

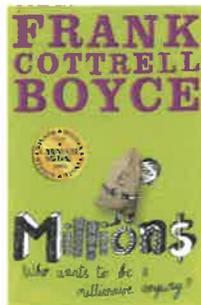
Topic

Our theme for this term is 'Do The Right Thing!' It encompasses History, learning about Crime and Punishment through the ages, Geography with 'Where Does Our Stuff Come From?', PSHE lessons and DT. DT will focus on healthy food which is also picked up in PSHE, along with continuing focus on safer internet use. Through our learning, we are hoping to learn the choices people make and the impact of those choices on themselves and others, in real and imagined situations.



English

This term, connecting with our topic 'Do The Right Thing!', we will be exploring 'Millions' by Frank Cottrell Boyce. As we work our way through the book, we will be empathising with the characters, and exploring the ideas of right and wrong. Alongside this, we will continue regular structured comprehension work to develop reading skills across the curriculum. Extended writing sessions will continue through the term as we work on a range of genres. In each unit, we will focus on developing the grammatical knowledge and writing skills needed to reach the end of key stage standard, with particular emphasis on different punctuation choices and sentence structures, as well as controlling the level of formality required. Individual reading will be encouraged and we will have regular spelling activities. Please continue to support us in this subject by encouraging reading on a regular basis and discussing any tricky or interesting vocabulary you come across.



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Newsletter – Spring Term 2026

Year 6

Welcome to the Year 6 Curriculum Newsletter. This is a summary of the learning planned for the Spring Term.

If you have any concerns about your child's learning please contact Mrs McLean directly, in the first instance.

Maths

Key areas for learning this term will include ratio and proportion and finding areas and perimeters. We will then move on to geometry and statistics. Throughout the term, we will consolidate our calculation skills and develop our understanding of key areas of the curriculum that are building blocks for future understanding. Weekly arithmetic lessons, timed tests and daily Fluent in 5 sessions will continue to secure these skills. The focus will also be on applying our skills when presented with information in different ways e.g. word problems and missing number calculations.

RE

This term's big questions are about pilgrimage and salvation. First of all, we will explore the significance of pilgrimages in faith, focusing on Islamic and Christian pilgrimages. Our next exploration is focused on what the resurrection means to Christians.



Science

This term we are studying how the circulatory system works and the parts of the body which are important in this. We will then move on to looking at keeping healthy and consider the factors that are important in maintaining a healthy lifestyle. After half-term we will be focusing on developing our investigative skills and carrying out experiments and research related to the human body including measuring the effects of exercise.

PE

PE lessons will take place on Thursdays and Fridays. Children are expected to have their full PE kit in school at all times. Through games, dance and gymnastics, we will continue to develop skills and personal best measurements. Please remember children are not allowed to wear earrings for PE.



Diary Dates

- 15.01.26 Young Voices Concert
- 28.01.26 Eucharist Service (children only)
- 02.03.26 Y6 Midline Assessments
- 05.03.26 World Book Day
- 11.03.26 Parents' Evening
- 12.03.26 Parents' Evening
- 27.03.26 Easter Service
- 27.03.26 Come Dine With Me Y6

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