

CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

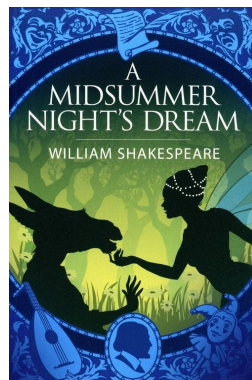
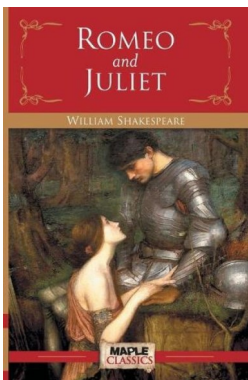
AUTUMN TERM 2 2025

This term in Year 6, your child will be participating in some exciting new learning. To get them ready for this and to support you in understanding some of what they will be learning at school, we have collated some ideas for you to enjoy together at home and out and about.

Topics we are learning about:

- Science - Classification
- History - Golden Age of Islam
- Reading and Writing - Macbeth
- Maths - Fractions
- DT - Building a Playground
- RE - What do religions look like around world?

Books to read/listen to and share:



Maths:

In this half term, Year 6 will be doing work on fractions. They will be recapping previous learning from previous year groups then furthering their knowledge on fractions. Furthermore, the children will be completing their tests the week beginning the 24th November 2026.

Things to create:

- Science - Make a classification key that can be used when looking at different organisms.
- Reading - Create an alternate book cover on Macbeth
- Writing - Write a sequel to Macbeth
- DT - Draw a blueprint for the 'perfect playground'.
- Maths - Create a piece of art work based on Fractions
- Maths - Create a poster that helps you to remember equivalent fractions

Places to visit:

- Science - The Science Museum
- Reading & Writing - The Globe Theatre
- DT - Visit a range of playgrounds
- Writing - Visit the theatre

Websites to explore

- [SATs Companion](#)
- [What is classification? – KS2 Science curriculum - BBC Bitesize](#)
- [MathsBot.com - Tools for Maths Teachers](#)
- [Topmarks – Free Interactive Learning Games, Maths Worksheets & Teaching Resources](#)

Research to carry out:

- **Science** - Research different groups of animals and why they are classified the way that they are.
- **History** - Research a famous individual from the Early Islamic era
- **Reading** - Research the life and times of William Shakespeare
- **Maths** - Do extra work on SATS Companion regarding Fractions
- **DT** - Research what is necessary to make the perfect playground

Key Vocabulary to learn:

- **Science** - classification, classify, grouping, animals, mammals, fish, reptiles, birds
- **Reading** - Shakespearean, Macbeth, playwright, play, The Globe, Elizabethan.
- **Maths** - Fraction, Numerator, Denominator, Divide, Division, Equivalent
- **History** - Silk Road, Trade, Baghdad

Important dates to remember:

Date	Event
Friday 14th November	MG Leonard Online Assembly
WB Monday 24th November	Test Week
Wednesday 26th November	Parents Evening
Thursday 27th November	Gurdwara Trip
Thursday 18th December	Macbeth - Young Shakespeare Company

