

# YEAR 6 SPRING 2 CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

## Find out all about our Spring 2 Topics



Welcome to our Year 6 Spring 2 Term.

Term Dates: Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February to Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> April

Email Mrs Cawtherley on: [year6@stveronicas.co.uk](mailto:year6@stveronicas.co.uk) for any further information.

Don't forget: Year 6 have indoor PE on Wednesday afternoon, full indoor PE kits to be left in school.

Outdoor PE is on Friday afternoon; children are permitted to wear their outdoor PE kits to school on Fridays.

Year 6 SATs Boosters continue after school on Mondays from 3:15 to 4:30pm

There will also be some extra learning sessions for some pupils on alternate Wednesdays this term, pupils will be invited by letter.

### ENGLISH

In our English lessons this term, we will be focussing on a Detective Story called The London Eye Mystery by Siobhan Dowd. The children will be studying the genre of drama/detective writing and they will create their own short detective story.

Our grammar, punctuation and spelling will continue as normal and will have test week towards the end of term – dates to follow.

We will be linking our RE and English and looking at writing a newspaper report about the Easter Story.

### MATHS

In our Maths Lessons we will study the following:

Week 1: Decimals

Week 2: Fractions, decimals & percentages

Week 3: Fractions, decimals & percentages

Week 4: Area, Perimeter and Volume

Week 5: Area, Perimeter and Volume

Week 6: Statistics

### SCIENCE

Our Science topic this half term is Light.

Our lessons include:

- Light in straight lines
- Reflecting
- Our eyes
- Shadows
- Changing Light
- Assessment

### RE

In our RE sessions, we will be learning about 'Unity' and death and New Life focusing on the Bread of Life and its importance.

### PSHE

In our PSHE Sessions, we will be studying the topic of 'Rights and Responsibilities' where we will explore two sides to every story, Facebook friends and jobs and taxes.

### COMPUTING

Our Computing topic this term is: 'We are AI Developers' the children will explore and take part in blogging and they will gain some understanding of Social Media.

### GEOGRAPHY

Our Geography topic this term is North America, where the children will develop their knowledge and understanding of the continent of North America.

### DT

Our DT Topic is all about Structures. The children will be planning, creating and evaluating a Playground Structure. It will be made from materials such as lolly-pop sticks, straws, doweling, pipe cleaners and much more.

### MUSIC

Our Music lessons this term will focus around You've Got a Friend – The music of Carole King. The children will research the song and artist and appraise the song.

### PE

During our outdoor PE sessions, we will be working on Invasion Games and our indoor PE will be Creative games.