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YEAR 6



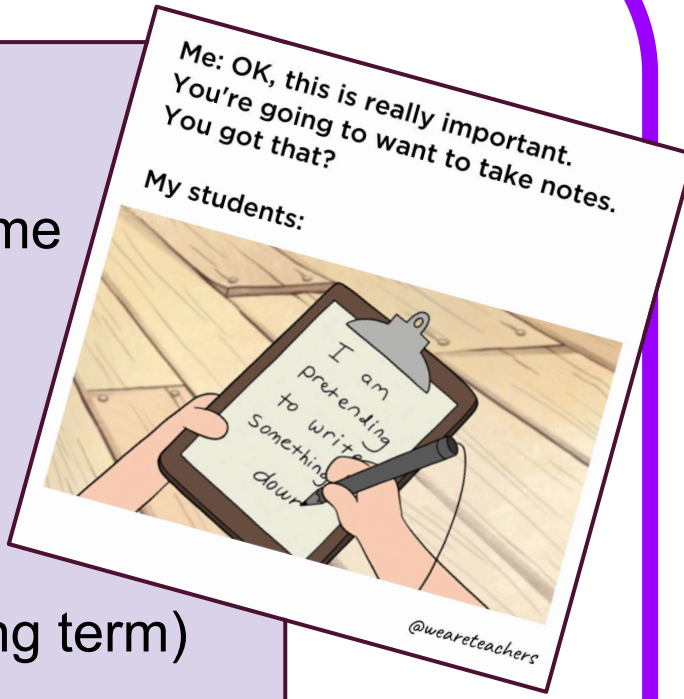
Our wonderful team are here to support your children through Year 6 and as they transition to secondary school.

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Today's meeting…

- ★ What Year 6 need at school and at home
- ★ A day in Year 6
- ★ Year 6 Curriculum
- ★ Leadership opportunities
- ★ Homework
- ★ How parents can help
- ★ SATs (parent meeting to follow in Spring term)
- ★ RSE (links to view content & videos)
- ★ Key dates
- ★ Teacher contact details



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What Year 6 need in school

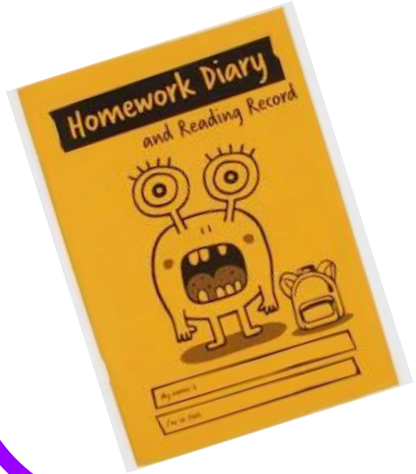
Help from their parents to make sure they have…

- ★ Correct named school uniform
- ★ Reading record and challenging reading book
- ★ Pencil case: blue handwriting pens, pencils, ruler, rubber, sharpener, coloured pencils, highlighters, coloured pens and glue stick
- ★ Water bottle

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What Year 6 need at home

Help from their parents to make sure they have…

- ★ Correct school uniform
- ★ Everything ready and packed in their school bag
- ★ Check Google Classroom **every day**
- ★ Support where needed with homework
- ★ Someone to read out loud to who takes interest in what they are reading
- ★ A signed reading record each week
- ★ A positive attitude towards school
- ★ Encouragement to be independent

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A day in Year 6

- ★ 8:45 early morning work out ready for when the children arrive
- ★ Guided Reading
- ★ English
- ★ Assembly
- ★ Break
- ★ Arithmetic
- ★ Maths
- ★ Lunch
- ★ SPaG
- ★ Foundation Subject 1
- ★ Foundation Subject 2
- ★ Class Story

