

History

- We will be looking at historical evidence of changes in living things and evolution e.g. fossils

SPaG

- Revising and applying the spelling rules we have learnt throughout year 6 and previous years.
- Spelling synonyms of common words
- Use of brackets, ellipses, hyphens, colons and semicolons
- Word classes e.g. nouns/verbs/adjectives/pronouns etc.

Science

- Recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago.
- Recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents.
- Identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution.

Maths

- Converting between fractions, decimals and percentages
- Fractions and percentages of amounts
- Algebra

Year 6 Spring 2 Evolution

English

- Limericks
- Character profiles
- Playscripts
- Picture books

Art

- Collages
- Exploring texture and shape

RE

- Buddhism—the origins of the religion, the 4 Noble Truths, the Eightfold Path.
- Compare and contrast with other religions.

PE

- Tennis and racket sports
- Rounders and bat and ball sports



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Wider Life Opportunities

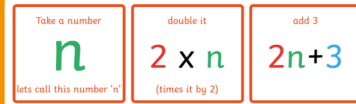
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Maths

- Equivalent fractions
- Fractions to decimals and percentages
- Ordering fractions and decimals
- Algebra—using letters to represent different amounts
- Times Tables

Learning Algebra

In algebra, a letter is used to represent an unknown number.



If 'n' was 4, then $2n+3 = 11$.
This is called an equation.

EQUIVALENCIES

PERCENTAGES <small>(out of one hundred)</small>	DECIMALS	FRACTIONS <small>simplify</small>
60%	= 0.6	= $\frac{60}{100} = \frac{3}{5}$
25%	= 0.25	= $\frac{25}{100} = \frac{1}{4}$
72%	= 0.72	= $\frac{72}{100} = \frac{18}{25}$

Annotations:
- A red arrow labeled "divide by 100" points from PERCENTAGES to DECIMALS.
- A green arrow labeled "write it as a fraction out of 100" points from DECIMALS to FRACTIONS.
- A green arrow labeled "simplify" points from FRACTIONS to the simplified fraction.

Key dates

- Monday 1st March—Book week
- Monday 1st March—secondary school placements
- Monday 8th March—Waste Week
- Wednesday 31st March—last day of term

English

- **Key Texts:** The Arrival
- Analysis of different styles of text, selecting key features from a diverse range of writing including poems and playscripts.
- **Guided Reading:** Studying character motives, discussing how author show characterisation, inferring, summarising and predicting skills, as well as expanding our vocabularies
- **SPaG:** Developing complex sentences using clauses, securing our punctuation, continuing our focus on rich vocabulary in context and revising homophones.

Key Vocabulary

variation	Habitat
fossils	Evidence
identical	Buddhism
evolution	Enlightenment
Offspring	Nirvana
genetics	Eightfold Path
adaptation	Siddhartha Gautama
environment	Immigration
inheritance	Democracy



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