



Year 6 Autumn Term 2025

English

This term, we will be reading 'Kensuke's Kingdom' by Michael Morpurgo. In our writing lessons, we will be focusing on how to write to entertain the reader by writing a continuation of the fairy tale 'Hansel and Gretel' and then a narrative linked to our reading of 'Kensuke's Kingdom'.

Maths

In maths, we will be looking at place value in order to read, write, order and compare numbers to 10 million. We will also be recapping our learning on rounding. We will then move onto reviewing the four main operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, including multistep word problems.

Relationships and Health Education

In RHE, we will be focusing on the topic of respecting ourselves and others. We will be thinking about expressing opinions and respecting other points of view. Following this we will discuss healthy and unhealthy relationships with a focus on friendship.

Religion and Worldviews

We will be exploring the topic 'Why do Hindus want to be good?' We will look at the Hindu belief in the cycle of Samsara and the implications of karma on the way they live.

Geography

Our key question this term is 'Why do people migrate?' We will be comparing contrasting settlements and using atlases to locate countries and key topographical features with a focus of North America.

History

In History, we will be looking at the Victorian Era regarding its links to Torquay and the lives of our ancestors.

PE

In PE, this half term we will be learning key skills in basketball. Each week will build on skills including passing, dribbling, shooting, attacking and defending. We will also be taking part in martial art lessons.

Science

This half term, we will be focusing on electricity and looking at how circuits are created, experimenting to test our own predictions. We will be moving onto looking at light and understanding how light travels.

Art

This half term, we will be focusing on the artist Simon Drew and using different sketching techniques such as shading and hatching and then creating our own pieces inspired by Drew.

Modern Foreign Languages (MFL)

In Spanish, we are learning the topic of "The fruit" focusing on the vocabulary of 10 fruits, singular/plural of the fruit nouns as well as the structure of "Me gustan and No me gustan" (I like and I don't like). At the end of the term, children are going to do a practical activity which will be fruit food tasting where they will discuss the different fruits they have worked this term.

Music

This term will be based on the pop song 'Happy' by Pharrell Williams and we will be playing recorders to accompany it. Alongside this, we will be starting to develop our knowledge of written music, introducing notation, keys and time signatures.

Computing

As users of technology, we will be learning how data is transferred over the internet.