

Year 6

CURRICULUM HEADLINES

Dates for your Diary!

(Further information to follow)

- 28th April - Year 6 Residential Parent Information Meeting
5pm
- 4th May - Bank Holiday (school closed)
- 11th - 14th May - Year 6 SATs week
- 15th May - Year 6 treat day
- W/C 18th May - Sports Week
- 22nd May - Break up for half term
- 1st June - Back to school
- 5th June - Year 6 swimming starts (Fridays)
- 19th June - FOBs Summer Fair
- 7th July - Year 6 Make £5 Grow Enterprise Event
- 13th & 14th July - Year 6 Production
- 16th July - Year 6 Leavers Party 5-7pm
- 17th July - Year 6 Leavers Assembly
Break up for summer

Social Media feeds



Join our private Facebook group to see what your children have been up to in school - "Inside Bugbrooke Community Primary School."

Summer Overview

This term we will be carrying out our KS2 SATs before continuing with our curriculum

- Science - Animals - Circulation & health, Living things - evolution and inheritance
- French - Visiting a town in Franch
- Computing - Creating media, Programming
- RE - Should we be able to use the natural world as we wish? What does it mean to be a Christian?
- PSHE - Relationships, Changing me
- Art - Sculpture
- DT - Steady hand games
- History - WW2
- Geography - What is it like to live in the Netherlands?
- PE - Outdoor (Athletics & OAA), Indoor (Dance, Swimming)



English

There will be more of a focus on writing this term as we look to show evidence of KS2 writing skills across a range of pieces. We will be looking back at previous work, focusing on editing to improve our writing.

Our writing curriculum follows 6 main core principles including: encouraging the love of writing, developing writing skills, broadening vocabulary, writing for different purposes, supporting individual needs and ensuring high quality writing lessons.

We have the following units this term:
Balanced argument (Should homework be banned?), Retell (Goodnight Mister Tom), Setting description (Alma), Persuasive writing and Playscripts

Handwriting - Kinetic Letters
Spelling - Focus is on Year 5/6 Spelling Words and rules



Goodnight Mister Tom

PE Days

Albus Dumbledore's PE days are:

Indoor: Mondays
Outdoor: Thursdays

Things do change weekly and so we advise children having their PE kit in school at all times. We will send it home each half term for a freshen up!



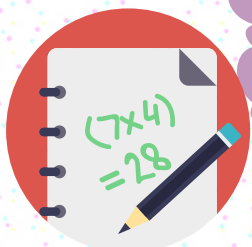
MATHS

This term will begin by completing our maths curriculum with a focus on measures and data handling.

There will then be a focus on revision of key skills and development of reasoning and problem solving to prepare them for the KS2 SATs and secondary school.

To ensure progression of skills and mastery of understanding, we follow the stages of fluency, reasoning and problem solving. Children are encouraged to expand on their answers and show understanding of how they got there.

Your child's ability to quickly recall the multiplication facts up to 12×12 has a significant impact on their ability to master other concepts. Please support your child's multiplication practice at home.



Reading

All children are exposed to a wide range of texts across our school curriculum as part of our promotion of reading and writing

Within class children have daily Taught Reading sessions which focus on either a whole text or text extracts, allowing children to practice the various skills of reading and comprehension. Taught Reading sessions are focused on vocabulary, inference, comprehension, retrieval, summary and prediction.

This term the children will be focusing on their stamina for reading, preparing them for reading 3 texts at speed in the KS2 SATs. They will be practising different style comprehension questions.



Reading Activities

Log Reading on Boom Read. 5x a week is progress towards our 40 Reads challenge



HOMEWORK AND HOME LEARNING

All homework is given based upon careful consideration of its purpose to our curriculum and your child's progress. With this in mind, the following homework is expected in order to compliment the learning your child does in school.

- Weekly Maths and English - Children will be set pages from the CGP book or an alternative each week. This homework is due in on a Monday
- Daily Reading - 10 to 15 minutes ideally aloud to an adult, this should be recorded on Boom Reader
- Daily recall of Multiplication and Division facts - Target set by class teacher to be completed each week

Children will be rewarded with house points for reading and the completion of their times table practice.