



Year 6 – St Mary’s – Autumn Term 2017

Everyone at St Mary’s is supported, challenged and secure in a caring, Christian environment.

English Learning

Fiction texts – The Famous Five - Writing stories and poetry in the style of the author

Poetry – Love That Dog -narrative poetry, figurative language, writing in the style of various poets, project homework

Non-fiction – report writing on Canada (linked to geography)

Grammar, punctuation and spellings linked to the Year 6 curriculum

Topic Learning

History – The Mayan Civilisation

Geography - Canada: human and physical features, creating maps, researching provinces, GIS

PE – Team building, orienteering, bouldering, basketball, football, lacrosse, hockey

French – bodyparts, adjectives

Music – Exploring rhythms and tones using junk materials inspired by ‘Stomp!’

Art & D&T –Weaving

RE – Islam, Remembrance Day, Advent and Epiphany

Maths Learning

Number and Place Value – numbers up to 100,000,000

Calculation – Written and mental methods for all four operations, long multiplication, short and long division, percentage of a number

Fractions – adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing fractions, finding common denominators, equivalent fractions and decimals, percentages.

Measures – taught through other mathematical areas – area and perimeter, problem solving

Statistics – following a chosen line of enquiry and present data, read and interpret line graphs

Science

Light

Electricity

Working Scientifically

- Plan enquiries
- Make predictions
- Record data
- Report findings including conclusions

- How light travels
- How we see
- The eye
- Reflection
- Refraction
- Shadows

- Parallel circuits
- Series circuits
- Switches
- Symbols and diagrams

Supporting Learning At Home –

Read daily aloud or independently; Spelling homework; English homework; Maths homework