



Welcome back to our final term in Year Six,

We hope that you have all had a peaceful break and that you are well rested and ready to work hard in your all important final term of primary school. We have another jam-packed term ahead of us.

Obviously the SATs play an important part of this half term - they take place in the fifth week (May 14<sup>th</sup>). Following the tests we will spend a couple more weeks honing all our writing skills to ensure we have all the evidence we need ready for me to make my teacher assessments.

After the tests are out of the way, staff from the high school will be coming in to meet us all and setting up days for you to spend at your new schools to ensure a nice transition.

We will also prepare and perform an end of year play and leavers' assembly which will tax our acting, singing and dancing skills.

Homework will continue to go out on the same days and please try to spend some time revising all your spag, reading and maths skills at home.

Mr Manning

*It's a Beautiful World*



Year 6

Learning Leaflet

Our topic will focus on location and place knowledge, where we will explore the similarities and differences of regions and beliefs across the world.

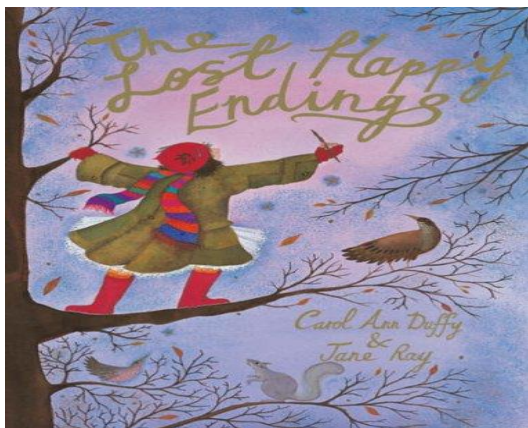
In **Science** this term, we will be focusing on the units 'Living things and their habitats' and 'Animals, including humans'. We will observe and compare the life cycles of plants and look at planting seeds. Within our second unit, we will learn about the changes as humans develop to old age, indicating the stages in the growth and development of both humans and animals. We will also look at diet and recognise the impact of food, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way our bodies function.

Within our **DT** unit we will be exploring seasonality of food and looking at where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed as well as making a savoury dish.

In **English** we will be focusing on SPAG skills and reading comprehension in the lead up to the SATs. After the SATs are over we will turn our attention to perfecting our writing skills: particular attention will be placed on hyphens, dashes, semi-colons and colons. We will revisit a range of genres to ensure we have a bank of edited pieces that best show off exactly where our skills are at as we move on to high school.



In **Maths** we will be covering the remaining areas of the Year 6 curriculum. In geometry we will identify missing angles in triangles, polygons, a straight line, around a point and in vertically opposite angles. In data handling we interpret line graphs and pie charts; and calculate the mean of a set of data. Following those sessions, we will revise our problems solving skills in preparation for the SATs.

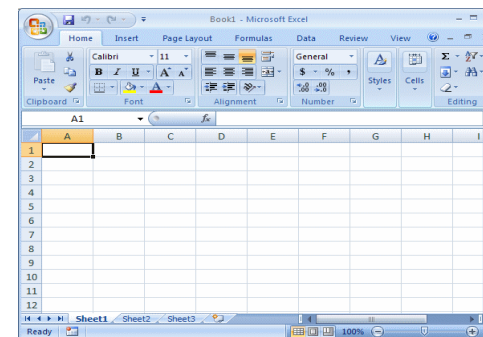


In **R.E** we will be learning about Hinduism. We will explore the Hindu concept of God and the many forms their God takes. We will research the story of Rama and look at reincarnation.

In **Music** we will be following the Charanga programme- our first unit will be 'You've got a friend'.



In **Computing** we will be looking at data handling and programming. Within our first unit, we will be working with excel to explore spreadsheets. After half term, we will use our logical reasoning to start creating and debugging simple programming sequences.



Our **History and Geography** this term will be taught through our topic of 'It's a Beautiful World'. Within Geography, we will develop our locational, place, human and physical geography knowledge. We will develop our map skills across different scales, locating countries and cities on a map. We will specifically focus on Chester, Moscow and Manaus, to compare land use and human geography.



In **French** we will continue to develop our skills in conversational French and learn about French culture.

In **P.E** we will be covering Athletics and Cricket. Miss Preugschat will continue to teach PE on a Wednesday and Friday afternoon. Throughout the term, we will also continue to compete in team and class sporting events.