



Summer- Year 6

2022/2023

Reading

In Reading, we will focus on reading for pleasure, ensuring we are accessing a range of text types and novels. In addition, we will continue to practise using our scanning and skimming skills to retrieve answers accurately from the text. Vocabulary will continue to be a big focus for us this term: the children will practise looking at the meaning of words when used in different contexts.

Writing

This term, we will continue to write across a variety of different genres, using specifically-chosen vocabulary and appropriate levels of formality to write for a given purpose. Through the use of a range of resources, we will be writing a number of narrative pieces that use dialogue effectively to enhance the plot. We will also re-visit and edit previous pieces of work using the literacy skills we now possess.

Maths

In Maths, we will be completing a range of different projects which will call upon the problem-solving skills we have developed over the year. Furthermore, we will address any gaps in learning by revisiting key areas of the Key Stage 2 curriculum.

Topic	
The UK, Past, Present and Future	
British Value	RSHE
Democracy, Rule of Law and Tolerance	We will be learning about the following: what affects our mental health and ways to take care of it; how to keep our personal information safe; transition; and increasing independence.

History

In History, we will be learning about the countries that make up the United Kingdom. We will also look at the role of Parliament and democracy.

Geography

In Geography, we will be looking at the human and physical features of the United Kingdom. In physical geography we will look at coasts, river, mountains and the water cycle. In human geography, we will look at the economic features of the UK and sustainability.

Science

In Science, our topic is evolution: we will recognise that things have changed over time and that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but offspring vary and are not identical to their parents.

RE

We will look at what it means to be a Muslim in Britain today. We will explore the practice, meaning and significance of the Five Pillars of Islam. We will understand the importance of the Holy Qur'an.

Computing

We will first look at online safety focussing on privacy rules. We will then look at creating a game using the program 2DIY3D. Finally, we will look at creating a quiz using 2Quiz.

Art

We will use chalk and pastels to produce images of fossils, sea birds and coasts. We will look at mixed media including batik and felt making.

DT

We will look at building bridges. We will investigate different types of bridges and how they are constructed. We will then design, make and evaluate our own bridge designs.

Music

We will continue to develop our recorder skills. We will also take part in our end of Year 6 production!

PE

In PE we will look at bowling, fielding and batting skills in cricket. We will also take part in athletic events where we can aim to beat our personal bests.

MFL

In French we will look at engaging in conversations, expressing opinions, describe people, places & things and understand basic grammar rules.

Homework

Homework will be sent out on a Monday and is to be returned the following Monday. School reading books are to be brought to school every single day. Reading records will be checked on a Monday and Friday. Spelling logs books are sent home on Friday and need to be returned on a Monday

Things you can do at home:

- Read your reading book or reading for pleasure book every day.
- Practise your spellings and orange words in the spelling log book.

Key Dates

Tuesday 18th July and Wednesday 19th
July – End of Year Production
Tuesday 25th July – Year 6 Assembly

Thank you for your continued support.

If you have any questions or concerns please email me year62022@newton-hill.org.uk

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