

# Oak Curriculum - Term 5

We are Authors:

Unit 1

How is language used to create suspense and tension?

As authors, we will be studying Shakespeare's 'Macbeth.' We will delve deeply into this story of ambition, treachery and the supernatural and focus on our writing pieces being exceptional!

Please don't read the story beforehand!

We are Historians

Unit 2

How has crime and punishments differed since the Roman era?

This fun and interesting unit allows us to study social British history. Y6 will learn about the different crime and punishments from the Anglo-Saxon times all the way to the 20<sup>th</sup> century. Our oracy and writing will be around arguing and persuading.

We are Daredevils:

Unit 3

How do we have the best time ever at camp?

This week away will see the children try new things, work well as a team and be independent adventurers. They will need to wash themselves, dress themselves and keep their rooms extremely tidy - daily room inspections will be happening!

## English

There will be a heavier focus on grammar and reading revision as we approach SATs - this is so the children feel confident and ready to answer the test questions.

We will be writing a number of short burst writes in our English and History units, which include writing to entertain, writing dialogue to move a plot forward, writing to argue and to persuade.

## Maths

We have now covered 90% of the Y6 curriculum and will spend this term revising. We will also learn more about algebra and reading data from pie charts.

We will have daily arithmetic practice as well as covering the topics we want to revisit to feel more secure.

There will also be opportunities for children going for greater depth to work through more challenging tasks.

## Key Events

- Maths, SPAG and Reading SATS boosters after school.
- PE on Tuesdays and Fridays
- SATs week: 11<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> May
- Y6 'SATs are over' afternoon on the REC. Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> May from 2pm. Parents/carers welcome.
- Camp - 18<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> May. Please pay final balance

Together, we learn, grow and flourish

