

# CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

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Year Six



Welcome to the Summer 2 edition of the Year 6 newsletter. You will find lots of information about the curriculum, how to help your child at home and any other notes. If you have any questions, please ask the class teacher.

Our current learning journey is: **Does the crime fit the punishment?**

## Curriculum outline

**Reading:** We will be exploring Matt Goodfellow's book, 'The Final Year' based on children in Year 6 transitioning up to secondary school

**Writing:** Our writing will continue to write a range of genres from single inspirational texts and animations – writing to persuade, to inform, narrative, diaries and speeches.

**Maths:** We will be working on a range of exciting projects linked to real life situations.

**History:** Crime and Punishment through the ages: Highwaymen, Dick Turpin, Victorian crime system and how crimes have changed in modern times.

**Geography:** We will be studying human geography, exploring how and why people live where they do, and looking at different economic activities, including how goods and services are produced, bought, and sold. We will also learn about trade links between countries and how these connections help economies around the world work together.

**COMPUTING:** In Computing, we will be learning about HTML, the code used to create and structure web pages, and we will explore how websites are built and displayed on the internet.

**P.E:** The summer activities will be striking and fielding skills linked to rounders as well as athletics track and field event ready for the Sport Day.

**PSHE:** Exploring what happens during puberty, how feelings may differ, what social changes may occur and who their support network is.

## Helping your child at home

- To support children with transition to secondary school, encourage independence at home (such as organising their own school bag and homework), talk positively about change and new experiences, and help them build routines for getting up,, and managing time.
- NSPCC [www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/transition-to-secondary-school/](http://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/transition-to-secondary-school/)
- BBC Bitesize [www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6x3g7h](http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6x3g7h)



## Key Dates:

- **10.06.26** Sports day (PM)
- **11.06.26** Wear a football kit day (or red, white blue) to support England
- **11.06.26** London Residential Meeting 3.15
- **17.06.26** Water Safety Talk
- **18.06.26** MA transition talk to parents
- **22-24.06.26** London Residential
- **30.06.26** Year 6 Transition Coffee Afternoon
- **08.07.26** Bridging Project (Select Pupils)
- **09-10.07.26** Year 6 transition to MA
- **13.07.26** – Redwood Stars Leavers Assembly – 5.00pm
- **15.07.26** Summer Ball
- **16.07.26** Summer Fayre (PM)
- **17.06.26** Colour Run