<u>Dean Gibson Catholic Primary School</u> Year 6 Eagles Class Spring 1 Newsletter



Curiosity, Diversity, Outdoors

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are writing to share with you an overview of the topics that your child will be learning this half of the Spring term in the Year 6 Eagles Class as well as some other important information.

At Dean Gibson, we value the important partnership between home and school. Please use the information below to support your child with their learning over the coming weeks.

Thank you for your continuing support,

Mr Ashburn

Below are the topics that we are going to be studying this half term:

Curriculum Overview Spring 1 Year 6 Eagles

Subjects	Eagles will be learning about	Subjects	Eagles will be learning about		
RE	Exploring the Mass	History	Viking Age		
	We will be learning about the structure of the mass and its significance.	History	-Who were the Vikings? -What did they believe? -Craftsmen and traders -Viking Raiders in Britain -Viking Settlers in Britain -Do the Vikings deserve their reputation?		

English	Floodland by Marcus Sedgwick We will be looking at Narrative devices to start with and then moving onto studying and writing Journalistic Reports.	Art/DT	Displacement We will be researching and reproducing artwork by Kurt Schwitters and Henri Matisse.		
Maths	Fractions, Ratio and Algebra	Music	Music We will be listening to, appraising and recreating some of Benjamin Britten's music.		
Science	Physics: Electricity We will be learning about electrical symbols and different types of circuit. We will learn about batteries and cells, series circuits, parallel circuits and electricity at home.	PE	Cricket Adam Hornby from Cumbria Cricket Association will be teaching us about the key cricket skills of throwing, catching, batting, bowling and fielding.		
Geography	On the Move We will be learning about: -What do we need to live? -Different types of migration -Migration in our local area	HRSE/PSHE Life to the full	Online Safety How can we stay safe online?		

Our Class Timetable

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Times	8:50- 8:55	8:55-9:15	9:15- 9:30	9:30-10:30	10:30-10:45	10:45- 11:00	11:00- 12:00	12. 00 - 12: 55	12:55 -1:10	1:10-2:00	2:10 - 2:20	2.20-3:10	3:00-3:20	3.20
Monday	Register	Whole School Prayer and Liturgy	Punctuation & Grammar	English	English	Spelling & Handwriting	Maths		Read	Science	Run	Science	Picture News	
Tuesday	Register	Intervention	Punctuation & Grammar	English		Spelling & Handwriting	Maths		Read	RE	Run	RE	Storytime	
Wednesday	Register	Wednesday Word Singing Assembly	Punctuation & Grammar	English	Break	Spelling & Handwriting	Maths	Lunch	Read	Geography	Run	PE	Storytime	Home Time
Thursday	Register	Intervention	Punctuation & Grammar	English (VIPERS Reading)		Spelling & Handwriting	Maths		Read	D&T		PE	Storytime	T
Friday	Register	Computing		History		Spanish	Maths		Read	Art		Music	Celebration Assembly	

Other Notes:

- Please could your child have a reading book for their quiet reading session after lunch. This could be a book from home if desired.
- PE will be on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please could children have an outdoor PE kit on these days.
- SATs revision homework books will be sent home soon. Please complete each week.