

What's happening during Summer 1 in Year 6?

English

Our class text this term is **Wonder**

Writing

The children will be carrying on with their formal letter of complaint and moving on to a diary entry about their day at Drayton Manor.

Reading

We will be using our class text to explore and improve our key reading skills. The children will be making predictions about the text, exploring new vocabulary, making inferences, understanding the authors choice and working on our reading fluency.

Please encourage your child to read at home and record in their reading diary.

We will be increasing our practice of unseen texts in preparation for SATs in May.

Spelling

Children will be given spelling each week as part of their homework and will be tested on them each week.

The Wider Curriculum

Art- Impressionism and Post-Impressionism

Artists: Monet, Degas, Renoir, Cassatt, Cezanne, Van Gogh, Gauguin
PAINTING, DRAWING, COLLAGE

Geography- South America

An introduction to South America

Past civilisations and empires The Andes Mountains and the Atacama Desert

Brazil (Agriculture and Industry)

The Amazon Rainforest

Science- Evolution and Inheritance

How offspring vary, animal adaptations, plant adaptations, what we can learn from fossils, theory of evolution and natural selection, human evolution

P.E.- Tuesday afternoon

Tennis

Please send children in the correct kit for PE and any after school clubs which involve physical activity.

Children must wear appropriate footwear for PE please ensure they are wearing sports trainers and no slip-on shoes or high tops

Maths

Statistics

Step 1 Line graphs

Step 2 Dual bar charts

Step 3 Read and interpret pie charts

Step 4 Pie charts with percentages

Step 5 Draw pie charts

Step 6 The mean

Shape

Step 1 Measure and classify angles

Step 2 Calculate angles

Step 3 Vertically opposite angles

Step 4 Angles in a triangle

Step 5 Angles in a triangle - special cases

Step 6 Angles in a triangle - missing angles

Step 7 Angles in quadrilaterals

Step 8 Angles in polygons

Step 9 Circles

Step 10 Draw shapes accurately

RE- Islam

How is the Qu'ran vital to Muslims today?

RSHE/PSHE

Health and Wellbeing

Safety First

Computing

Programming B

Sensing Movement