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A PRIORY ACADEMY

Year 6 Curriculum Letter



Spring Term 2023

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PE - This year the children will have PE on **Tuesday and Friday**.

Please ensure that your child is wearing their PE t-shirt and shorts. As the weather gets colder, they can wear plain, dark coloured leggings or joggers and a sweatshirt. All earrings must be removed or covered.

Mathematics

In maths we will be following the Power Maths and White Rose schemes of learning.

Our focus in maths will be Geometry and Statistics

We will be using 10 in 10 as a starter to the maths

lessons to improve fluency and speed.

How can you support your child?

Encourage your child to complete their weekly homework.

English

In our English lessons we will be using a range of texts to inspire us and our writing outcome will be a flashback narrative. We will also be looking at a range of discursive texts and writing our own on a chosen theme.

In reading, we will be learning how we can use inference to help us comprehend what we are reading, hence

reading for meaning. Our whole class text this will be chosen by the children during the first week of Module 4.

How can you support your child?

Ensure your child is accessing spelling shed weekly. New spellings are added every Friday.

Read with your child, this could be a book that you have at home or their reading for pleasure book.

Wider Curriculum

In Science, we will be studying Evolution and Inheritance and discover how adaptations can change evolution. We will also explore the concept of inheritance.

In History, we will be studying Influential people. The big question is "Who is Martin Luther King and what is his legacy?"

In PSHE, we will learn about media literacy and digital resilience—focusing on trust and online content

In RE, we will be learning about how Hindus show that they belong and make connections with other religions we have already explored..

In Computing, we will be learning about programming and exploring variables in games.

The happiness and well-being of your child is most important to us and we can achieve this through our partnership with you. If you have any small concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your class teacher or phase leader.

Attendance Matters

The school gates open from 8.30am and the school doors open at 8:40am with the school day starting promptly at 8.45 am.