



# Stanburn Primary School

Believe Achieve Succeed

Learning without limits

Year 6 Curriculum Newsletter

Summer 1 2024



### Key events:

**May Day Bank Holiday:** Monday 6th May 2023 (no children in school)

**PTA Happy Circus:** Friday 10th May

**KS2 SATs Week:** Monday 13th May - Thursday 16th 2024.

**Walk to School Week:** Monday 20th—Friday 24th May

**Cultural Diversity Day:** Tuesday 21st May

**Book Fair:** Tuesday 21st– Friday 24th May

**Quidditch Workshop:** Tuesday 21st May 2024

**School Trip:**

Wednesday 22nd May 2024 6Do/6Pe

Thursday 23rd May 2024 6Si/6PI

**Class Photographs:** Friday 24th May

**End of Half Term:** Friday 24th May 2024

**First day of Summer 2:** Monday 3rd June 2024

Welcome to the Summer Term!

This term we have our End of KS2 SATs Tests. The children have all been working very hard and we are confident they will do us proud however, it is important to continue to encourage them to revise Maths and Grammar topics as well as read a wide range of different texts and answer VIPERS style questions.

**The current attendance for Year 6 is 96.8%**

**Our target for attendance is 97%**

### Science

This term, the children will be continuing their learning on the topic 'Light' and will begin learning about electricity. The children will begin to understand why electricity is useful and the social issues and safety issues around it. They will also learn to deepen their understanding of how circuits work and how we use them in everyday life.



# YEAR 6

### Mathematics

This term we will be consolidating our learning by of the four operations. Additionally, the children will continue to look at; algebra, statistics unit, interpreting and constructing pie charts and line graphs and using these to solve problems. We will also be revising topics learnt across the KS2 Maths curriculum in preparation for our KS2 SATs tests. Finally, through investigations, the children focus on simplifying problems using diagrams and apparatus to assist them in their explanations.

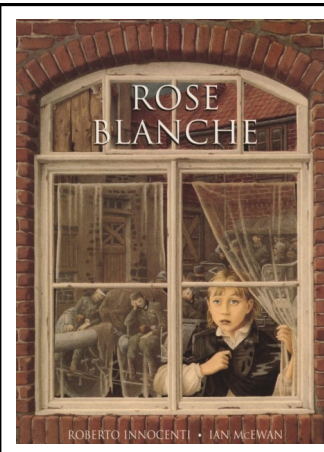
### PE

**Topic 1:** Dance

**Topic 2:** Athletics: applying strength and flexibility to running, throwing and jumping. The children will then apply their learnt skills to deliver a session to their peers.

### English

Children will be reading a short picture book called 'Rose Blanche' which explores life during WW2. We will continue to focus on a range of different text types throughout the term during our VIPERS lessons. The children will be writing a range of the following text types: Diary Entries in role of a character and letters to loved ones.



### Weekly schedules:

Spelling Test: Every Friday

Arithmetic Test: Once weekly

P.E: Two sessions weekly





# Stanburn Primary School

Believe Achieve Succeed

Learning without limits

Year 6 Curriculum Newsletter

Summer 1 2024



**History** - We will be looking at WW2 in more detail during this topic particularly focusing on The Battle of Britain and why this was a turning point in History. The children will also discuss: how and why war began; what life was like on the home front and how the local area was affected by war - this will include a trip to Bentley Priory Museum and a visit to our school Blast Shelter.



**Art** - To create a personal memory box using a collection of found objects and hand sculptured forms reflecting primary school life with symbolic and personal meaning.

# YEAR 6

## MFL

### On va faire la fête!

In French this half term, the children will be revising vocabulary related to transport, places, food and clothing. They will respond to questions about future plans, and use different tenses.

## Computing - Networks

This term, the children will be using **Purple Mash** to learn about what the internet consists of and then exploring the terms 'LAN' and 'WAN'. Finally, the children will also research and find out about the age of the Internet before moving on to thinking about what the future might hold.

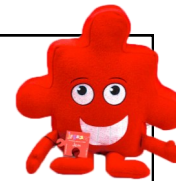


## PSHE (including RHE)

Our Jigsaw unit this term is:

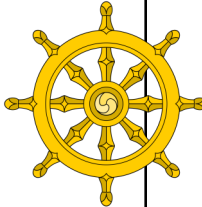
### Relationships.

The children will be learning all about friendships including knowing how to make new friends (linking to Secondary School transition), how to solve friendship problems if they occur and how to show respect in how they treat others. Finally, they will learn how to use technology to communicate with friends safely.



## RE

**RE** - As part of Harrow's R.E. Curriculum, children will be discussing the learning question: Who Was Siddhartha? During this unit they will be able to share some facts about the life of the Buddha and describe elements of the eightfold path.



## Music

Our topic for this term is performing. The unit is called, 'Class Awards' and provides an ideal opportunity for us to celebrate the children's achievements as they end their time at Primary School with a musical awards show customised for their class.

Awards are presented along with fanfare, rap song and famous music in a grand ceremony.



## Final word

Thank you for your support so far this year. If you have any queries or concerns, please feel free to contact us on the playground or via the school office.

Kind Regards,  
The Year 6 Team