



Newdigate Primary and Nursery School Year 6

Spring 1 Curriculum Letter

SUMMARY OF CURRICULUM OBJECTIVES. For your information we have outlined below the topics that will be covered this half term in Year 6.

<u>English</u>  The focus book will be The Adventures of Odysseus. From this we will be: • Writing a narrative about the adventures of Odysseus • Writing a letter in role as Odysseus • Writing a newspaper report about Odysseus' return.	<u>Maths</u> The focus will be: • Geometry—position and movement • Four operations (+ - x ÷) • Fractions, decimals and percentages • Ratio and proportion 
<u>Science</u> As Scientists, we will be looking at evolution and inheritance. Children will learn that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but that offspring normally vary and are not identical to their parents.	<u>Computing</u> Children will focus on algorithms using a program called Scratch.
<u>History/Geography</u> As historians, the children will be learning about Ancient Greece. We will be finding out key facts about the culture, physical geography and the impact of their civilisation on the 21st century. 	<u>Art/DT</u>  Our Art topic this half term is photography. Children will learn a range of photo editing and photography skills, and use these to produce art pieces.
<u>PE</u> In PE, the children will be developing dynamic balance and agility involving jumping and landing.	<u>Music</u>  As musicians, we will be learning about musical notation and using this to help us play the recorders.
<u>RE/PSHE</u> In these lessons we will be thinking about personal safety and the changing body. We will consider the risks of alcohol consumption, how to stay safe online and the changes that happen to our bodies during puberty.	
<u>French</u>  Children will be learning vocabulary related to healthy eating and keeping active. They will learn new words and phrases for foods and drinks, and be able to use these when describing healthy life choices.	Thank you for your continued support Year6NDG@welearn365.com