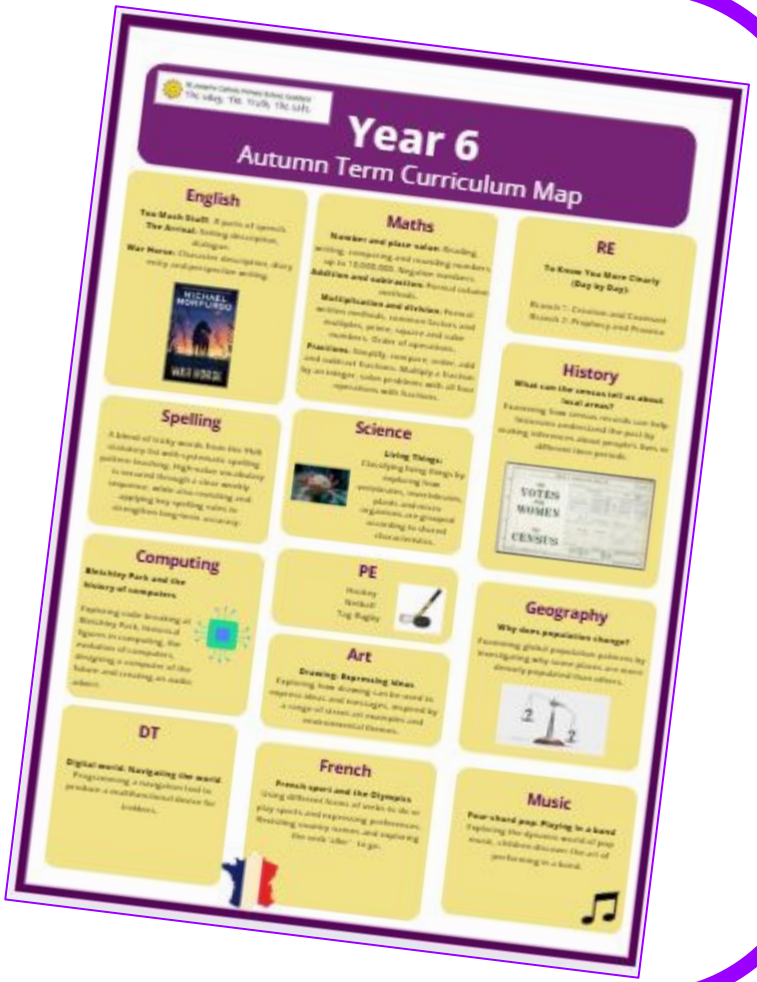


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Year 6 Curriculum

- English: 2 week cycle & text based
- Twice weekly handwriting & daily SPaG
- Power Maths & daily arithmetic
- RE: To know you more clearly
- Kapow
- Teachers teach across the Year group
- Link to Curriculum Overview



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Leadership Opportunities

















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Homework

- ★ Homework is set every Friday and is posted on Google Classroom (spag.com, maths.co.uk, TTRS.com)
- ★ Learning opportunity, support & build confidence
- ★ Reading- read out loud at least 4 times a week- build fluency, reading stamina and pace
- ★ Reading records should be signed every Friday and checked by class teacher



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How can parents help?

- ★ Make sure your child knows their times tables
- ★ Support with homework
- ★ Hear them read at least 4 x a week- a **challenging** book, ask them questions and check their understanding Year 6 Reading List
- ★ CGP revision books
- ★ Check Google classroom everyday (optional challenges)

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End of Key Stage Two Assessments (SATS)

Week commencing: 10th May

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
SPaG (45 mins) Spelling (15 mins)	Reading Comprehension (1 hour)	Maths 1- Arithmetic (30 mins) Maths 2- Reasoning (40 mins)	Maths 3- Reasoning (40 mins)

Writing is teacher assessed, using a bank of evidence from throughout the year.

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- ★ Children need to know about what's going to happen to their bodies, before it does.
- ★ Children need to know about their bodies in order to safeguard themselves.
- ★ Children need to know enough about RSE in order to make safe, positive decisions as they grow up.
- ★ And, as a Catholic school, children need to develop a deeper appreciation of the gift of our bodies and the miracle of new life, as seen through the lens of family life.

Upper Key Stage 2	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity	Unit Prayer & Assessment Activity
	Story Sessions Calming the Storm	**Session 1** Gifts and Talents	**Session 1** Body Image	**Session 1** Making Babies (Part 1)	**Session 1** God Is Calling You	**Session 1** Under Pressure	**Session 1** Sharing Isn't Always Caring	**Session 1** Types of Abuse Classroom Shorts	**Session 1** The Holy Trinity	**Session 1** Reaching Out
		Session 2 Girls' Bodies	**Session 2** Peculiar Feelings	**Session 2** Making Babies (Part 2)		**Session 2** Do You Want A Piece of Cake?	**Session 2** Cyberbullying Classroom Shorts	**Session 2** Impacted Lifestyles Classroom Shorts	**Session 2** Catholic Social Teaching	**Session 2** The World of Work Classroom Shorts
		Session 3 Boys' Bodies	**Session 3** Emotional Changes	**Session 3** Menstruation		**Session 3** Self-Talk		**Session 3** Making Good Choices		**Session 3** Money and Me Classroom Shorts
		Session 4 Spots and Sleep	**Session 4** Seeing Stuff Online	**Session 4** Hope Beyond Death		**Session 4** Build Others Up Classroom Shorts		**Session 4** Giving Assistance		
				Session 5 Coping with Change						

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Access to the parent portal to view resources:

Website address: www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal

User name: parents-st-josephs-catholic-primary-school

Password: StJoseph2025

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Secondary School Application Deadline
31st October

Key dates:

- ★ Class assemblies 10:10am: 6A 18th September, 6P 9th October, 6G 16th October
- ★ Residential: 28th-1st October
- ★ Parents' Evening: Thursday 15th (5-8pm) and Tuesday 21st October (4-7pm)
- ★ End of Key Stage Two Assessments (SATS) week: 10th May
- ★ Production: 8th July 7pm
- ★ Leavers' Mass: Friday 16th July 9:30am



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Please let us know if you are concerned about any aspect of your child's school life or learning.

Thank you for your support.

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