



ST BEDE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



CURRICULUM INFORMATION YEAR 6 – AUTUMN TERM 2018

Dear Families

This is an overview of your child's curriculum throughout this term:

<p>English</p> <p>Writing: The children will study the below texts and genres: Street Child Goodnight Mr Tom We will be focusing on a range of writing styles including; diary writing, monologue, letter writing and a non-chronological report.</p> <p>Grammar: Children will study the grammatical features of the above texts in context.</p> <p>Reading: The children have two reading comprehension lessons each week, within their sets; these focus on reading skills (e.g. inference and deduction).</p>	<p>Mathematics</p> <p>In Maths lessons the children will be looking at the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Counting and partitioning Mental maths Arithmetic (calculation methods) Fractions (including addition, subtraction and multiplication of fractions) Securing number facts Geometry Problem solving Data Measures <p>Alongside the above topics, the children will be working towards securing their understanding of all times tables and their associated facts (up to 12 x 12). Additionally children will receive weekly known facts which they need to learn; these will be tested each week.</p>
<p>Religious Education</p> <p>Loving – God never stops loving. Vocation and Commitment – The vocation of priesthood and religious life. Expectations – Jesus born to show God to the world. Judaism – Belongings and Values – Yom Kippur.</p>	<p>Music</p> <p>The pupils will develop their ability to perform rhythms and accompaniments to improve their music reading and writing skills. They will do this through composition, improvisation and playing together from memory using African Drumming traditions, classical music and The Blues as inspiration.</p>
<p>Science</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evolution and Inheritance – We're Evolving. Animals including humans – Staying Alive. <p>Science lessons will provide the children with some opportunities to carry out practical investigations.</p>	<p>PE</p> <p>The children will develop their Physical Education skills with a PE coach each week; these lessons will incorporate a wide range of sports and activities.</p>
<p>'Time to Shine'</p> <p>In addition to our English lessons all children will be taking part in St Bede's 'Time To Shine' writing scheme'; each writing journey lasts for a three week period during which time your child will draft, edit and polish their writing so that they are ready to write it in their 'Publishing Book'.</p>	<p>PSHE</p> <p>Being Me in My World – getting to know each other, class social bonding, introducing new systems and routines and creating a Learning Charter. Celebrating Difference (including anti-bullying) – to learn how difference can be a source of conflict or a cause for celebration and to show empathy with people in either situation.</p>
<p>Homework</p> <p>Spelling Homework – is available on Fronter and is given out weekly on a Friday. Maths Homework – is given every Monday, Wednesday and Friday by your child's maths set teacher. Reading – please read with your child for 10 minutes every evening – five times a week.</p>	<p>ICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> E-safety App making Multimedia
<p>Things to remember</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fronter – Class Fronter pages will be updated regularly by the year six class teachers. This will give you an opportunity to find out what's happening in your child's class. Fronter will also be used to store additional resources that can be used by your child to support and extend their learning during their time in year six. Junior Fruit Time – Every child is given the chance to eat their fruit at morning break, therefore we encourage every child to bring in a piece of fruit if possible. 	

'Shine like a lantern, in the presence of the Lord.'