

Dear Year 6, Parents & Carers,

Here is our overview for this half term. We will be doing lots of revision and preparation for SATs so any extra work you can do at home will really help your learning.

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GREENFIELDS
COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



Upper Key Stage 2 ~ Spring II
CURRICULUM OVERVIEW



As READERS we will:

- Continue to read our class novel Northern Lights
- Retrieve information from texts
- Summarise and identify key points from pieces of text
- Make inferences and justify my ideas with evidence from the text
- Explain the meaning of words in context
- Explain how authors use language and the impact on the reader

As WRITERS we will:

- Write in role describing events, thoughts and feelings
- Develop ability to write from different viewpoints in one piece of writing
- Understand the need for appropriate formal and informal tones in writing and begin to use these both in one piece of writing

As MATHEMATICIANS we will:

- Revise the maths curriculum and cover:
- Place value of larger numbers and decimals
- Calculate mentally using the strategies I know
- Use formal methods to solve multi step problems
- Calculate using fractions, percentages and decimals
- Use algebra and solve problems eg perimeter, volume and area
- Find missing angles
- Calculate with measures

As SCIENTISTS we will:

- Understand that light appears to travel in straight lines.
- Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye.
- Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them
- Create shadow puppets
- Understand how our eyes work, what we need our eyes for and how we sometimes take things for granted

As CIVILIANS we will:

- Express and discuss our opinions and listen to others
- Understand what stereotypes are and how stereotypical views affect us
- Take part in the #ExpectRespect games
- Demonstrate respect and tolerance towards people with beliefs, customs and cultures other than their own

As ARTISTS we will:

- Use water colour painting to create a landscape or still life painting which shows light and shadow
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As LINGUISTS we will:

- Listen attentively and show understanding by joining in and responding
- Spend some time with Manon, our language assistant, developing our fluency and pronunciation
- Engage in conversations; ask and answer questions; seek clarification and help, express opinions and respond to those of others

As COMPUTER TECHNICIANS we will:

- Show that they can use technology safely, respectfully and responsibly (including knowing a range of ways to report concerns and inappropriate behaviour)
- Use search technologies effectively, appreciate how results are selected and ranked, and be discerning in evaluating digital content