

P.E.	Cricket and Rounders Athletics – throwing, jumping and running
Music	Make you Feel my Love Reflect, Rewind and Replay
Computing	Spreadsheets and Bar-graphs
Design Technology	Design and make a Mayan backstrap loom
Art	An introduction to the artwork of the countries of Mesoamerica – Mexico and Central America. A study of Frederick Catherwood's drawings
PSCHE	With a view to the children moving on to their new schools, we will be trying to understand feelings about changes and relationships. We will learn how to help friends, how to forgive and how to handle loss as well as considering the different types of changes to come. Puberty and Sex Education
Geography	The geography of Central America with a specific focus on Mexico. How does both the physical and human geography compare and contrast with that of Dorset and the Jurassic Coast?
History	The Maya An introduction to the civilisation Maths and the calendar Religion

# Buckland Newton CE Primary School

Information for  
Summer Term 2018



Willow Class  
Year 6

# The Curriculum

English	<p><i>Fiction, Non-Fiction and Poetry</i></p> <p>Visual Literacy with a focus on quality picture books and short film</p> <p>Poems that tell a story – <i>The Highwayman</i> by Alfred Noyes</p> <p>Science Fiction – <i>Tales from Outer Suburbia</i> by Shaun Tan</p> <p>Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar revision</p> <p>Comprehension with a focus on deduction and inference</p>
Maths	<p><b>REVISION:</b> Number, place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division</p> <p>Fractions, decimals, percentages, ratios and scaling</p> <p>Shape, measures, statistics and algebra</p> <p>Problem solving and calculator skills</p> <p>Measuring ourselves and what's around us</p> <p>The History of Maths and Art in Maths</p>
Science	<p><i>The Biology of Animals and Humans</i></p> <p>The Heart, Circulation, The Lungs, Blood, The Effect of Exercise, Investigative work</p> <p><b>Plants</b></p> <p>Flowering Plants and Non-Flowering plants</p>
R.E.	<p>This term we will be focusing on Islam: identifying the ways in which Muslims try to lead good lives and their relevant beliefs. We will also try to understand different Muslim interpretations of Jihad and its links to getting to Heaven.</p>

Dear parents/carers,

Welcome back to school. I hope that you have had an enjoyable Easter break – it seems an awfully long time ago! The children are really rising to the continued challenges of Year 6 and coping admirably with the level and quantity of work.

Homework for Willow Class this term will return to the previous arrangement (the load is lightened post-SATs):

- 15 minutes reading daily.
- 30 minutes of English/Maths homework weekly
- Additional tasks as necessary

Please feel free to assist your child if required, but please initial the work so I know that some support has been given. Thank you.

P.E. will take place on Mondays when children will need suitable, outdoor PE kit. We are hoping for some stints of glorious weather too though so please keep PE kit in school all week! In addition to the Barton Hall residential trip, we have a Leavers' Service in Salisbury Cathedral and a day's sailing at the Weymouth Outdoor Education Centre to look forward to. In the meantime, if you have any queries or concerns about your child's education, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs R. Bond  
Willow Class Teacher