

## Dates for your diaries

**Mon 11<sup>th</sup> - Thu 14<sup>th</sup> May** - SATs week.  
Please avoid taking holidays this week.

**Wed 20<sup>th</sup> May** - Year 6 Sports Day am

**HALF TERM** - 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>h</sup> May

**Mon 1st June** - INSET

**Tue 9<sup>th</sup> June** - Children's University graduation

**Wed 24<sup>th</sup> June** - Jack Riding Shield football tournament Y6 boys' football team (from 3:30) at GCCPS

**Tue 7<sup>th</sup> July** - Leavers' performance

**Tue 14<sup>th</sup> July** - Leavers' Mass 6pm  
The children should wear their white shirts and ties for this Mass

**Fri 17<sup>th</sup> July** - Finish for summer holiday at 1:30 pm.

Your children will be invited to a transition day sometime in the last term. These dates will be confirmed by the individual secondary schools.

# Year 6

## Summer

## Curriculum

## Newsletter

'...that they may have life and have it to the full.'

John 10:10



Come and See

Our topics this term are:

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| Witnesses        | ~ the children will investigate how God is active in each person.   |
| Healing          | ~ the children will learn about the sacrament of the sick   |
| Common Good      | ~ the children will explore how the common good is central to Catholic teaching and is intrinsically linked to social justice. We will be looking at the work of CAFOD. |
| Multi-Faith week | the children will be introduced to the Five Pillars of Islam  |

#### Summer Term 1<sup>st</sup> half

##### ENGLISH

Revision of reading and SPaG objectives  
The Giant's Necklace by Michael Morpurgo

Harry

##### MATHS

Revision of all topics for SATs

##### COMPUTING

The children will be continuing to develop their creative computing skills. COMP

##### SCIENCE

Animals including Humans - Children will study: how the heart and respiratory systems works; how exercise effects pulse rate and why exercise is beneficial to our health.

##### GEOGRAPHY

Where does our energy come from?  
Children will learn about the benefits and drawbacks of different energy sources.

##### MUSIC

Exploring rhythm and pulse using Charanga software program

##### RHSE

Journey in love - this is a Catholic Education program about relationships and human reproduction.

PE - Striking and fielding games.

Athletics.

Please ensure that your child wears the correct PE kit (yellow t-shirt, blue shorts and green school sweatshirt)

#### Summer Term 2<sup>nd</sup> half

##### ENGLISH

Harry Potter by J K Rowling

##### MATHS

Problem solving, number operations, shape and space, measure and Harry Potter maths

##### COMPUTING

Children will be developing their programming skills using BBC Micro:bits

##### SCIENCE

Electricity - children will investigate circuits and learn the symbols for each component.

##### HISTORY

The children will study the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor

##### RHSE

Continuation of relationship topic. What will change as we become more independent? How do friendships change as we grow?

Transition to high school

##### MFL

Continuing Spanish lessons - developing vocabulary and grammar