

# Year 6 Parent/Carer Newsletter - Spring Half Term 1

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### Science

Our Science focus will be the classification of living things. We will be focusing in particular on Carl Linnaeus.

### Music

We will discover the music and life of George Gershwin. We will begin an introduction to Keyboard.

### French

We will look at a new unit of work entitled 'In My French House'.

### English

Linked to our new history topic on Ancient Greece, we will be writing a survival guide for Princes Ariadne on the Island of Naxos. We will also be writing Spartan-inspired survival stories describing the adventures of Spartan King Leonidis.

### Religious Education

We will look at how growing up brings responsibilities.

### Computing

We will be completing some 3D-Design challenges using a program called TinkerCAD.

### Mathematics

We will be focusing on fractions, decimals and percentages.

### PSHE

Sex & Relationships Education

### Fantastic Friday

We are continuing our work on our Social Enterprise partnership with Rethink Food and Asda.

We will also be taking part in some Drama activities and board game sessions.

### Geography

We will be studying the continent of North America; placing particular focus on biomes and the physical features of the continent.

### History

We will be studying the Ancient Greek civilisation including the rise of the city-states, comparison between Athens and Sparta and the legacy of Ancient Greece in the modern world.

### PE

Gymnastics  
Netball