

Important Events

Thursday 29th November: Parents' Evening

Wednesday 12th December – Year 6 Christmas Sing Along

Thursday 13th December: Winter Fayre

Wednesday 19th December: Aladdin Pantomime at the Hackney Empire (see newsletter)

Friday 21st December: Last day of term, school closes at 2pm

Homework

Literacy and Numeracy homework will be sent out **every Thursday**. The class teacher will collect homework from the children on **Monday mornings**.

Spellings will be sent out every Thursday and tested the following Monday.

Home readers need to be completed daily and signed weekly by a Parent/Carer.

PE

Children must bring their **complete PE kit every Friday**.

Our PE kit is specifically designed to be of low cost and can be bought from general high street shops or our school office. The kit consists of: plain white t-shirt, plain black shorts or jogging bottoms, and black trainers or plimsolls.



Year Six Autumn Term 2 Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to Autumn 2. We have many new and interesting topics to cover this term, with a particular focus on Sustainability.

Please ensure that your child is reading and rehearsing times tables every evening to consolidate their learning.

Should you have any concerns or wish to talk to us about your child's progress, please feel free to speak to us. We are available to talk after school on most days. Information about what your child will learn this half term is on the inside of this booklet.

We look forward to working with you and your child!

Mr Siddique and Ms Hussain

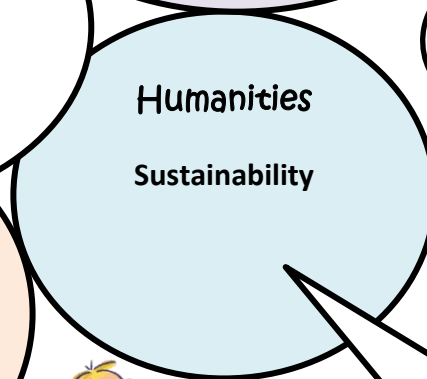
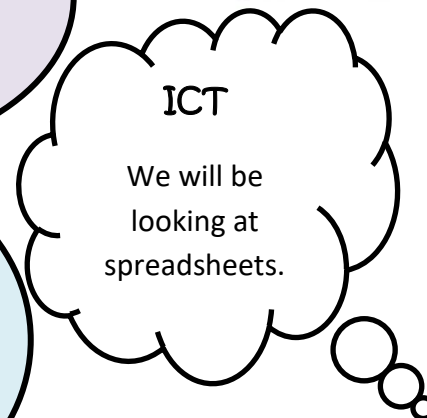
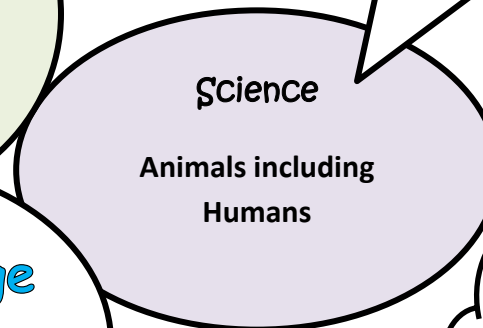
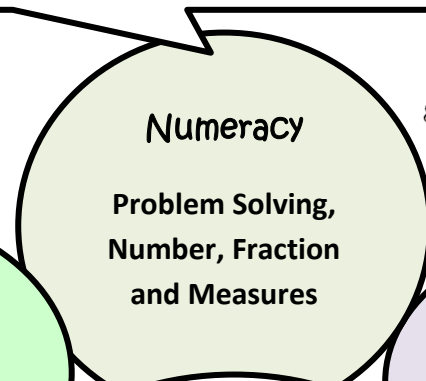
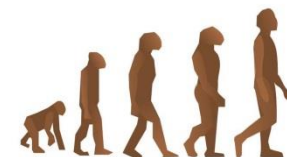
As writers, we will explore a range of genres including: fiction, recount and poetry. We will continue to practise describing characters and settings using adventurous vocabulary. We will extend our understanding of punctuation by exploring the use of brackets, dashes and commas to indicate parenthesis. We will also continue to embed a range of cohesive devices that link ideas within and across paragraphs.



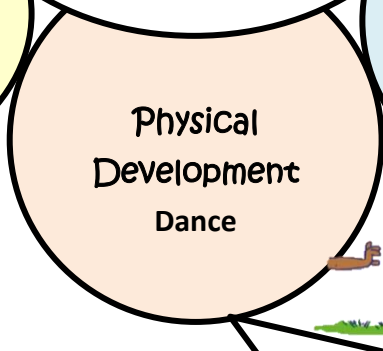
As Mathematicians we will continue to develop the mental strategies we use to calculate problems quickly. We will be developing our use of number and work with word problems.



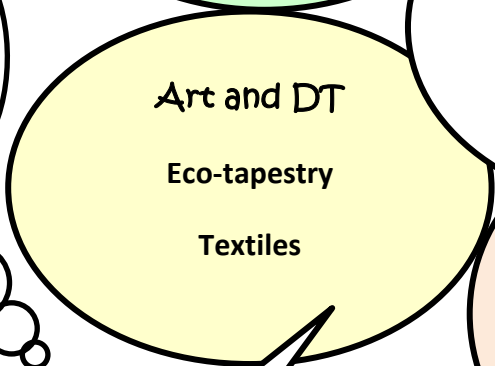
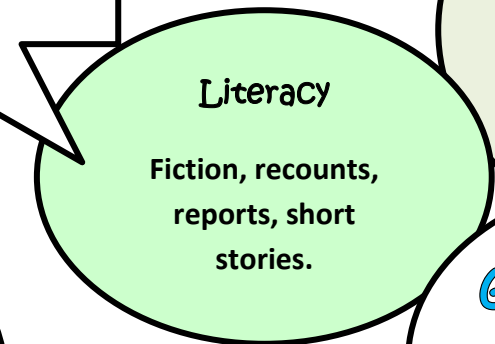
As Scientists we will be looking at animals and humans and how the circulatory system works. We will be explaining the function of the heart and the impact our diet and amount of exercise has on our bodies.



As Geographers we will be exploring eco-tourism and the effects this has on local and international environments. We will be looking at how tourism effects the environment and what we can do to protect it.



We will be exploring a range of different cultural dances.
We will listen to the music and use our bodies to reflect the mood and rhythm of different cultures.



As artists we will be designing and creating an eco-tapestry using resources we have gathered to show how things we throw out can be used to create wonderful pieces of art.
As designers, we will be designing and creating our own mobile phones covers using sewing skills.

