



## CURRICULUM FOCUS



Sum B 2018

Topic Title: Text Focus  
"They think it's all over; it is now!"

Year 6

### Aspects to be taught:

- Our topic this half term is called "They think it's all over; it is now!"
- In English we will continue to focus on accurate and ambitious use of grammar from the new National Curriculum. We will link our writing to a variety of sporting events and look to develop our understanding of them and write some stories using a variety of media.
- In Mathematics we will be preparing everyone for next year and introducing a range of topics focussing on developing our fluency, reasoning and problem-solving skills. We will also be applying our increasing mathematical problems in a range of situations.
- In Science we will be finding out about the classification of living things, including micro-organisms. We will learn about the standard system of classification first developed by Carl Linnaeus, choosing an animal and researching its classification. We will have the opportunity to design their own 'curious creature' and classify it based on its characteristics.
- In Geography we will use a range of geographical resources to give detailed descriptions and opinions of the characteristic features of a location linked to the Football World Cup in Russia.
- In RE we will continue to investigate the idea of Eternity. We will explore the definition of and popular ideas relating to the concept of eternity. We will compare concepts of eternity from both religious and non-religious worldviews.
- We will be preparing for our KS2 production by creating props and various aspects of the staging to give the most effective and positive impact.

### We would like you to:

- Help your child to continue to be independent with organising what they need in school and please ensure that your child has their PE kits in school.
- Read with your child, asking them questions to consolidate their understanding of the text, including their use of inference, E.g. "How is the character feeling?"
- Encourage your child/ren to take a quiz when they return to school to progress through the points and achieve certificates.
- Encourage your child/ren to practise their times tables every day.

### Key Dates:

- Monday 4 June 2018 – Half term begins
- Friday 8 June 2018 – Gentlemen in School morning
- Tuesday 12 June 2018 – Friday 15 June 2018 – KS2 residential
- Monday 18 June 2018 – Class photographs
- Friday 22 June 2018 – Sports Day
- Friday 29 June 2018 – School reports
- Monday 2 July 2018 – Open Evening (3:30 – 5:00)
- Tuesday 3 July 2018 – Year 6 Hinchingsbrooke School transition sports festival
- Wednesday 4 July 2018 – Year 6 transition – Hinchingsbrooke School and St Peters School
- Thursday 5 July 2018 – Year 6 transition – Hinchingsbrooke School and St Peters School
- Monday 9 July 2018 – KS2 Dress rehearsal

- Tuesday 10 July 2018 – KS2 Concert (6pm)
- Wednesday 11 July 2018 – KS2 Concert (6pm)
- Thursday 12 July 2018 – Parent/Carer Afternoon Tea
- Monday 16 July 2018 – Outstanding behaviour reward
- Tuesday 17 July 2018 – Year 6 Leavers' Disco (5.30pm – 6.30pm)
- Wednesday 18 July 2018 – Best you can be treat
- Thursday 19 July 2018 – Year 6 Leavers' assembly (9.15am)
- Thursday 19 July 2018 – Year 6 Leavers' and Parent/Carer lunch
- Friday 20 July 2018 – Prize Giving assembly (9.15am)
- Friday 20 July 2018 – Summer Term Closes