Canon Johnson C of E Primary School

Autumn 2026

Welcome to Year 6

Maths

We will be covering the following areas:

Number – Place Value: Read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10 000 000 and determine the value of each digit. Round any whole number to a required degree of accuracy. Use negative numbers in context and calculate intervals across zero.

Number – Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division: Solve addition and subtraction multi step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why. Multiply and divide multi-digit numbers with up to 4 digits by a 2-digit number using the formal method. Perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers. Identify common factors, common multiples and prime numbers. Use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the four operations. Solve problems involving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

English

We will base our English lessons around a text called, 'Star of Fear, Star of Hope' We will complete a range of tasks including: identifying the audience for and purpose of writing, note and develop initial ideas - drawing on reading and research, enhance meaning through selecting appropriate grammar and vocabulary, describe settings, characters and atmosphere, propose changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meanings, use consistent and correct tense and proof-read for spelling and punctuation errors

Computing

Our unit of work is, 'Coding'.

The children will design a playable game with a timer and a score.

Design and technology

We will be learning about 'Food – A Balanced Diet'.

Children will research healthy food and what different components are needed to make a balanced three-course meal.

Science

Our topic is 'Classifying Living Things'.

Children will build on their learning about grouping living things in Year 4 by looking at the classification system in more detail.

Geography

Our topic is 'South America: The Amazon'.

Children will extend their knowledge and understanding beyond their local area to include South America.

Music

Our music lessons will continue to be led by The Music Service.

PSHE

Our topic is, 'Being Me in My World'.

Homework is given every Tuesday and must be returned on Friday of the same week.

RE

We will begin learning about journeys and in particular journeys made in the Bible.

PE will be on Wednesday and Thursdays. The children will need to come to school in their uniform and will change into their pe kits in school.

Please refer to class webpages for further info: Canon Johnson Website – Pupils – Select Year Group