

RE (Come and See)

Domestic Church - Loving: Children will focus on unconditional love and how they can show love to others. Children will know how to love and care for others.

Baptism/Confirmation – Belonging: Children will explore how people can be called in different points in their lives. Children will understand how people are committed to vocations such as priests.

Year 6 Curriculum overview Autumn 1 2024



Science

Animals including Humans

- Identify the main parts of the circulatory system.
- Explain the main functions of the heart, lungs and blood vessels in the circulatory system.
- Explain what constitutes a healthy lifestyle.
- Describe how drugs and alcohol can impact negatively on the body.

English

Reading: Develop skills of inference and deduction across a variety of texts. The class reader is 'Pig Heart Boy' by Malorie Blackman

Writing: Diary entry and Bravery award Speech using Rose Blanche by Ian McEwan and Josephine Poole and Anne Frank by as our vehicle text.

Grammar & Spelling: semi colons, colons, relative clauses, parenthesis, homophones, hyphens, changing adjective to nouns.

Maths

Number: read, write, order and compare and order numbers up to 10 000 000 and number lines; rounding to any integer; negative numbers

Operations: factors, multiples, prime, square and cubed numbers; long multiplication; long division; multi-step; order of operation (BIDMAS);

Fractions: equivalent fractions; compare and order fractions; add and subtract fractions

Reasoning: Use the four operations (+/- x/ ÷) to solve one step problems progressing to two steps

History

The Maya – How do historians know about the Maya?

- were situated using Geography of Maya on Yucatán peninsula
- rulers, customs and structure of society
- agriculture including maize, chocolate
- language, art, cities and architecture
- calendar and mathematics.
- religious belief and practice including creation myth and ritual bloodletting.

PE

Gymnastics

- Ensure movement are clear, accurate and consistent
- Prepare and perform confidently to an audience
- Safety and consistently combine six gymnastic shapes, in rolls, balances and jumps with sequences

Music

- Play and perform in solo and ensemble contexts, using their voices and playing musical instruments with increasing accuracy, fluency, control and expression
- Listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory

Spanish

Professions

- Revision of conversation when meeting people, naming places and objects
- Revision of family members
- Introduction to questions and answers of what jobs your family members do

Computing

My online life

- To understand how the internet and media shapes our views
- To understand how to be a good digital citizen
- To understand what information online says about us
- To know how to deal with online bullying
- To understand how technology can impact our health

Art

Drawing – How art is used to convey messages?

- To explore expressive drawing techniques
- To consider how symbolism in art can convey messages
- To apply understanding of the drawing techniques of chiaroscuro
- To evaluate the context and intention of street art
- To understand the impact and affect to create powerful images

Geography

Energy and climate change – How do local actions in the UK affect global climate?

- Understand how people use energy
- Explain types of energy - renewable and non-renewable energy sources
- Explain how the greenhouse effect
- Explain how local and global actions affect climate change and its effects examples from Antarctica, Great Barrier Reef, Pacific Islands, South Asia, UK
- Illustrate a range of ways of how we can respond to this problem

PSHE/RSE

Mental health and wellbeing – Healthy minds

- Learn about what mental health is – know emotions, moods and feeling – how we think, feel and behave
- Learn about what can affect our mental health and some ways of dealing with this – understand that everyone can be affected by mental ill health
- Learn about some everyday ways to look after your mental health – explaining how we can look after our mental health and how is important for our physical health

Events & celebrations

- **3rd October** - Individual & Family Photos
- Swimming – Every Friday

Family Learning

Homework is handed out every Friday and collected in on the next Friday. This will include spellings and either maths, reading or spag.
Reading – 5/10 minutes each night

