# **The Year Ahead**

# Year 6 2025-26

# **Our Class**

#### **STAFF**

- Class teacher: Miss Fuller
- Teaching Assistants: Mrs Croft and Mrs Newman
- PPA Cover: Mrs Croft will take Year 6 on a Tuesday afternoon to release Miss Fuller for her PPA time (Planning, Preparation and Assessment).
- PE coach: A Sports Coach through Kitteridge All Sports.

#### Children

30 pupils

# **Timetable and Curriculum**

- Mornings will generally be the same across the week. Reading skills and English followed by maths after breaktime.
- Afternoons vary from day to day:
  - Monday science + french
  - Tuesday computing + music
  - Wednesday PE + art
  - Thursday history + RE
  - Friday Forest School + life skills

## PE days

- We will have PE lessons on Wednesday afternoons with a Sports Coach from Kitteridge All Sports.
- Forest School will take place on Friday afternoons.

#### **Expectations & Behaviour**

- As the oldest pupils in school, we always expect our Year 6 pupils to be a role model to our younger pupils and to set a good example by always following the school's core values.
- As a class, we have discussed what they can do to make the most of their final year at All Saints.
- Children will be awarded merits for learning related achievements and house points for showing school values and following the school rules.
- We have introduced our new school rules: ready, respectful and safe. Children will receive praise and rewards to encourage and celebrate good behaviour.

# **Home learning**

#### **Maths and Grammar Home Learning**

- In year 6, we will be using the White Rose Maths home learning journals, which coincide with what we will be learning each week in class. On Fridays, I will post the page numbers on Google Classroom to ensure that the children know which pages to complete.
- Where appropriate, I will also upload an additional maths worksheet as well as a grammar worksheet.
- The children do not need to bring the home learning journals into school as we will not be marking them
  in class. However of course, if the children have any questions about an area in the home learning journal
  that they might have struggled with, they can come and find me during a breaktime at school.

#### **Times tables**

• I would encourage all children to keep on top of their times tables practice at home; if children can get a firm grasp of their times tables, this puts them in good stead for problem solving and many other areas of the maths curriculum. (It will also help them hugely for the maths arithmetic paper for the SATs). The children are very fortunate to each have their own log in for Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) which the school provides. It really is a fantastic resource – I'd encourage parents to have a look at it themselves and get to grips with how it works so that you can encourage your children on the app and see how they are getting on.

#### Reading

• Please do encourage your child to read for pleasure at home. Children need support to develop the habit and love of reading. If you can find time and space to hear stories and to read and talk informally about what you are all reading, this can make a big difference in children's pleasure in reading. Simply sharing some 'book chat' with your child can make a world of difference! If you have a membership with the local library, you can easily download the BorrowBox app, which has a huge range of eBooks and audiobooks that you can read / listen to for free.

## Offsite Visits/Experience sessions

We are very much looking forward to taking part in Young Voices in January 2026. Please encourage
children to listen to the music at home and familiarise themselves with the lyrics. Keep your eyes out for
emails relating to Young Voices with further information.

## **Keeping in Touch**

If you ever have queries or questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch:

- Telephone or email the school office and your message will be passed onto me promptly. (01279 836006 / (admin@allsaints.herts.sch.uk)
- Do feel free to pop your head in at the classroom door after school once I have dismissed the rest of the class.
- You could post a question into Google Classroom (although please bear in mind that we don't check this regularly and everybody in the class can see the posts).