Summer Term in Year 6

KING'S HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Welcome back to school. We hope you had a lovely Easter break.
Please see below the details of what the children will be learning this term.
If you have any queries, please let us know via Class Dojo, or make an appointment at the office.
Thank you, Year 6

English

Rose Blanche by Ian McEwan

An exceptionally moving picture book in which the reader views the sorrow of war through a young girl's eyes. Rose Blanche discovers a concentration camp full of children in the forest near her home town and silently takes food to them for them for the remainder of the war.

The Final Year by Matt Goodfellow

The verse novel takes place over the course of Nate's final year at Primary school, a time of stress and change for many students. On top of this, Nate is frequently caring for his two younger brothers while grappling with the changing dynamics of his friendships.

Maths

Statistics - interpret and construct pie charts and line graphs and use these to solve problems

Geometry – properties of shapes, compare and classify geometric shapes based on their properties and sizes and find unknown angles in any triangles, quadrilaterals, and regular polygons

Geometry – position and direction, draw and translate simple shapes on the coordinate plane, and reflect them in the axes

Problem solving - use their knowledge of the order of operations to carry out calculations involving the four operations

PE

Athletics – Jumping, running and throwing skills

Rounders – focus on throwing, catching and striking a ball consistently as well as fielding, playing as a team.

Science

What light does – Focus on understanding how we see objects, how light travels and how shadows are formed. Children will recognise and explain why shadows have the same shape as the shadow that casts them.

Electricity: Changing Circuits – Understand how circuits work, recognise different components and explore the effects of varying the number of cells or voltage on circuit performance.

PSHE

Relationships
Changing Me

French

Family & a weekend with Friends

Computing

Online revision
Game Creator

RE

How do we express spiritual ideas through the arts? What is the spirit and what is spiritual through art. Stained glass windows, Poetry, Music, Architecture & Art.

Art

Graffiti *Street Art* - Artists – Banksy - Through sketching to develop ideas and techniques for art work comprising stylised graffiti/ street art.

Design Technology

Fashion and textiles - Design and make a drawstring bag using a range of stitching and techniques.

Geography:

Why is Fair Trade fair? Why Fair Trade is important and how it began.

History:

Mayan Civilisation Discover all about the Maya – a Stone Age civilisation in Central America, who lived from 2000 BC to around 1300 AD.

Music

- Playing a variety of instruments and singing as an ensemble.

Tuesday

Enrichment after school clubs:

Summer 1 – Board Games/Chess **Summer 2 – Enterprise (Dragon's Den)**

Wednesday

Homework needs to be returned to class teacher.

Friday

Both classes have PE. Please ensure your child comes dressed in their correct PE kit on Friday.

Friday

Spelling test and new homework given out.

Dates for your Diary:

SATs week:

Monday 11 May – English grammar, punctuation and spelling
Tuesday 12 May – English Reading
Wednesday 13 May – Mathematics (arithmetic and reasoning)
Thursday 14 May – Mathematics (reasoning)