

## English

- Use the conventions and language of formal debate.
  - Read and critically discuss a range of fiction, poetry, plays, non-fiction, reference and text books.
  - Increase their familiarity with fiction genres including Classical texts
  - Show an understanding of texts through formal presentation and debate.
  - Use a wide knowledge of text types, forms and styles to inform their writing.
  - Plan and write for a clear purpose and audience.
  - Evaluate their work effectively and make improvements based on this.
- Key Author** – Michael Morpurgo

## Maths

**Place value** – numbers to 10,000,000 comparing, ordering and rounding any given numbers. To use negative numbers.

**Using and applying the four operations.** – adding and subtracting with integers, multiplying up to 4 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers, short and long division, common factors and multiples, prime numbers up to 100, square and cubed numbers, understanding the order of operations, mental calculations and estimation and reasoning from known facts.

**Fractions-** comparing and ordering fractions, adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing fractions, understanding the four rules of fractions and fractions of an amount.

## Key

### Experiences

- We Feel Positive month
- E-Safety Training with 'The 2 Johns'
- Anti-bullying week
- Remembrance Assembly

## Art and DT

**Art-** From the Ancient Maya to modern-day street art, children look at how artists convey a message. Exploring imagery, symbols, expressive mark making, and 'chiaroscuro' children consider audience and impact to create powerful drawings to make their voices heard.

**D.T.-** Pulleys and Gears use research and develop design criteria to inform the design of innovative, functional, appealing products that are fit for purpose, aimed at particular individuals or groups investigate and analyse a range of existing products understand and use mechanical systems in their products

## Curriculum Map - Autumn Term 2023 Year 6 - Green & Blue Classes

### Homework:

Spellings will be set and should be learnt for weekly tests. Use Times Tables Rock Stars to practice your times tables (children should already know up to 12x12 and the related division facts). Daily reading, preferably to an adult, is also essential to ensure progress in reading.

## History

- The Victorians –
- Timeline of events throughout the Victorian era.
  - Comparing life in this era to life now.

## PE

Young Olympians, Hockey, Gymnastics and Fitness.

**P.E. Days:**  
6 Blue: Tuesday and Thursday  
6 Green: Wednesday and Thursday

## Geography

We will be focusing on our locational knowledge and basic geographical skills including:

- naming and locating the countries and capital cities in the UK.
- naming and locating the continents and oceans of the world.
- naming countries in different continents and discussing climates.
- human and physical locations in the UK and wider world.

## Music

### Music technology & developing ensemble skills

In these units, we ask, 'How Does Music Bring Us Together?' and 'How Does Music Connect Us with Our Past?'. Through these social questions, encouraging them to be responsible and kind citizens of the world.

## PSHE

'New Beginnings', health and wellbeing and being part of a community.

'We Feel Positive' month.

The children will complete a range of PSHE activities around this theme, including:

Create and establish rules for the classroom and around the school.

Mindfulness lessons.

Plus lessons, which allow the children to talk about and share their feelings.

## Science

### Light

- recognise that they need light in order to see things
  - recognise that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object
  - find patterns in the way that the size of shadows change
- Evolution & Inheritance
- Comparing similarities between humans from the same family.
  - Identifying how animals have evolved over time.
  - Exploring scientific evidence to support the theory of evolution.

## RE

### Beliefs and Practice

What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?

### Christmas

Do Christmas celebrations and traditions help Christians understand who Jesus was and why he was born?

## Computing

### Computing systems and networks

Communication and collaboration

### Creating media

Web page creation