Year 6 Curriculum Information Evening



One body, every person, growing together.

Introduction to the team...

6D 6T **6**S Mrs Thornhill Ms Richardson Mrs Dwyer Mrs Keen Mrs Tritton Mrs Tustin Deputy Head Team Leader PPA Teacher Weds - Fri Mon - Thurs Weds Mon & Tues Friday



The St Paul's Curriculum

Our curriculum philosophy....

LO: To deliver a rich and engaging curriculum where knowledge is well-specified, well-sequenced and taught to be remembered.



Prior Learning

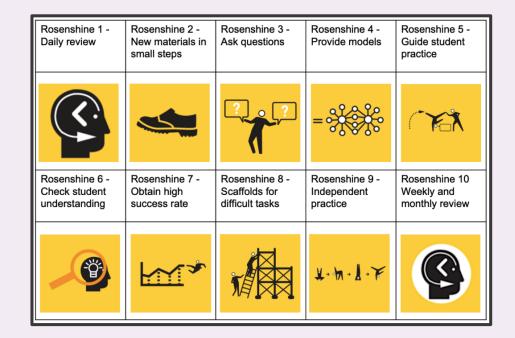


We have spent considerable time developing our curriculum over the past year.

- White Rose Maths scheme
- · Learning Journeys approach in English
- RWI Spelling Scheme
- Discovery RE and PSRHE
- Master Reader for Guided Reading
- Primary Knowledge Curriculum (PKC) for Science.
 Geography, History, Art & DT



As a school, we align our curriculum vision with Rosenshine's Principles of Instruction and have adopted a 'knowledge rich' or 'progression' curriculum. Our curriculum content is carefully chosen and sequenced in meaningful ways that enable children to make progress from unit to unit, term to term and year to year.





Teach

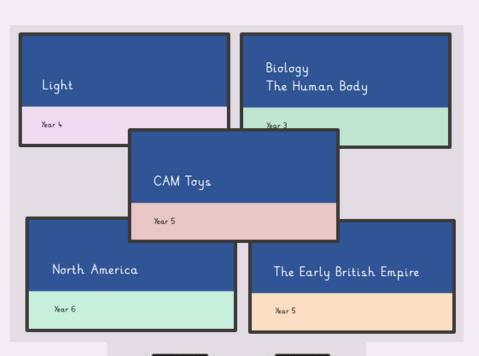
Each subject is valued and taught discreetly enabling children to develop a deep understanding and love of each discipline. Appropriate links between different subject areas enable children to make meaningful connections and careful sequencing ensures that children learn knowledge which underpins content they will be exposed to later on.

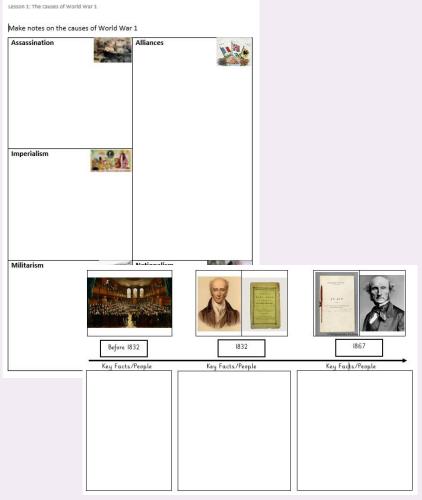


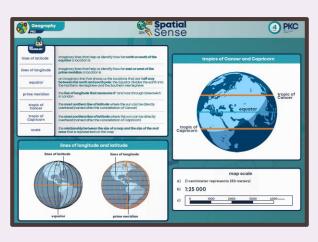


Lesson structure and resources













SHOW-ME BOARDS











Independent Task

L.O: To know that the world is divided into 24 hourly time zones. Why is it necessary to have time zones? Use a labelled map to support your answer.

Key vocabulary:

Rotate Prime Meridian

Axis Greenwich Mean Time

Time Zone British Summer Time

Step for depth:

The United Nations are going to debate this statement: 'The world must all be using the same time to allow for better communication.'

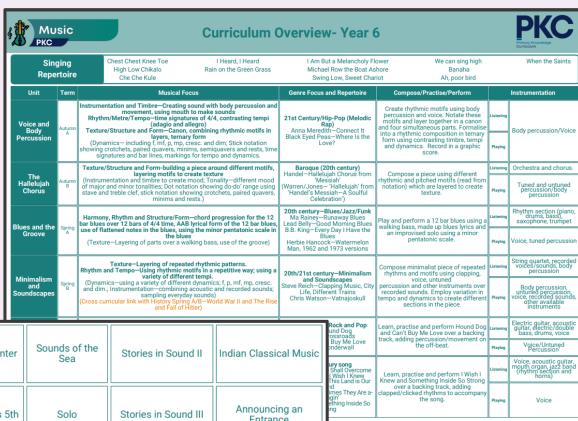
What are the advantages and disadvantages of this?



