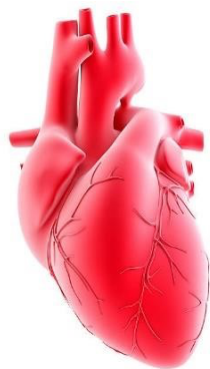


English Links

Our main text is *The Final Year* by Matt Goodfellow.

We will be learning how writers convey character through dialogue, thoughts and actions and how they create atmosphere, working towards writing a story ending.

We will be using this text to as a stimulus for a range of writing genres such as narrative, diary and poetry.



Year 6 Autumn Term Curriculum Overview

Topic

Science - We are learning about how the human system works and how nutrients and water are transported around the body. We will also be thinking about the effects of exercise, diet and lifestyle on the way the body functions. We will be carrying out investigations into the effects of exercise, taking accurate measurements. Later in the term, we will be learning about circuits and investigating the effects of changing components within a circuit.

D/T - We will be applying our knowledge of electrical circuits to enhance our D/T project of making a game with moving parts, operated by a cam.

Computing - We will be investigating how to code through Scratch as well as how to create music on Garageband and using graphing tools to organise data.

Art - We will be exploring different sketching techniques and skills to create a detailed diagram of the heart.

Physical Education

The focus in PE is being able to take part in invasion games such as hockey where they are revisiting how to send and receive a ball. This encourages them to think about positional and tactical play.

To support this, the children are also working on their coordinated footwork patterns so that they can keep themselves balanced when under pressure from opposition players.

Mathematics

- ✚ Simplifying, comparing and calculating with fractions.
- ✚ Identifying the value of digits in numbers up to 3dp.
- ✚ Recognise the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages and can express them as equivalent quantities.
- ✚ Calculate using fractions, decimals or percentages.

Global Citizenship and RE

Hinduism - In RE, the children are learning about the Hindu faith and the different gods within it.

Judaism - Within this unit, the children will explore different Jewish celebrations and the significance of them.

As part of our Global Citizenship work, the children will be exploring what it means to be a friend and why it is important to challenge discrimination.

Home Learning

- ✚ Daily reading to an adult. Please sign your child's planner to show that they have read.