



### English

This half term's book will be inspired by our history topic of Migration. A Story like the Wind is a beautifully illustrated novel, telling the story of a group of refugees and their memories of a previous life. We will use these accounts to inspire diary entries as well as non-chronological reports. We will also continue to focus on our year group targets within spelling, punctuation and grammar. In reading, we will be using more complex inference skills and looking at the meaning of words in context.

### Geography

Pupils continue work on map co-ordinates. They will also study energy, sustainability, and natural resources. This includes the study of how power is generated, the distinction between fossil fuels and renewable energy, and the impact of a major natural resource becoming depleted.

### Computing

Pupils will study performance through the multimedia app iMovie. They will work collaboratively to compose, edit, and evaluate a video performance.

### Personal, Health and Social Education/SRE

Pupils will continue to work through our PHSE Jigsaw scheme, focusing on the topic of relationships. We will how and why it is important to take care of our mental health, as well as online relationships and when these are safe. During the later part of the term, we will be covering our SRE unit. The children will be discussing puberty, healthy relationships and conception.

### Science

Children will begin this half term by completing their unit of electricity, started prior to the lockdown. We will make circuits with a variety of electrical components, intended for use in their Anderson shelters. Later on in the term we will begin a new topic – Light. The children will look at how light travels, how we see and why shadows are formed.

## **Curriculum Map Summer Term - 2021 Year Six Miss Orson and Mr Whiting**

### Religious Education

This half term's topic will be 'The Journey of Life and Death'. This unit involves pupils investigating beliefs about life and life after death and encouraging them to reflect on and express their hopes for the future. Pupils will have the opportunity to share their own feelings of loss caused by separation or death, and how faith can provide support for many people during these times.

### History

Pupils will complete their studies of WW2 before studying the recurring common themes of migration through human history. Children then, by focussing on reasons for migration, will come to understand the particular circumstances of refugees.

### Maths

This term Year 6 will focus on percentages of amounts, converting fractions and percentages, finding missing percentages and ordering fractions, decimals, and percentages. Pupils will also study long division, algebra, formulae, and equations as well as different units of measurement.

### Physical Education

Pupils will work collaboratively on a range of sports. They will develop their range of striking and fielding skills in cricket. They will also be challenged to improve times and distances in athletics. In gymnastics they will combine and link actions at various levels.

### Music

This half term the children will become song writers. They will spend several sessions composing and writing a song, inspired by a feeling or a topic they feel passionate about. They will complete these either individually or in small groups, building up to an exciting performance at the end.

### Art / Design and Technology

In DT sessions pupils will be designing shadow puppet theatres, inspired by our class book – A Story Like the Wind. We will use the core learning from our Science topic of 'Light' to create interesting characters and a short narrative. We will also spend time studying the works of Joseph Cornell, and using these to inspire 3D works of art.