



Our Year Group's PE day is on Thursday

Remember, all children are expected to come to school wearing their school PE kit which is part of our uniform.

Our Website



Please visit our school website for extensive information on our school's curriculum plans. You will find this under the tab Key Information > Curriculum.

Homework

Your child will be given homework each week. Check their reading record for details. Our Homework Policy is available on the school website.

This term's Intended Visits and Visitors

- Derwent Hill/ Outdoor team building activities.
- World War II workshop: linked to history topic

Home Reading – School Expectations

- Children should read their schoolbook, or another book, every single day at home for around ten to twenty minutes.
- Parents/Carers are asked to discuss the way children read punctuation as well as words, how bold or italic words are read differently etc.
- Look for how advanced punctuation is used. For example, speech marks, brackets, commas, apostrophes etc. It is very important that adults discuss these things with their child as they are not likely to notice them on their own.
- **Parents and Carers should sign their child's reading record when they have listened to them read.**

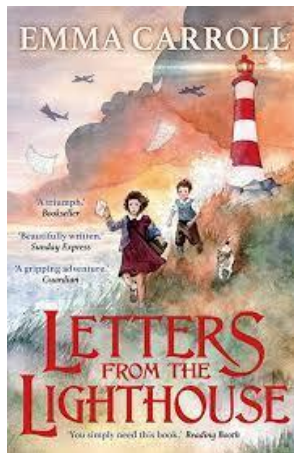


Parent Information

Our Curriculum in Year 6

Autumn Term 2026

This term, we are reading...



In Reading we will...

learn to be text detectives, using inference skills to explain what is happening in the text (P.E.E); to identify the difference between literal facts and emotive language and identify how a story is advanced through dialogue. We will also learn ways that authors use figurative language to have an impact on the reader.

In Writing we will...

learn to use organisational devices to structure texts and guide the reader; use a wide range of punctuation for clarity and effect; use dialogue to advance the story; use a wide range of clause structures; use the writing process to create our own pieces of writing.

In Maths we will...

Developing our knowledge and understanding of place value by studying numbers up to 10,000,000 and applying this when calculating using the four operations. We will use our daily arithmetic lessons to practise our counting, fact recall and calculation skills.

In Science we will...

learn to explain the importance of the major discoveries in electricity; recognise circuit symbols in a diagram; learn about light, including the spectrum of colour and refraction.

We will learn about the Scientist, Thomas Edison, who pioneered the first commercial electric light, and the Scientist Isaac Newton who made discoveries linked to light.

In History we will...

As readers we will...

read a range of age-appropriate texts independently for pleasure.

As resilient learners we will...

try our best to overcome challenges and achieve our goals.

As respectful members of society we will...

support each other and work as a team following the five Golden Rules of our school.

As responsible learners we will...

be organised and committed to making progress and becoming 'secondary ready'.

learn about World War II including when and how it started, how the war advanced and the impact it had around the world.

In Geography we will...

learn about climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts and how these areas differ around the world.

In Art and Design we will...

study different types of sculpture in order to sculpt our own World War II soldiers from wire.

In Design Technology we will...

explore the digital world and use micro-bits to develop an animal tracker.

In Computing we will...

Understand what blogging is and create our own blogs. Know that key data can be entered and represented visually as a variety of graphs. Know the importance of self-image and identity online.

In RE we will...

Learn about Christianity and how Christians choose to live. We will also investigate why Christians believe that Jesus was the Messiah.

In PE we will...

practice the skills needed to play cricket alongside a coach. We will also learn a range of yoga poses to develop strength and flexibility.

In Music we will...

be listening and critiquing a variety of music; as well as performing and composing using a range of instruments, including digital technology.

In PSHE we will...

We will also think about respect in relationships including authority; why media has age restrictions; what grief is and how we can seek support for mental health.

In Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) we will...

learn about equality and the law including shop theft and anti-social behaviour.