

Summer Term 2: Curriculum Newsletter: Year 6





<u>Summer Term 2 Topic:</u>	Are We Electric Ready?
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Dear Parents / Carers

We hope that you have had a lovely break and feel ready for a busy final term! This term our learning will focus on Geography fieldwork skills with emphasis on our locality and how it is set up for the future technology of electric vehicles and its charging network: 'Are We Electric Ready?' Alongside this Curriculum Newsletter, your children will bring home this term's Knowledge Organiser which provides key knowledge about the learning this term, key facts and essential vocabulary that the children should learn, as part of homework, by the end of the term when they will take their end of term topic quiz.

Focus on Curriculum

Below outlines some of the exciting things your child will learn about and experience this term, through the different curriculum areas.

Science 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Diet and Healthy Lifestyle.
Computing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Purple Mash: Microsoft Powerpoint
Languages 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• French topic: A l'école
Personal Development (SCARF) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 'Growing and Changing.'

Physical Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Athletics (Outdoor) • Tag Rugby (Outdoor) <p>PE days this term are: <i>Tuesday pm; Thursday am</i></p>
Geography 	<p>'Are We Electric Ready?'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Research advantages and disadvantages of electric vehicles - Collect and present data - Use a variation of maps - Compare local infrastructure to that of cities in the UK and within Europe.

Signposts to Learning

We know that you will be keen to support your children with their learning. Below are some suggested websites, which may help.

Websites
https://thekidshouldseethis.com/post/electric-cars-future
https://www.edfenergy.com/for-home/energywise/how-do-electric-cars-work
https://www.zap-map.com/live/
https://energynorthern.com/2022/07/27/uswitch-com-oslo-tops-ev-charging-station-list/
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a63bjIwD_zo&list=PLrJBGaLNqeEQCYL7L8bT9z2Hm5PJ9p65s&index=2

Homework

Homework will continue to be set and collected in the same way this term. We will continue to encourage independence in the completion of their homework, with a view to becoming 'Secondary Ready' by the end of the summer term.

It is expected that your child will continue to read independently at home and complete the task in their reading comprehension book, learn spellings and complete spelling, study the information on their topic knowledge organisers each week, which will make up part of the weekly homework.

In addition to these expectations, we will be setting a Maths task every week. This will be focused upon basic skills, and will be in a familiar format, based

upon class learning from the week, so the children should be able to complete the tasks reasonably unsupported.

If ever you do have any questions or concerns regarding homework, please feel free to use the Seesaw family messaging service to let us know.

Important Dates for Your Diaries

June 10 th	Sheldon induction morning
June 11 th	Pencelli meeting- 4.30-5pm
June 12 th	Walksafe
June 20 th	Sports day
June 24 th -27 th	Bikeability Sessions
June 27 th	Sports day reserve
July 1 st	Y6 WW2 Show
July 2 nd	KGA Transition day
July 3 rd am	Junior Good Citizen
July 3 rd pm	Calne FC session
July 4 th	Abbeyfield Transition day
July 6 th	Fynamore Summer Fair
July 8 th -12 th	Pencelli
July 15 th	End of year reports out
July 16 th	Year 6 Lydiard Park Trip
July 19 th 2.30pm	Last day of term. Invitation for parents to join us for end of term photos.

If you do have any questions, please feel free to contact us through the family messaging service on the Seesaw app.

Thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Ash, Mrs Burch and Mrs Zenonos.