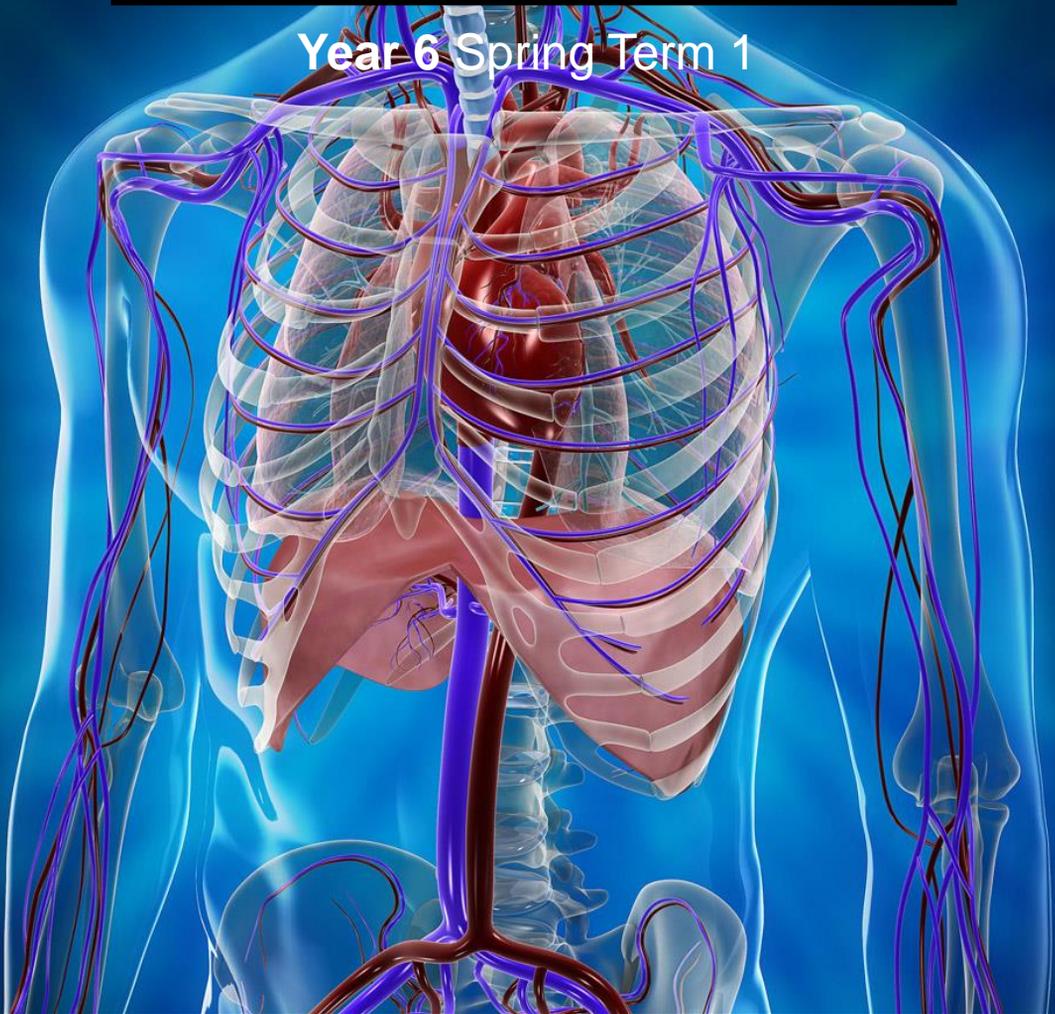


Year 6 Spring Term 1



What happens to your body when you exercise?

**Understanding the function of systems in
the body inc. the heart**

Anything that you can do to encourage your child's enjoyment
of this topic would be very helpful.

e.g. Research, books, visits, discussions

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How do electrical circuits work?

Create a variety of electrical circuits and understand how they work

Anything that you can do to encourage your child's enjoyment of this topic would be very helpful.

e.g. Research, books, visits, discussions

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Curriculum Information for the Spring Term

Spring Term

The Spring Term is has arrived already!
Here are some important dates:

- 11th Jan: Test Week 2
- 15th – 19th Feb: Mid-term break
- 15th Mar: STEM Week
- 29th Mar: School closes for Easter



TOPICS



1st Half-term: The Human Body

English	Character desc. Viewpoint Endings
Maths	Problem solving Decimals Shape
Science	The Human Body STEM week
P.E.	Team games
French	Meals



Year 6 KS2 Test Prep.

The spring term is when we really get stuck in to preparing for the Key Stage Two curriculum tests. We start to complete past papers for maths and reading on a weekly basis, and encourage the children to take their papers home to work on their gaps.

There are also two 'test weeks' where we enable the children to become familiar with the style and setting of the real tests.



2nd Half-term: Electricity

English	Explanation Diary entries Description
Maths	Algebra Statistics Problem solving
P.E.	Team games
Science	Electricity
Art	Related to 'Varmints' topic
French	In France

Reading

Children should be reading regularly (**at least** 3 times per week) and their reading record books should be signed weekly by an adult. Signed reading record books must be handed in each Monday morning.



Homework

English:

Given out on a Tuesday, due in on a Thursday (usually activities from CGP punctuation book).

Maths:

Given out on a Friday, due in on a Monday (usually from CGP maths book).

Spelling:

Words and a rule are given out on a Monday and tested on the following Monday.



P.E. & Games

Our P.E. slot is usually on a Tuesday afternoon and a Friday afternoon.

It is useful if the children keep their kit in school from Monday and take it home on Friday as sometimes our arrangements have to be changed. **PE requires a change of footwear into trainers.** Also, as the weather is still cold it is best to have something warm to wear.

* Whilst there are restrictions in place for COVID, children are required to wear kit for PE days.



Important notes

KS2 Test Week (SATs)
Commences 10th May

Please check the Year 6 section of the VLE - it is updated weekly!

Adventure Passport

In Year 6, we will be exploring the first 15 activities. We would like to encourage as many parents and carers as possible to attempt the five home activities. Children are encouraged to 'show and tell' these activities in class.

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Activity

	✓	Date:
1. What can you find in a forest?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
2. Go hiking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
3. Go to a theatre	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
4. Walk alongside a river	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
5. Write a speech	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
6. Vote in a school election	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
7. What would you see on a tour around Burbage?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
8. Interview someone	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
9. Who was Alexander Fleming?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
10. What materials can be used to make a mask?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
11. Write a weather report for your class	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
12. Build a tower and test its strength	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
13. Discover all about DNA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
14. Visit a city	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
15. Join an extra-curricular club	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
16. Explore inside a cave 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
17. Make something out of wood 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
18. Learn how to access the news 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
19. See the sunrise 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
20. See the sun set 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>