



Roby Park Half Term Curriculum Overview

Year 6 Spring 1 - 2015

English

- Michael Morpurgo is the featured author for year 6.
- Daily opportunities to improve reading skills will be provided across the curriculum in addition to focussed reading lessons to improve comprehension skills.
- Basic skills - grammar, spelling, punctuation and sentence structure are taught on a rota basis
- Writing - there will be a sharp focus on non-chronological reports which will use Science, History and RE topics the stimulus.

Physical Education

- Dance skills

French

- Basic French vocabulary
- Language of the classroom

Music

- Singing - on going skills during assemblies
- 'Exploring sound sources. Using ICT to produce a range of sounds

Science, History, Geography, Art, D&T and ICT

- **Science** - Evolution and Inheritance.(Part 2) How plants and animals have evolved over time and adapted to habitats
- **Art** - Collage using a variety of materials to create texture.
- **Computing** - computer coding
- **Geography**- Map skills. How to use grid references up to 6 figures
- **History** - Continuation of Crime of the broad trends of crime and punishment from the Tudors to the 21st Century
- **DT** - Textiles. Designing and making a bag (link to Judaism topic)

Mathematics

- Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division will be covered on a rolling programme using age related targets as appropriate.
- How to solve word problems using the most efficient method of calculation.
- Mental maths - teaching strategies for calculating efficiently
- Shape and Measure - Revision of time including 24 hour clocks, timetables and calendars
- Probability

PSHCE and RE

- **RE** Judaism

Homework

- **English/Maths:** Homework is set to consolidate skills taught in class. Sent out on a Friday to be returned the following Tuesday
- **Spellings:** A test each week and new spellings to be learnt given out on a Friday.
- **Reading:** To be practiced regularly. Books are changed when necessary.