New additions to our curriculum for 2024



Music



| Year 3 | Off-Beat | Pachelbel's Canon | Vivaldi's Winter | Sounds of the Sea | Stories in Sound II | Indian Classical Music |
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| Year 4 | Working Songs | Take the 'A' Train | Beethoven's 5th | Solo | Stories in Sound III | Announcing an Entrance |
| Year 5 | The Lark Ascending | This Little Babe | Jin-Go-La-Ba | Beethoven's Eroica | African American Spirituals | English Folk Songs |
| Year 6 | Voice and Body Percussion | The Hallelujah Chorus | Blues and the Groove | Minimalism and Soundscapes | Rock, Pop and the Influence of the Blues | Protest Songs |

From this September, all of our pupils will study Latin.

Latin is the next logical step after phonics. 50% of all English words derive from Latin along with 80-90% of polysyllabic words.



Research findings suggest that there is a strong positive correlation between the learning of Latin and the development of literacy skills at KS2.

Latin is the best preparation for learning any language. To study Latin is to study six languages at once: French, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese and Romanian (The five Romanian languages) which derived and evolved from Latin. About 90% of the vocabulary of these languages comes from Latin.

Latin also provides the root words of all of the modern sciences and is the language of the law, government, logic and theology.



So what does learning look like in Year 6?

| | | Autumn A | Autumn B | Spring A | Spring B | Summer A | Summer B |
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| Year 6 | Art | Art in the Italian Renaissance | Renaissance Architecture and Sculpture | Victorian Art and Architecture | William Morris | Impressionism and Post- Impressionism | Art in the 20 th Century: Modernism |
| | Computing | Computing Systems and Networks | Creating Media – Web Page Creation | Programming A – Variables in Games | Data and Information – Introduction to Spreadsheets | Creating Media – 3D Modelling | Programming B – Sensing Movement |
| | DT | Build – water wall | | Cook – mezze / Build – Electrical Toys | | Sew – upcycling fashion | |
| | English | Storm Breaker Action scene Auto biographies Persuasive advert | Cogheart Newspaper article Suspense/mystery stories 3rd person narrative | The Snow Merchant Formal letter Diary | Wild Boy Setting Description Balanced argument 1st person narrative | The Highwayman Voiceover Non-Chronological Report Informal letter | Replay/Whitby Abbey 3rd person Narrative Persuasive Letter or Speech Alternative endings Monologue: Link |
| | Latin | Grammar, Vocabulary and Cultural Skills Unit 1 | Grammar, Vocabulary and Cultural Skills Unit1/2 | Grammar, Vocabulary and Cultural Skills Unit 2 | Grammar, Vocabulary and Cultural Skills Unit 2/3 | Grammar, Vocabulary and Cultural Skills Unit 3/4 | Grammar, Vocabulary and Cultural Skills Unit 4 |
| | Geography | Spatial Sense | British Geographical Issues | North American Geography | South American Geography | Africa | Globalisation |
| | History | World War I | The Suffragettes | The Rise of Hitler and World War II | World War II and the Holocaust | The Cold War | Ancient Greece |
| | Maths | Place Value Addition and Subtraction Multiplication and Division | Fractions Converting Units | Ratio Algebra Decimals | Fractions, decimals and percentages Area, Perimeter and Volume Statistics | Shape and Geometry | Themed Problem Solving |
| | Music | Voice and Body Percussion | The Hallelujah Chorus | Blues and the Groove | Minimalism and Soundscapes | Rock, Pop and the Influence of the Blues | Protest Songs |
| | PSRHE | Being Me in My World | Celebrating Difference | Dreams and Goals | Healthy Me | Relationships | Changing Me |
| | PE | Swimming Games | Indoor Athletics Games | Gymnastics Games | Dance Games | Swimming Games | Swimming Games |
| | RE | Islam – how Muslims show their commitment to God | Christianity—the significance of Mary | Christianity Is anything ever eternal? | Christianity Is it still a strong religion over 2000 years after Jesus was on Earth? | Islam How is the Qur'an vital to Muslims today? | Islam Does belief in Akkirah help Muslims lead a good life? |
| | Science | The Human Body | Classification of Living Things | Electricity | Light | Reproduction | Evolution |

- The majority of our writing is linked to the texts we read in Guided Reading or our topics in other subjects.
- This term, we are writing persuasive adverts for a spy gadget and action scenes linked to our text Stormbreaker as well as writing mystery stories.
- · Punctuation and grammar is taught and modelled in writing lessons.



