

Year 6**Class Teacher's Guidance to Parents****Term 6 -Summer 2020**

<u>Science/ DT</u>	<u>Humanities/ Art and DT</u>	<u>RSE</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To finish off our Electricity topic from last term the children will be making their own moving car, along with the electrical circuit and remote control. This will incorporate a lot of DT too, as they will have to cut the pieces of wood to size and glue them in the correct places. In school we will be doing the weekly family science activities. These cover all aspects of science in both KS1 and KS2; I would expect Year 6 to have a very sound knowledge on all areas by now and so will be always looking at the higher level activities. 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Ancient Egypt</u></p> <p>The children will be starting our new topic of Ancient Egypt. As part of this topic they will be completing their own project. We will do some lessons on various topics and to start the project, but children will also be expected to do research and complete the rest of the topics themselves.</p> <p>The majority of our Art and DT projects will also stem from Ancient Egypt. The children will be making their own Egyptian god or large Egyptian figure, out of recycled objects, pva and tissue paper. We will also make our own death masks and finish off our sacred symbols that they started on our trip to the Tutankhamun exhibition.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>RSE</u></p> <p>This term we will be starting our Relationships and Sex Education topic. We use a scheme of work from TenTen, which has been written for Catholic primary schools, called Life to the Full. We will teach Relationships Education and Health Education within the context of a Christian understanding of human sexuality rooted in the wisdom and teaching of the Catholic Church. The programme includes teaching about personal health, physical and emotional wellbeing, strong emotions, private parts of the body, personal relationships, family structures, trusted adults, growing babies, puberty, periods, life cycles, the dangers of social media, where babies come from. The entire teaching is underpinned with a religious understanding that our deepest identity is as a child of God- created chosen and loved by God.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Music</u></p> <p>Mrs Carlton will continue to post on Edmodo the Whole school music for families. Children will be able to listen to difference types of music and sing along to hymns and songs she posts. In school we will look at these posts and play the songs together too.</p> <p>If you are in recorder group or ukulele club, look out for the tutorials and music in the group sections to keep practicing.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Computing</u></p> <p>As part of their own going project the children will be using power point and publisher, honing their skills.</p> <p>We will also continue to learn about excel, using formulas to link cells.</p> <p>We will also have time to do coding challenges on Tynker and Hour of Code websites.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Year 6 will do a variety of maths problems this term, as well as thinking about budgets and taking care of their own money, in preparation for secondary school.</p> <p>They can of course still go on Prodigy which recaps on all topics.</p>