

ENGLISH: In English we will be reading 'Letters from the Lighthouse' by Emma Carol. This book will form the basis for our writing and support the reading VIPERS lessons. We will draft and edit an informal letter, character profile and a balanced argument preparing these pieces for moderation later in the year. In addition, we will revisit the elements of grammar including word type, clauses, conjunctions and prepositions and speech punctuation, colons and semi colons. In spelling we will look to focus on misconceptions and practice these tricky words in class and through Spelling Frame homework set each Monday. In addition, we will identify grammar needs and learn how to use colons and semi colons to improve our writing. Please also support your child with daily reading and the completion of comments on the Boom Reader app.

DESIGN TECHNOLOGY Playground Pioneers
We will look to spend 2 full days on this project; generating ideas for a playground structure; constructing a scale prototype of a playground structure; completing, improving, evaluate and presenting the final piece.

RE: Our 'Big Questions' this term asks "What difference does the resurrection make for Christians? This unit of work looks deeply into what the Bible says about resurrection, what Christians believe in and how it fits in with other Christian beliefs. It will culminate in understanding how Christians put their beliefs into practice and how it brings hope.

Spring Term 2

Year 6

PERSONAL, SOCIAL, HEALTH & CITIZENSHIP:
Jigsaw- Healthy Me Throughout these sessions we will be talking about being responsible for our health. This will include discussions about drugs (including alcohol), exploitation, gangs and managing our emotional mental health and stress.

FRENCH: This term Year 6 will be taught by Mrs Briggs along with Y5.

PE: Will be on Monday and Wednesday each week. The focus this term is netball and dance led by Fiesta Football. The class will be rehearsing for Spotlight Dance at the end of March.

MATHS: This term we will be running through the areas of maths that require further revision in preparation for SATs. In addition we will be practicing speeding up instant recall of times tables and number facts. My Maths will be set each Monday and be an additional resource to support our learning.

SCIENCE: The Human Body In this unit we will identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood. Following this we will recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their body function and describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.

MUSIC: Mrs Breden will be teaching music to the class this term with the theme of Pop Art. Here the children will know what a 'theme' is and what 'variations' are. They will listen to music by Benjamin Britten understanding that representing beats of silence or 'rests' in written music is important as it helps us play rhythms correctly.