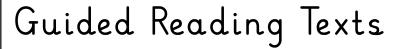
Reading

- Each term children take a Star Reader assessment which gives each child a ZPD score (this is the recommendation of book levels that this child should read to provide optimal challenge without frustration.)
- Children are encouraged to choose a reading book within this range from their class library.
- Accelerated Reader Quizzes children take a quiz about the book within 48hrs of finishing a book to earn points.





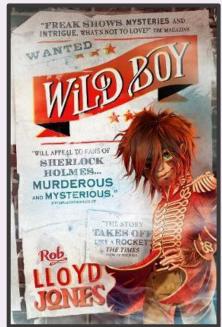


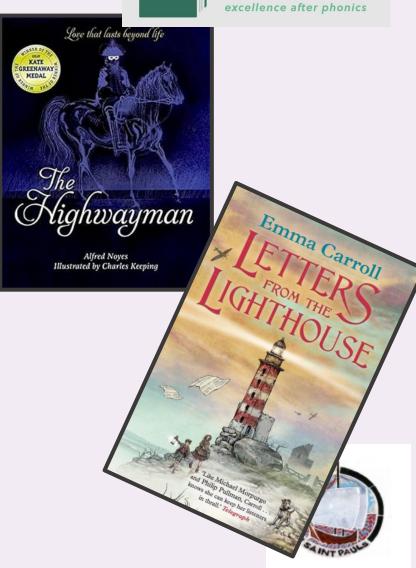






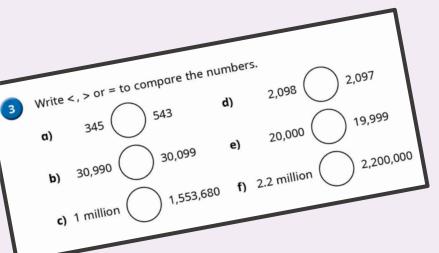




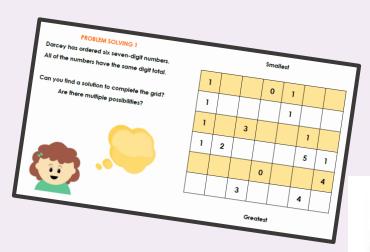


We follow the White Rose maths scheme with further challenge provided from Planpanion. Each lesson provides the opportunity for children to develop their fluency, reasoning and problem solving skills.

Homework is set via mymaths and linked to what has been learnt in class.











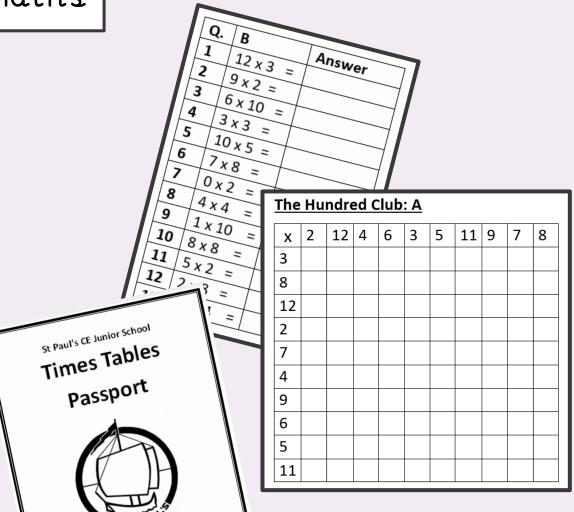
Maths

Times Table Passport weekly

Blue passport: 2, 10, 5, 3, 4, 8

Green passport: 6, 7, 9, 11, 12

Yellow passport: The Hundred Club









'One body, Every person, Growing together.'

Islam how
Muslims
show their
commitmen
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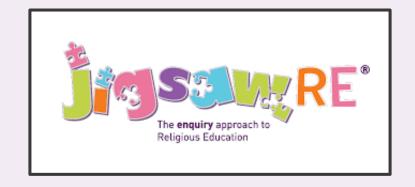
Christianity
-the
significance
of Mary

Christianity
Is anything
ever eternal?

Christianity
Is it still a
strong
religion over
2000 years
after Jesus
was on
Earth?

Islam
How is the
Qur'an
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Islam
Does belief
in Akkirah
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lead a good
life?







