

Key Information:

Children need to wear their PE kits on the following days.

◇ Year 5: Wednesday

◇ Year 5/6: Monday

◇ Year 6: Monday

Children should wear their PE kit to school on their PE day. Earrings must be removed for PE lessons.

Key dates:

◇ UKS2 Curriculum Evening: 25th September 2023 6pm

◇ Y6 Class Assembly: 27th September 9am

◇ SEND coffee afternoon: 4th October 2023 2:15pm

Homework and Passwords:

Homework will be handed out on a Friday and will be due in Thursday. All children should have their Bedrock and TT Rockstars passwords and should be accessing these at home as part of their homework. Children can also complete some of the tasks from the UKS2 homework grid. All children will receive weekly spellings. They will have their test on a Friday. Children should also be reading daily and recording their reading in their reading journals. Year 6 will receive additional Maths and English work based on the lessons in class.

Please make sure you sign up to your child's class twitter page for the latest updates and information.

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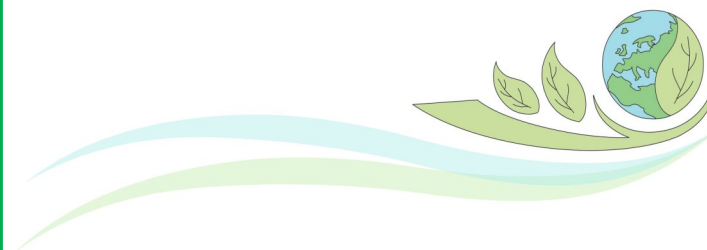
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Dane Royd Junior & Infant School

Year 5 and 6

Autumn 1

Curriculum Booklet



As readers and writers we will be ...

- studying a variety of text extracts in our whole class reading lessons.
- reading 'The Good Thieves' by Katherine Rundell. This book will be used as a stimulus for the writing that we produce.
- recapping nouns and verbs including identifying nouns in multi-clause sentences.
- identifying the subject of a sentence and understanding the relationship between subject verb and object.
- recapping the difference between a phrase and a clause.
- using co-ordinating conjunctions to form compound sentences.
- revisiting our learning on subordinating conjunctions.

As scientists we will be learning about ...



- the different forces acting on an object.
- Newton's role in discovering gravity.
- how to measure an object's weight and mass.
- how to increase the effects of air resistance.
- how to identify streamlined shapes.
- the effects of friction.

As linguists we will be learning the following...

Year 5:

- The high street
- Directions

Year 6:

- School life
- School equipment
- Clothes

As mathematicians:

Year 5 will be ...

- reading, comparing, ordering and rounding to 1,000,000
- looking at Roman numerals to 1000
- adding and subtracting numbers with more than 4-digits.
- looking at multiples, factors, prime numbers and square numbers.

Year 6 will be....

- reading, writing, comparing and ordering to ten million
- looking at negative numbers
- looking at common factors and multiples, primes, square and cube numbers.



As geographers we will be learning about...

- what a continent is.
- countries in North and South America.
- physical features of an area of the Americas.
- the climate of an area in the Americas.
- the human geography of an area of North America..
- some wonders of the Americas.

As artists we will be...

- applying an understanding of composition to create an effective photomontage advertising poster.
- applying an understanding of abstract art through photography.
- demonstrating an understanding of design choices made for effect using digital photography techniques.
- using an understanding of photography to design and recreate a famous painting.
- demonstrating observation and proportion to create art in a photorealistic style.