

Year 6 Curriculum Update

Term 4 Weeks 6-11



This update will be sent home to let you know what is happening in the Year 6 classes and to let you know how you can support your child at home.

Literacy

Students are continuing their Novel Study of Nevermoor. Whilst reading students will continue to

- read aloud to practice fluency. This is an important part of the development of reading comprehension.*
- explore literary terms and devices such as personification, metaphors, repetition and imagery*
- understand and apply new vocabulary*

During writing tasks students will focus on the features of a narrative. They will

- develop their understanding of the structure of a narrative text*
- write paragraphs and show a variety of sentence openings*
- use fronted adjectives, 'ing' verbs and adverbials*

In PhOr/MeS our focus continues to be Latin Morphology using SPEC - SPECT - SPIC meaning to see/observe. We will also complete a unit on homophones.

Numeracy

In Fractions, Decimals and Percentages, students are continuing to strengthen their understanding of how these different forms represent parts of a whole. They are converting between fractions, decimals and percentages to solve problems efficiently and applying this knowledge in real-world contexts. Students are also exploring equivalence and using the base-10 system to support their reasoning, accuracy and fluency when working with these representations.

In Operations, students are learning that different mathematical situations require different strategies and methods to solve them. They are applying their understanding of the properties of addition and subtraction, and using a range of strategies including partitioning, combining and comparing quantities. Students are developing flexible thinking by choosing efficient methods based on the numbers and operations involved,

and by recognising relationships between part-part-whole situations and equal group problems.

Humanities

Viva la revolution! In Humanities we will complete our study of the French Revolution.

Other - Respectful Relationships, P.E. & Circle Time

Students will continue undertaking units from Respectful relationships and most of our Circle Time work will revolve around change and transition to secondary school. Students will also be working on public speaking skills and delivery of their speeches at Graduation.

Learning at Home

Times table rockstars: <https://trockstars.com/>

Reading a novel and catching up on chapters from our novel study.

Reminders and Dates for the Calendar

Monday 17th November - Walkathon

Tuesday 27th November - Italian Day

Tuesday 9th December - Statewide Transition Day for Year 7 - Students attend their 2026 secondary school

Wednesday 10th December - Year 6 Graduation Ceremony 5.00 - 7.30pm

Tuesday 16th December - Big Day Out - Year 6 to Gumbaya World

Friday 19th December - Final day of school 2025. Dismissal at 1.30pm