



English

We will read a variety of texts and genres in lessons and use these to support our writing.

In group reading, we will concentrate revising a range of skills that will support their ability to respond to varied questions in reading comprehension papers. We will particularly focus on deduction and inference with, 'What do you think...' and 'explain what the writer meant by...' style questions.

In addition, there will be discrete teaching of grammar and punctuation in preparation for the SATs. We will be learning different

RE

The Come and See topics for this term are: Loving, Vocation and Commitment and Expectations The parent information leaflet explains more about the topics. Faith week this term is on Sikhism and the children will visit the Gurdwara in Hounslow as part of

Music

We will be developing our music through listening and appreciating a variety of musical songs and composition throughout the ages. We will continue to learn to perform singing in a large choir format at the Christmas service.

Physical Education

The children will build upon, and develop further, their hockey on Monday, delivered by outside coaches.

They will also have specialist coaching on a Thursday with Mr Seuke.

Science

We will be carrying out mini- investigations and exploring the skills of interpretation, prediction, results, analysis, conclusion in order to carry out investigations. Preparation and revision for the NC Tests.

Art/DT

We will be developing our drawing and painting skills with sketching (focussing on proportion and shading) also through our study of Impressionist artists. In DT, our designing and making skills will be developed through our Ancient Greece topic.

History/Geography

Ancient Greece and its civilisation will be the main history topic.

We will be learning about aspects of an Alpine region, both the human and physical features.

Mathematics

In Year 6, we will focus on efficient methods and strategies in calculations, problem solving involving numbers, money and measures, including finding the difference between a positive and a negative integer, using decimal notation, estimation, perimeter/area, deriving multiplication and division facts involving decimals. We will also be explaining reasons and conclusions orally and on paper, using words, diagrams, symbols.

Homework

Monday: English or R.E. or Humanities/Practise spellings and times tables

Tuesday: Written reading comprehension/Practise spellings and times tables

Wednesday: Written reading comprehension/Practise spellings and times tables

Thursday: Spelling rule investigation

Friday: Maths/Science/Practise spellings and times tables.

Reading should be encouraged every day if possible.

Computing

We will be exploring different ways of modifying digital images to produce a collage of ourselves. We will continue our coding work in Scratch but also start looking at Kodu for game design. Through the creation of promotional flyers, we will be informing other year groups in the school on the importance of online Safety.

EPR

We will be discussing our feelings and relationships with others and considering new responsibilities.

We will discuss the core 'Value of the month':

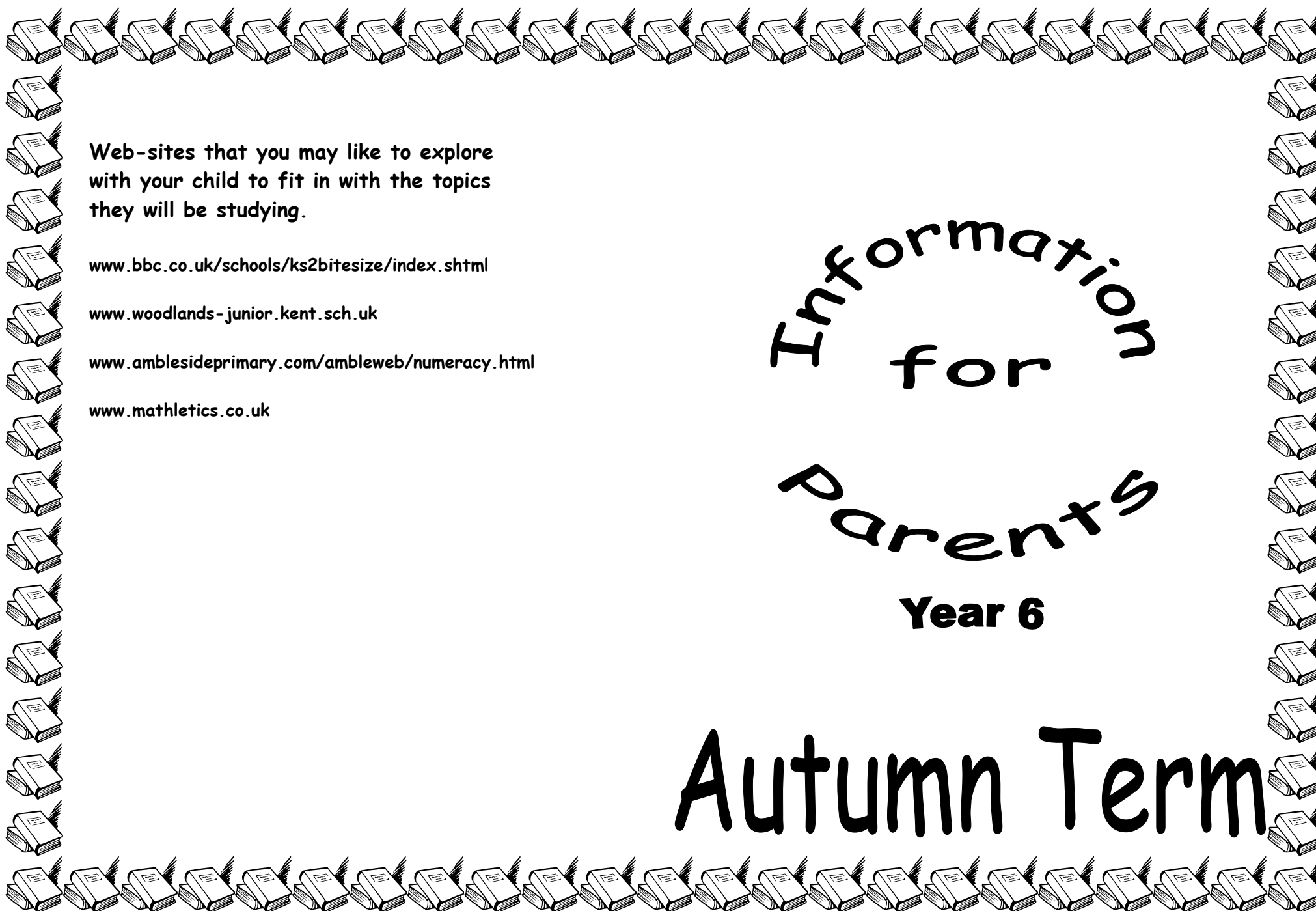
September: Respect

October: Happiness

November: Unity

December: Love



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Web-sites that you may like to explore
with your child to fit in with the topics
they will be studying.

www.bbc.co.uk/schools/ks2bitesize/index.shtml

www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk

www.amblesideprimary.com/ambleweb/numeracy.html

www.mathletics.co.uk

Information
for

Parents

Year 6

Autumn Term