognise and use sequence, repetition, selection and variables to create complex programs.

P4C: Our P4C learning will continue with a range of stimuli to engage the children and make them think more deeply about the world around them.

PE: For Indoor PE we will be completing circuit training, while outdoor PE is cricket. Please make sure your child is wearing appropriate clothing and shoes in order to take part in any sport.

PE Days:

All Y6 children have PE on the following days:

- *Monday—Indoor
- *Friday—Outdoor



Important Diary Dates:

Wednesday 24th April—Y6 Residential Meeting (5pm)

Thursday 25th April—Sports Day @ EIS

Monday 13th May to Thursday 16th May—Y6 SATS

Friday 17th May—Crucial Crew Visit (AM)

Monday 20th May to Wednesday 22nd May—Y6 Residential

