



YEAR 6

Summer Term 2026



Welcome to the Summer Term

We hope you all had a lovely Easter break.

Last term was a busy one with lots of activities, fun and learning and the summer term is set to be just as busy. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support throughout the term, especially to those who were able to join us on our class visits. We would also welcome any help with our out of school activities this term.

Special thanks to our PTA rep and all involved in organising the leavers' hoodies and yearbook for the children.

Best wishes, Mrs Gower and Ms Wagstaffe

Literacy in Year 6...

Throughout this term, we will continue to use class texts to develop our reading and writing skills. During the first half of the summer term, we will be focusing on 'Rose Blanche' and will be writing a war diary from the perspective of a child. In the second half of the term, we will be writing a poem based on the characters from 'Inside the Villains' as well as developing our speeches for the island wide Voice 21 competition.

Maths in Year 6...

In Maths this term, we will focus on geometry, covering shape, position and direction. We will also be working on themed projects, problem solving and consolidation. It is important for children to have a secure knowledge in number, such as quick mental recall of basic number facts and times tables. Please continue to support your child in reinforcing these skills at home. We will support this in school through continuing to practice our arithmetic and times tables skills, improving our accuracy, fluency and recall of mental and written methods of calculation.

Science in Year 6...

We will be learning about the human circulatory system and electricity. Science and PSHE will be closely linked this term as we are learning about how our bodies grow and change (a more detailed letter will be sent closer to the time).

Other subjects

Our topic this term we will be World War II. This will be linked to our literacy book 'Rose Blanche'. We will learn about all aspects of the war with particular focus on the German occupation of Jersey.

In French, we will be learning parts of the body and practising the 'avoir' verb, as well as revising holidays using 'aller'.

In ICT we will be using appropriate software to record our WW2 research.

In PE we will be receiving netball coaching from Jersey JETs and learning and practising our cricket skills.

General Information...

Our PE days will be on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Homework will be set on Mondays, due on Fridays.

Reading – Children should record when they read, the page numbers and a sentence about what they have read every day.

Spelling: 15 a week, taught on Monday and tested on Friday.

Times tables: Tested on Fridays.

Maths/English: A short weekly activity

Dates for your Diary

4th May – Bank Holiday

5th May – Trip to Maritime Museum

9th May – Liberation Day

18th May - National Curriculum Tests week

23rd May – Jump Jersey Afternoon

25th May – Bank Holiday

8th June - Yr6 Residential

June – Visit to Jersey War Tunnels (Date TBC)

19th June - Sponsored Walk

26th June - Sports Day

2nd & 3rd July – Transition Days

15th July – Leavers' Assembly

End of Term: Friday 17th July