Science

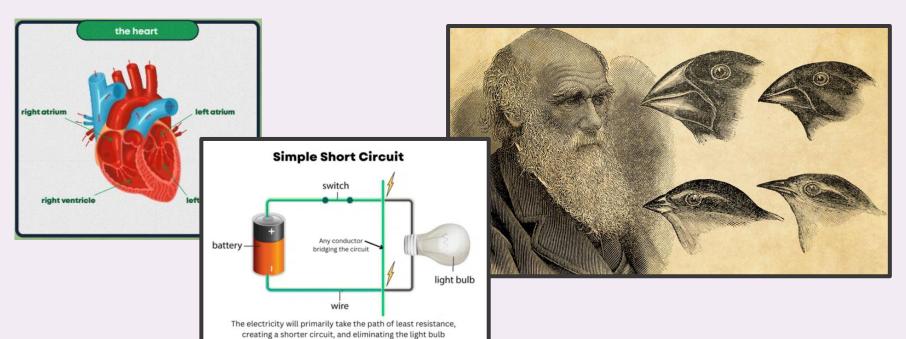
The Human Body Classification of Living
Things

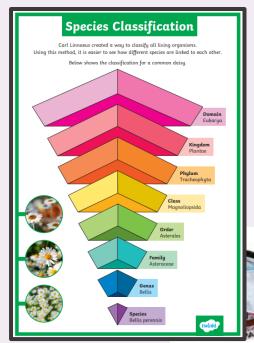
Electricity

Light

Reproduction

Evolution





History

World War I The Suffragettes

The Rise of Hitler and World War II World War II and the Holocaust

The Cold War Ancient Greece





Geography

Spatial Sense British Geographical Issues North American Geography South American Geography

Africa

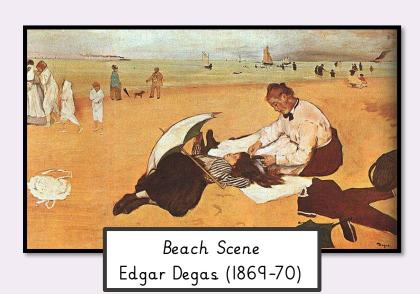
Globalisation



Art in the Italian Renaissance Renaissance Architecture and Sculpture Victorian Art and Architecture

William Morris Impressionism and PostImpressionism

Art in the 20th
Century:
Modernism











Build - water wall

Cook - mezze / Build -Electrical Toys

Sew - upcycling fashion

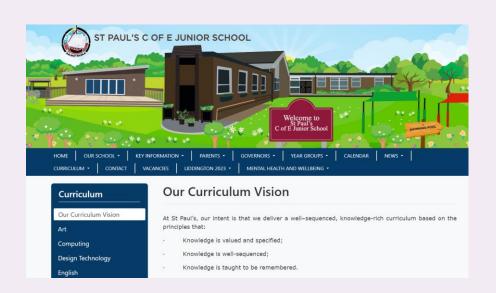








- · Curriculum maps will be available on the school website.
- Homework will be set on Teams from 1st October. For Year 6, this
 works on a two-week cycle.
- Timetables are available to take away.



| Focus area | Details of Tasks | Submission | Feedback | Due |
|------------|--|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| Reading | Read with an adult or older sibling at home 4 times per week for at least 20 minutes each time. Talk about the story together. | Adult date and comment in your reading record | Your teacher will discuss your progress with you in class | Ongoing |
| English | Task 1: Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar revision – Parenthesis Answer the SPAG questions in your homework book – only do the fluency questions on page 1 of the sheet. There is a PowerPoint which explains what expanded noun phrases are if you are unsure. Task 2: Reading Comprehension Answer the reading comprehension questions in your homework book. | Both tasks submitted in your homework book | In homework book | Friday 28 April |
| Spelling | Week 1 Special Focus 2: tricky words with double letters Spelling pattern word list: appetite beginner communicate community committee harassment occurring occupation opportunity Week 2: Words from the Year 5/6 Spelling List Year 5/6 spelling word list: desperate frequently neighbour rhyme vegetable awkward determined government | Week 1 words tested Monday 24 April Week 2 words tested Tuesday 2 May | Spelling test results | Monday 2- April Monday 2 May |
| Maths | You may have also recorded spellings in your spelling log book to practise. https://login.mymaths.co.uk/login Follow the tutorials <u>first</u> before attempting the tasks set for you by your teacher. You have been set two tasks to last the fortnight: • Measuring angles • Nets of 3D shapes | Complete both the fluency and reasoning & problem-solving questions | Instant feedback given online | Friday 28 April |
| Maths | https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/student Practise your times tables online each day, Monday to Friday. | Practise on Times Tables Rock Stars website | Scores provided online Your teacher will check your progress on the website | Ongoing |

Do you have any questions?

