



Your child in Year 6F Summer Term 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Outlined below are some details of the curriculum that your child will be following during the Summer term. This is a very important term as the children will prepare for their SATs and secondary transfers. Please discuss with your child the importance of finishing all class work and homework on time and to their highest standard.

English

Year 6 pupils will continue to revise a variety of genres and writing styles such as descriptive writing, Newspaper reports and balanced arguments.

We will revise punctuation and grammatical rules and continue with weekly spelling tests.

Your child will continue to develop their reading skills during guided reading sessions, where we will focus upon inference, deduction and comprehension skills. It is very important for them to read each night across a range of genres and of course record their reading in their reading records.

Maths

Your child will cover a variety of topics including problem solving, shape and space topics, ratio and proportion, fractions, decimals and percentages. Pupils will be encouraged to develop their mental maths through timed activities. We will also begin transitional work to prepare them for KS3.

Science

Evolution and Inheritance- Children will learn about evolution, adaptation and fossils

Religious Education

Witnesses - Children will learn about the importance of having courage in the society in which we live today and the importance of having courage to speak up when we see something happening that shouldn't be happening.

Healing - Children will learn about the importance of helping those who are ill and possibly even terminally ill to make their lives as comfortable as possible. Children will learn about the power of the Anointing of the Sick.

Common Good - During this topic, the children will be combining the previous topics that they have been learning about all year to embed the idea that we work together in unity for the good of all people.

Geography

We will be studying the human and physical geography of South America.

History

We will be learning about the Maya civilisation.

Computing

Bloggng

Communicate and collaborate online using a class blog; demonstrating respectful and safe behaviours

Spreadsheets

Collect, analyse and evaluate and draw conclusions from data, such as through survey, database or spreadsheet

PSHE-

We will be following the Ten Ten programme and topics this term include:

Module 3: Created to live in community

Unit 1: Religious understanding

Unit 2: Living in the wider world

During this term the children will also attend a relationships conference. More details of this event will follow shortly.

Music - For the first half term, the children will focus on Pop Music: Arrangements and Chords. In the second half term, the children's topic will be, Creating music for Film and TV: Character, Atmosphere and Environment.

Spanish -

This term the children will learn about the painter Sorolla. They will learn to describe paintings, give reasons for their likes and dislikes, express their feelings and write a poem in Spanish. They will continue to develop reading and writing skills, producing more complex sentences and texts. They will present information to each other in Spanish with increasing confidence. They will acquire language learning skills, learn to give opinions and explore aspects of grammar such as prepositions, quantifiers, phonics, verb tenses and conjunctions.

Physical Education- PE will be on Monday: 1st half term will be athletics and 2nd half term will be creativity (using different types of equipment to create their own game- including rules and points). Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit - white (plain or St Charles) t-shirt and navy shorts - for every lesson.

Homework

As a reminder, homework will generally be as follows:

Monday	Spellings (to be handed in and tested on Friday)
Tuesday	Maths (to be handed in by Thursday)
Friday	English and or any Topic work (to complete over the weekend)

In addition to the above, children will be asked to complete any unfinished work at home. If you have any questions about any of the work your child is being asked to complete, please feel free to come and see me.

Reading remains a vital aspect of your child's education. It becomes very evident in children's writing when they read regularly and across a range of genres. Thus, to best to support your child, please ensure they read at least five times a week - your child's reading record should be signed by an adult on at least two occasions every week. Children can read from a variety of texts but they should include a novel or longer book.

If you have any queries or concerns, you can reach me using the class email (6f@st-charles.rbkc.sch.uk) and I will endeavour to reply (during school hours) as soon as possible. If you have an urgent concern, please phone the school directly on 020-8969-5566. Please note that the class email is not for informing the school of absence; the main office must be contacted in that instance.

Thank you for your support.
With best wishes,

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