



# Year Six - Spring Curriculum overview



## Topic overview

This term we will be delving into 'Macbeth' and learning about this tragic narrative. Our second topic is also driven by a literary text, Holes: the story of a boy accused of a crime he didn't commit!

## Core subjects

**Maths** – Place value; four operations; fractions, decimals and percentages; measurement; statistics; geometry.

**English** – Macbeth: newspaper report, diary entry and narrative. Holes: informal letter, information leaflet and narrative

**Science** – Evolution and Inheritance

## Foundation subjects

**Computing** – E-safety, Scratch, publishing

**Geography** – Brazilian rainforest with a link to Fairtrade and sustainable palm oil production.

**RE** – Hindu Festivals; The Empty Cross

**PSHE** – Managing Conflict; The World of Work

**French** – Themselves; Home

**PE** – Gymnastics; Football; Fitness; Tag Rugby

**Art** – Design a mask for a character from Macbeth

## Important information

**Class teachers** – Mrs Wright and Miss Howells

**Year group LSAs** – Mrs Gamble, Mrs Cocker and Mrs Simojoki.

**PE days** – Wednesday and Fridays but please ensure children have their PE kits in school every day. Please note that in the interest of safety, children should either **remove or tape** ear studs during PE and games lessons as this is County and school policy.

**Reading records** – 15 minutes daily reading at home is recommended. Parents are asked to sign the reading record once a week (checked on Tuesdays). However, children should have their reading book and record in school every day. They are able to exchange books during library time on Tuesdays.

**Homework due – Tuesdays.** If your child has a problem with the homework, they should talk to their teacher about it before Friday or bring it along to Homework Club. New Maths and English homework will be set on a Thursday. Sometimes homework will need to be completed online. If you do not have internet access at home then children may complete this in school on a Friday lunchtime at Homework Club, which is held in 6KW.

**SATS information meetings** – **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> January** at 9.00 am in the hall or **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January** at 6.00pm in 6KW

**Parent topic event afternoon** – **Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2.30pm**

*Curiosity, Creativity, Independence, Aspiration, Respect, Resilience and Collaboration*