

**Foundation Curriculum:**

**In History, children will learn about:**

* The legacy of the Golden Age of Islam including: the significance of Baghdad, the Silk Road and the House of Wisdom.

**In Geography, children will learn about:**

* Use fieldwork to observe, measure, record and present the human and physical features in the local area.
* Describe and understand the key aspects of rivers.

**In Art, children will learn:**

* About a range of approaches to drawing and a range of media.
* What ‘perspective’ means and talk about some artists who use it.
* How artists show the direction of light in their art.

**In Science, children will learn about:**

* How unsupported objects fall towards the Earth because of the force of gravity.
* The effects of air resistance, water resistance and friction.
* Mechanisms including levers, pulleys and gears.

**In PSHE, children will learn to:**

* Manage risks with medicines, legal and illegal drugs.
* Analyse different influencers and how to assertively respond to them.
* How to access reliable and accurate information about Alcohol and Tobacco.

W/B 14/11/22 is Parliament Week; we will learn about the House of Lords which links to our learning about the British Values of ‘Democracy’ and ‘Rule of Law’.

**In RE, children will learn about:**

* Why some people choose to celebrate Diwali and the story of Rama and Sita.
* A range of symbols that represent peace.
* What a peaceful place might look like

**In Computing, children will learn about:**

* Understand computer networks
* become familiar with blogs as a medium and a genre of writing

**In French, children will learn about:**

* Words and phrases linked to the topics of my family and people.

**Our Key Text this term is: Kensuke’s Kingdom**

**In Reading, children will learn how to:**

* Retrieve, record and present information from non-fiction
* Summarise the main ideas drawn from more than 1 paragraph, identifying key details that support the main ideas.

**In Writing, children will learn how to:**

* Continue to distinguish between homophones and other words which are often confused.
* Using a wide range of devices to build cohesion within and across paragraphs.
* Ensuring correct subject and verb agreement when using singular and plural.

**In Maths, children will learn how to:**

* Identify factors and multiples of given numbers and when they are common
* Recognise prime numbers up to 100
* Identify squared and cubed numbers
* Find the answer by using the correct order of operations
* Simplify fractions
* Order and compare fractions
* Add and subtract fractions
* Multiply a fraction by a whole number
* Divide a fraction by a whole number
* Calculate fractions of amounts
* Plotting coordinates
* Solve problems involving all of the

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**Physical Development Days:** Pupils IN school

**INDOOR and OUTDOOR PE:** Wednesday PM (Swimming for identified children)

Please send your child into school in their required kit on the above days. Please ensure your child is sent in clothing suitable for the **whole** school day (dark blue or black bottoms and jumper). They shall be outside for playtimes and lunchtime as normal. Strictly no football kits or crop tops.

**For safety reasons NO earrings can be worn during PE lessons. If your child wears earrings they will need to be able to remove them independently before the lesson. If they cannot remove them, we ask that they do not wear earrings on PE days so that they can participate fully in the lesson.**

**Curriculum and Learning Map**

**Year 6 – Autumn 2**

“Kensuke’s Kingdom”

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**Other information:**

Please encourage your child to complete their homework each week.

**SPELLINGS**:

Your child will bring home a weekly spelling list every **Monday** to learn, in preparation for a test on the following Monday.

**MATHS or ENGLISH:**

Homework will be accessible on Maths.co.uk or SeeSaw every **Monday** and should be completed by the following Monday.

**READING:**

Please remember to read books with your child every week and write in your child’s reading record. Records will be checked and books changed every Monday in Kestrels and Kites, and every Thursday in Buzzards.

**ONLINE LEARNING**

[play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/student/29225](https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/student/29225)

[www.oxfordowl.co.uk/login?active-tab=students](https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/login?active-tab=students)

username: tgyear5+6 Password: reading