

# Year 6 Advent 1 Newsletter



PE

Every Wednesday

Please remember your kit!

Key Dates

06.09.23 – Term begins

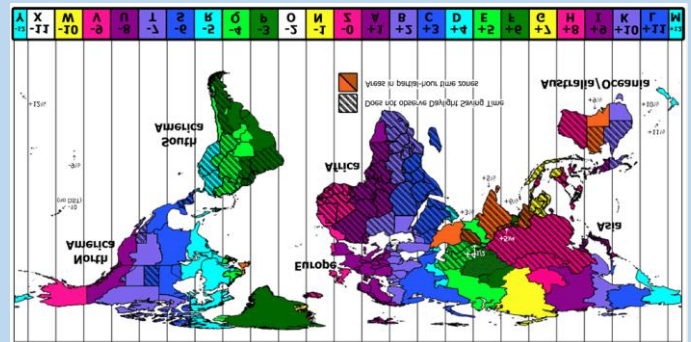
08.09.23- Start of Year Mass

20.10.23- End of Term

In Science, our topic is light. We will be developing our understanding how light travels and how we see objects with the use of light. Investigations will be carried out to understand more about shadows, concave and convex lenses and refraction. As part of our science studies, we will research the scientist, Ibn al-Haytham, who made the breakthrough with light and vision theory.



In our Geography topic this term, we will be looking at time zones. We will be discovering how longitude and latitude show the geographical position of an area. In addition to this, we will be studying scale on a map, researching water cycles and climate change. As part of our work on orienteering, we will be doing some exploring.



In Art we will be practising shading techniques and using tone in drawings to achieve depth. We will evaluate and analyse Creative work of surrealism art and create our own.

As part of our work on perspective, we will look at the horizon line and how the vanishing point is created from 2 and 3 point perspectives.

In RE this term we will be studying the following topics.

- Children will learn about the love and Care shown in the family
- God's love and care for every family



Belonging

- Children will learn about belonging to different groups
- That Baptism is an invitation to belong to God's family



In music, we will listen, review, and evaluate music from a range of historical periods, cultures, and traditions.

Perform together, following instructions that combine the musical elements.

Describe the structure of music in terms of Beginning, Middle, and End.

Use our skills to read from Staff Notation and read rhythm notation to play multiple different parts to the same piece.

Compose a short rhythm using the correct notation and play it with a range of pitches on a tuned instrument.

Describe how layering can be used to create music.,

In Maths this term we will begin our unit on Place Value of numbers up to 10,000,000 and we will secure our knowledge of rounding, comparing and ordering, and negative numbers.

In English our writing focus this term will be a descriptive setting narrative linked to The Letters from the Lighthouse. Our reading for pleasure text will be Goodnight Mr Tom.

Reading books and records to be sent in everyday please. Dojos awarded for 3 recorded 10 minute reads at home.