

# Curriculum Overview – Year 6 - Term 1

## Computing

We will be developing strategies for testing and debugging computer programs using conditional statements.

## History

We begin our WWII topic researching when and why it began, the devastation caused by the blitz. Remember to get your costume ready for our evacuation day!

## R. E.

What matters most to Christians – through discussion we explore our own 'code for living' developing onto the origins and beliefs of humanists.

## English

This term we will be reading 'There's a boy in the girls' bathroom' by Louis Sachar.

We will learn about Bradley's struggle to face his fears and try to change his behaviour and bad reputation. We will be having debates and discussions about the main characters. We will be writing discussion texts, diary entries, and formal and informal letters.

## Art

We will be learning to make detailed observational drawings and respond to portraits from range of different artists



## Science

Our topic – all living things – looks at how living things are classified into broad groups. We explore the need for classification keys and we even try using these on our nature walk. Can you name the different trees and can you identify the type of fungi?

## Music

We will be using Music to think about emotions! We will be listening and creating our own songs to reflect happiness.

## French

Through our daily life at school, we will learn to tell the time, the structure of the day and the subjects we learn.

## P.S.H.E.

I can learn to make a long term plan, break it into achievable goals. I can recognise how to overcome obstacles that I may face along the way.

## P. E.

We will explore the lateral passing skills used in rugby, learn to break through a defence and then use scoring techniques in small sided games

## Maths

We will begin by consolidating our methods of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division including those with decimal numbers. Using this knowledge we will begin to solve problems involving percentages and fractions.

## Home Learning

Your child should read their AR reading book every evening and take quizzes in school to work towards their target. Sign up to 'Home connect' to receive emails telling you how well your child did in their quizzes. Homework will also be sent home and your child should complete a Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner before the end of term.