

# Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds!

As READERS we will be:

Clarifying new words, making predictions and summarising what we have read. We will also be asking and answering questions about our reading. We will be reading 'The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas' by John Boyne.

As WRITERS we will be:

Acquiring new vocabulary and learning how to use this effectively in our writing, learning to spell words from the 5/6 word lists and building on the range of punctuation that we can use accurately. We will be doing this in a range of contexts.

As MATHEMATICIANS we will be:

Covering a range of Maths units (algebra, shape, conversions, volume, percentages) in preparation for transition to Secondary School. There will also be weekly arithmetic test and TT rock stars will be used for homework and Y6 study club.

As SCIENTISTS we will be:

Learning about life-cycles in plants and animals including the human life-cycle. We will monitor and collect data relating to plant growth. The school nursing team will visit us to deliver sessions on how we are growing and changing.

## Year 6 Summer Term



As HISTORIANS we will be:

Researching the background and rise of concentration camps using primary resources such as Anne Franks Diary.

As DESIGNERS we will be:

Designing and making a healthy snack during our Healthy Lifestyles week.

In PE we will be:

Developing our skills in athletics in preparation for our Sports Day events. This term we will also be doing a 'steps' challenge—using pedometers to monitor and increase our levels of daily activity.

In PSHCE we will be:

Covering a Jigsaw unit entitled 'Changing Me' which includes discussions on transition to Secondary School.

As GEOGRAPHERS we will be:

Using our mapping skills to show land use in the local area. We will also be learning how to use 6 figure grid references to locate places and learning common map symbols to identify specific features.

As ARTISTS we will be:

focusing on developing our skills in observational drawing. Through our science work, we will be sketching a range of flowers and plants.

As MUSICIANS we will be:

Working towards our Y6 Summer production of 'Troy Story'.

As LINGUISTS we will be:

Learning to ask and answer questions in French, relating to how we travel to school and the weather.

In RE we will be:

Making connections between different features of religions, including celebrations, worship, pilgrimages and the rituals which mark birth, death and marriage.

In COMPUTING we will be:

Looking at e-safety lessons. We will continue to use ICT across the curriculum as a means of researching and presenting work in other subjects.

British Values themes/links will be:

Tolerance of other faiths and cultures.