



Year 6 Spring 2
Survival of the Fittest

Pride Time
N/A

Big Bang

Children will begin to look at evolution and DNA and will conduct a scientific experiment extracting DNA from a strawberry.

Learning Outside of the Classroom

Year 6 will build on their plant knowledge from Year 5 by planting in the school garden.

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English

This term, pupils will be revising the full EGPS curriculum for Year 5 and 6. They will then apply this knowledge to writing a story with a moral, describing characters, setting and atmosphere. After this, they will be writing a biography about Charles Darwin.

Maths

Pupils will be refining their times tables skills and ensuring they are confident applying them within their fractions, decimals and percentages. They will also develop their knowledge on shape, learning how to find the area of different shapes.

Science

This half term, the children will begin to learn about evolution. The children will build on their learning from Year 3 when they were taught about fossils. They will learn that fossils provide us with information about what animals looked like many years ago therefore providing us with evidence for evolution.

History

In History, we will be linking it to our Writing topic. The children will be learning what natural selection is and how the best adapted animals are more likely to survive. They will research different animals and how they have evolved over time.

Art/DT

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Music

This term, children will continue learning to play the ukuleles, developing skills including tuning, counting in time, playing chords and reading music with confidence.

Computing

In computing this term, children will be learning about HTML, exploring the Koder app interface, using HTML tags and creating web page structures.

R.E.

This term the children will be able to express ideas about how and why religions can help believers when times are hard. They will also be able to outline different religious beliefs about life after death and explain some similarities and differences between these.

P.E.

Tennis is the focus this term. Hand-eye coordination, balancing, hitting, aiming a ball will be practiced. Towards the end of the term, they will also be dancing.

Personal Development

This term the focus is on independence. Pupils will focus on resilience, money debt and well-being, and tolerance.

Core Books

