#### <u>English</u>

Children will be taking their Year 6 National SATs tests in May so are working hard towards them. The topics/units for literacy this term are poetry, story writing, recount as well as an in-depth reading & writing unit on 'Kensuke's Kingdom' by Michael Morpurgo.

We will continue to revise spelling patterns and spelling rules for Year 6. Children will have separate spelling and grammar lessons alongside their literacy lessons.

We will also be doing some writing for assessment towards their SATs focusing on the new inter-frame work for Literacy.

You are expected to share a book with your child every day and sign their reading record at least once a week. We encourage you to take your child to the library and share books regularly with **them**.

## <u>Topic</u>

This term we will be teaching about the Kingdom of Benin, how the civilization was ruled and the religious beliefs of Benin.

### Science

Children will be looking at the topic of Micro-organisms, learning about how microbes are living organisms which can be useful as well as harmful. Children will be focussing on their scientific enquiry skills. <u>PE</u> Pupils will be developing skills in athletics such as throwing, running & relaying. P.E days are on a Friday for both classes.

### <u>Art/D&T</u>

Children will be developing their design & technology skills, helping make scenery & props for our end of year production of 'Peter Pan'.

# Year 6 Summer Term Curriculum Map

<u>School Trips</u> Chessington World of Adventures <u>Special Days/</u> <u>Class Assemblies</u> Production of 'Peter Pan'. <u>Homework</u> Homework to be given out on a Friday and must be returned first thing on a Monday morning.

# <u>Music</u>

Children will be experiencing music activities from playing to composing as well as learning songs for their school production.

## <u>PSHE</u>

Children will be preparing for the transition to secondary school.

## <u>Maths</u>

Children will be taking their Maths Year 6 National SATs tests in May so are working hard towards them The topics for Maths this half term are calculations, fractions (including decimals & percentages) and area and perimeter of compound shapes.

Children will also be tested on their mental maths skills and times tables.

Maths focus tests will be carried out every Monday. Children will be given a maths skill/topic to revise and practise each week.

A focus this term will be on problem solving. Maths challenges will be given weekly for children to try and develop a systematic way of working through problems.