

## **English**

The children will be writing for a range of purposes this term based around their theme, including narratives and non-fiction. They will also complete a range of activities based on the key text, 'Pig Heart Boy' by Malorie Blackman. Finally, the children will take part in a production, following a playscript.

## **Art and Design**

Focusing on Robert and Sonia Delaunay, the children will learn about abstraction and distortion before creating a musically-inspired, abstract painting. In the second half term, the children will develop their use of sketchbooks, creating observational drawing, mixed media collage and Pop Art.

## **Science**

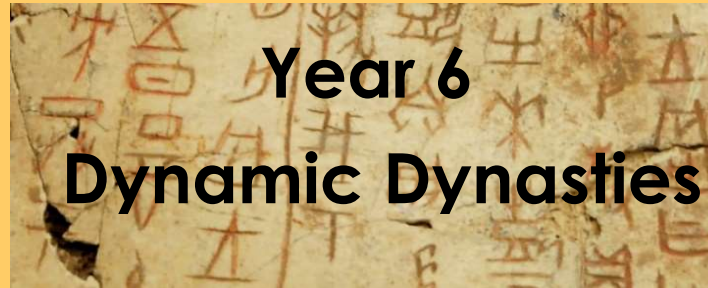
The children will focus on the circulatory system, learning about the heart, how blood pumps around our bodies as well as the main components of blood. They will also investigate whether those with lower resting heart rates can run faster, the effect of exercise on our heart rate. They will also learn about the impact of drugs and other substances on the way bodies function.

## **French**

The children will be learning about foods and drinks, including how to order these in a conversation. They will also learn about regional French foods.

## **History**

The children will learn about the history of Ancient China, focusing on the Shang Dynasty. They will use sources and artefacts to find out about the Shang Dynasty, learn about the importance of religion to the people and the significance of bronze. They will explore the social hierarchy and investigate why they were successful warriors. Finally, they will consider how it links to other Bronze Ages around the world and explain the legacy of Ancient China.



## **Design and Technology**

After exploring how pneumatics can create moving products, the children will design and create their own pneumatic prototype. They will also learn about processed and healthy food choices, planning and making meals as part of a healthy menu.

## **PE**

The children will be developing their athletic, striking and fielding skills.

## **RE**

The children will be studying aspects of Christianity and Humanism this term.

## **Maths**

This term, the children will be focusing on geometry (shape and position and direction) and algebra. They will continue to refine their arithmetic skills and will apply their mathematical learning to themed projects involving problem solving.

## **Geography**

The children will focus on human geography in the local area. They will learn about and conduct research and fieldwork in road safety and settlements, answering an enquiry question with evidence collected.

## **Computing**

The children will complete a unit called iApp, in which they will learn about the process of creating an app, including debugging.

## **PSHE**

Two separate units will be completed on 'Reproduction' and 'Moving On Up', which will focus on supporting the children's transition to High School.

## **Music**

The children will explore a range of musical styles whilst developing listening, singing, playing, composing and performing skills through two units entitled 'Using Chords and Structure' and 'Respecting Each Other through Composition'.