



Ashton Gate Primary School

'Rising High Together'

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Welcome to Term 6

We hope you had a lovely half term holiday and are ready for one final exciting term of Year 3. Term 6 looks set to be an extremely busy and fun term, including Forest School, Sports Day and transition activities to get ready for Year 4!

Our curriculum overview is available on our year page, and you can find details of what we will be learning about in each subject below.

A reminder to weather watch as Forest School trips are fast approaching. Please ensure that the children have the appropriate clothing for their allocated days– sun cream/hat/long sleeve top and trousers and waterproof coat and shoes. Class dates are listed below.

If you have any queries, we will be available on the back playground at the end of the school day and can be contacted by email. Our contact details are below and can also be found on the school website, so please do get in contact if you need to at any point.

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Newsletter



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Dates for your diary and special events:

Monday 1st June: First day of Term 6

Forest School dates:

Friday 5th June & Monday 8th June
(THIS IS THE FIRST FRIDAY AFTER HALF TERM): 3T

Friday 12th & Monday 15th June: 3CH

Friday 19th & Monday 22nd June: 3O

Tuesday 30th June & Friday 3rd July: 3R

Thursday 18th June: Ancient Roman Day

Tuesday 16th June: Class Photos

Wednesday 24th June: KS1 Sports Day

Thursday 25th June: KS2 Sports Day

Monday 29th June: INSET Day

Monday 13th July: Home Learning project due.

Thursday 16th July: Reports sent home

Tuesday 21st July: Last day of Term 6

Wednesday 22nd July: INSET Day

English

In our English lessons this term, we will be exploring Greek and Roman myths including *Theseus vs the Minotaur* and *Romulus and Remus*. We will also focus on the book, *How the Stars Came to Be* by Poonam Mistry. We will do some exciting writing linked to our reading including narratives describing exciting journeys and eerie atmospheres, diary entries and character comparisons.

Maths

During the first few weeks of term 6 we will be exploring the topic of Mass and Capacity. We will then be problem solving with money and moving on to interpreting graphs and pictograms in our statistics unit. Children will also be completing daily Number Sense sessions which focus on embedding times table facts into their long-term memory.



Geography

In Geography, we will be focusing on OS map skills and fieldwork as well as revisiting our learning from previous terms. One learning question this term will be: ***What's the area like just beyond the school?***

Science

We will consolidate our topic of ***Light*** this term before revisiting our learning on ***Rocks*** and ***Animals including Humans***.



PSHE

Our topic for this term is **Earth Care**. We will explore how clothes are made and how we can make sustainable choices for the environment.



Art and DT

This term the children will be using the art of Hannah Hoch as inspiration to create their own collages. **If you are able to donate any magazines for our art lessons, we would be very grateful.** For DT, we will also continue our learning from last term about pneumatics ahead of making pneumatic toys.

Music

We will finish our Year 3 recorder lessons this term. We would love to perform to parents & will be sending out a performance date soon!



History

This term, we will be finishing our learning about the Romans guided by our learning question, ***How did Britain change under Roman Rule?*** **On the 18th June, we will be having an Ancient Roman Day at School where we invite children to dress like a Roman if they would like to.**



French

In French lessons, children will start a topic called 'Eating Together' where they will learn new key vocabulary around food.

Supporting your child's learning at home

The most important thing you can do to support your child's learning to encourage them to read as much as possible. Please make a note of their reading in their reading records. The children will also have Spelling home learning. Please check the school website for details. Finally, please do remember to try Times Table Rockstars to expose the children to practising the 2, 5 and 10 times-tables. **Please note there is an optional Art home-learning project for this term.**

Religion and World Views

We will explore the question ***'Is scripture significant to religion?'*** This will be linked to ideas around whether some scriptures are both similar and different.

PE

This term, PE will be: **Rounders.**

Children will be able to play a simple rounders game, understanding and applying rules of the game.

Please see the website's Year 3 page for each classes PE days.



Computing

Children will learn how to stay safe online including rules of social media platforms.