#### **Our Core Values**

Resilient, independent, cooperative, confident and kind learners

# Year 6 Spring 2

Our Motto

Have the Courage to Succeed

The Year 6s have an exciting curriculum planned for them this half term.

#### Music

As musicians, the children in 6ZW will continue playing ukulele with a specialist teacher from Stockport Music Service. Children in 6CM and 6JL will continue singing songs -linked to the 'You've Got a Friend in Me' and 'Happy' themes - and playing them on the glockenspiel.

# **History**

As historians, we will continue our understanding of World War 2, following on from the causes and focusing on how life changed for people in Britain during and after the war. We will also be conducting research into local history and discovering James Conway and the part he played as one of the Cockleshell Heroes in Operation Frankton.

# Computing

This half term, we will begin our blogging unit, where we will understand how and why we use online blogs, create our own blog and use the blog platform to comment on the blogs made by others in class.

## **French**

In French lessons we will be developing our vocabulary based around the family; we will learn the French for different family members and begin to use these in conversations and writing.

#### R.E

In RE, we will explore why Christians believe that Jesus was resurrected and the story around Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

#### ART

As artists, we will the fabric of nature by designing a repeating pattern in the style of William Morris using the rainforest as our inspiration.

# **English**

As readers, we will learn how to predict events and identify characters' feelings and emotions by studying sections of Romeo and Juliet.

As writers, we will use the famous Shakespearean story as inspiration to produce a crime scene investigation report and action narrative.

### **Mathematics**

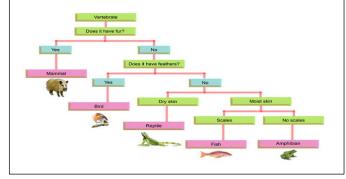
As mathematicians, we will be exploring how to find the area and perimeter of squares, rectangles, parallelograms and all triangles and discussing formulas to use. We will then focus on statistics; interpreting bar graphs, line graphs and pie charts. Then, we will investigate angles, including protractor use, and how to find angles using the different rules. Finally, we will explore translation, reflection and plotting co-ordinates in all 4 grid quadrants.

# Personal, Social & Health Education.

In PSHE, we will identify how we can be responsible citizens and understand the impact that stealing can have on others and local communities.

### **Science**

As scientists, we will describe how living things are classified into broad groups according to common observable characteristics and based on similarities and differences. We will also learn how to give reasons for classifying plants and animals based on specific characteristics.



#### P.E

In PE, we will focus on a variety of indoor and outdoor games to develop stamina, coordination, cooperation and tactics.

# Enrichment & special Events:

Thursday 7th<sup>th</sup> March 12<sup>th</sup>: World Book Day

March 11th 12th: Parents' Evening

# **Relentless Routines.**

PE: Friday for all year 6

Homework set on Monday and returned the following Monday.

Please encourage your child to read independently for 30 minutes every night. Reading records can be brought into school on any day, but please sign them once a week.