

English

We will study characterisation through writing a 'defeating the monster' narrative using the short animated film, *Rock, Paper, Scissors*.

We will write from three different viewpoints, reviewing setting, atmosphere and dialogue.

In shared reading, we will be reading and studying *Skellig* by David Almond.

Maths

We will consolidate our maths learning through reviewing key knowledge and carrying out mathematical investigations.

We will follow 'Ready to Progress' statements to ensure pupils have the base knowledge required for Year 7.

Music

We will be learning about the development of 90s R'n'B and the impact it has had on the music industry to date.

We will use *Say My Name* by Destiny's Child as a stimulus for writing our own R'n'B songs.

Science

In Science, we will learn about the function of the eye and how we see. We will also learn about reflection, refraction and how the visible light spectrum was discovered.

RSHE

We will be thinking about body image and how our emotions may change as we get older.

Computing

We will be learning about internet communications and how web pages and search engines work.

DT

We will be learning about computer aided design (CAD) and using IT to design a shopping bag.



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Year 6 Learning
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RE

Our topic 'Witnesses' focusses on the way we bear witness to Jesus's love through our actions. Our 'Healing' topic looks at the Sacrament of Anointing the Sick as well as the pilgrimage to Lourdes.

English

We will study *The Tempest* by William Shakespeare and write a newsflash, a character description and a setting description. We will also write a formal letter to the PTA requesting an end-of-year disco.

In poetry, we will study *A Portable Paradise* by Roger Robinson and *Refugees* by Bill Bilston.

Maths

We will continue to consolidate our learning in maths, ensuring we are 'ready to progress' up to the Year 7 maths curriculum.

Geography

We will learn about what a settlement is and design our own self-sustaining settlements containing natural resources and a sustainable energy supply.

Science

In Evolution and Inheritance, we will learn about the features of ourselves that are part of our genetic makeup. We will also learn about Charles Darwin and his four criteria for natural selection.

DT

This term, we will review our learning from our electricity unit and design, make and evaluate a game with a buzzer.

Computing

This term, we will have an introduction to spreadsheets and use them to plan a party.

RSHE

This term, we will learn about menstruation and how a baby is formed in the womb.



Year 6 Learning Pentecost 2

RE

In our Islam unit, we will learn about the Five Pillars of Islam as well as how Muslims care for creation. In 'Common Good' we learn about justice for the good of all and the work Christians do to achieve this.