



**Welcome to
Year 6**

**Information Morning
2021-2022**

English Curriculum

Writing topics include:

- ▶ Poetry
- ▶ Different genres of fiction writing
- ▶ Journalistic writing
- ▶ Biography/ autobiography
- ▶ Persuasive writing
- ▶ A range of non-fiction
- ▶ *SPaG (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar)*



Maths Curriculum

- ▶ Calculations using mental and formal strategies – column, short/long multiplication and division.
- ▶ Decimals, fractions and percentages
- ▶ Ratio and proportion
- ▶ Algebra
- ▶ Converting measures and problem solving, volume
- ▶ Calculating the area of parallelograms and triangles
- ▶ Geometry – properties of shape including circles, position, direction and translation
- ▶ Statistics – line graphs/pie charts/ the mean

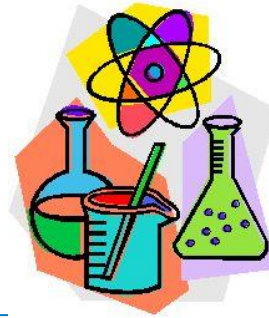




Computing

- ▶ Coding
- ▶ Online Safety
- ▶ Spreadsheets
- ▶ Blogging
- ▶ Text Adventures
- ▶ Networks
- ▶ Quizzing
- ▶ Understanding Binary

Science



- ▶ The human circulatory system and healthy living
- ▶ Light
- ▶ Evolution and Inheritance
- ▶ Living things and adaptation
- ▶ Electricity

Geography

- ▶ South America – The Amazon
- ▶ Global Warming
& climate change
- ▶ Our World in the Future

Also taught by Mrs Sharman and
Mrs Titley.

History

- ▶ Ancient Greece
- ▶ World War 2
- ▶ Black History
- ▶ The Mayans



Religious Education

▶ Buddhism

- Core beliefs
- Art



▶ Christianity

- Ultimate questions

▶ Inspirational People



Art and DT

Art

▶ Famous Artists

- William Morris
- Keith Haring



DT

- ▶ Textiles
- ▶ Loop games involving electricity
- ▶ Baking



PE



- ▶ Swimming (Autumn Term Only)
- ▶ Hockey
- ▶ Basketball
- ▶ Dance
- ▶ Fitness
- ▶ Tennis
- ▶ Athletics
- ▶ Cricket

French:

- ▶ Numbers
- ▶ Time
- ▶ Places and Animals
- ▶ Describing myself and others



Music:

- Beethoven
- Structure and Rhythms
- Performance



PSHE:

- ▶ **Being Me in my World- School community**
- ▶ **Celebrating difference**
- ▶ **Dreams and Goals**
- ▶ **Healthy Me**
- ▶ **Relationships**
- ▶ **Changing me**

Zones of Regulation

Home Learning

Home learning is given out on a Friday and is due in the following Thursday.

- ▶ Set on Google Classroom
- ▶ Spelling practise.
- ▶ Reading at least 3 times a week. Please sign the reading record after your child has read for at least 30 minutes.
- ▶ Maths

TTRockstars – for times tables practise.

Independent Learning

Parental support is vital to helping your child become an independent and proactive learner:

- ▶ Help them improve their time management skills
- ▶ Encourage them to check and improve their work
- ▶ Have high expectations of work presentation
- ▶ Have a quiet area and resources available to help them – thesaurus/dictionary/computers.
- ▶ Talk to your children about their learning.

SATS

Monday 9th May to Thursday 12th May

▶ Maths: 3 papers:

Arithmetic, Reasoning 1, Reasoning 2

▶ SPaG: 2 papers:

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

▶ Reading Comprehension

Trips

There will be a variety of trips/ visitors in school throughout the year.

Residential

- ▶ 20th -24th June 2022 (Deposit by 1st October)
- ▶ The Pleasaunce, Overstrand, Near Cromer, Norfolk
- ▶ <https://www.cehc.org.uk/centres/the-pleasaunce>
- ▶ Aylmerton Field Study Centre.

<https://www.afsc.co.uk/>

Sample Activities

▶ Team Building

Eg High ropes, Pirate boat water activity, 'Acid' river, shelter building.

Exploring a contrasting locality

- ▶ Exploring marsh, beach and estuary habitats
- ▶ Rock pooling, fossil collecting, beach combing, examining sea defences.
- ▶ Cromer- Church and lifeboat museum
- ▶ Swimming
- ▶ Disco
- ▶ Beach Games

Transition to Secondary School

- ▶ Question and answer session with Year 7s.
- ▶ Transition support with Tring Assistant Head
- ▶ Circle time visit by Tring teachers
- ▶ Whole day visit to Tring School to experience taster lessons in a range of subjects
- ▶ 1-2 day attendance at Secondary School (independently of Bishop Wood staff) usually in the last week of the summer term.