



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the new school year.

Please read below for some important information regarding your child's class. On the reverse side of this sheet you will see an outline of the learning that the classes will be covering in the Autumn Term.

### **Virtual Meet the Teacher**

There will be an opportunity for you to meet your child's new teacher via Zoom.

The meeting will take place on **Monday 14th September at 6pm**

You will receive an email with the details with the meeting ID and Zoom invite.

At the meeting we will discuss:

- Year 6 expectations
- Year 6 Curriculum (as outlined in this information)
- Changes to Year 6 for this academic year
- Secondary School Transfer
- SATs arrangements as known up to this point

### **Our PE days are:**

**Anning:** Monday and Friday

**Hawking:** Thursday and Friday

**Turing:** Wednesday and Friday

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing their PE kit on PE days and bear in mind that most PE sessions will be outside. Your child will need a pair of trainers please.

### **Homework and Reading**

Homework will be sent via email each **Friday** and needs to be completed by **Wednesday** each week. This will include spellings, Maths Whizz and times tables practice. Children will also receive a project linked to their topic each term.

Each child will be able to access reading books appropriate to their age and stage of reading through the Oxford Primary website and resources. Parents will receive login details and further information to access the site by Friday 18th September 2020. Once the site is up and running parents will be made aware of how to change and access children's books. We appreciate your support in encouraging your child to read regularly and complete their homework.

### **Virtual Sharing Assembly**

Assemblies will be performed in school as normal but parents will not be allowed to attend at this time. The performance will be recorded and emailed to parents in the relevant class.

**Hawking** – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2020

**Anning** - Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2020

**Turing** – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2020

## Curriculum

This term we will be covering the following:

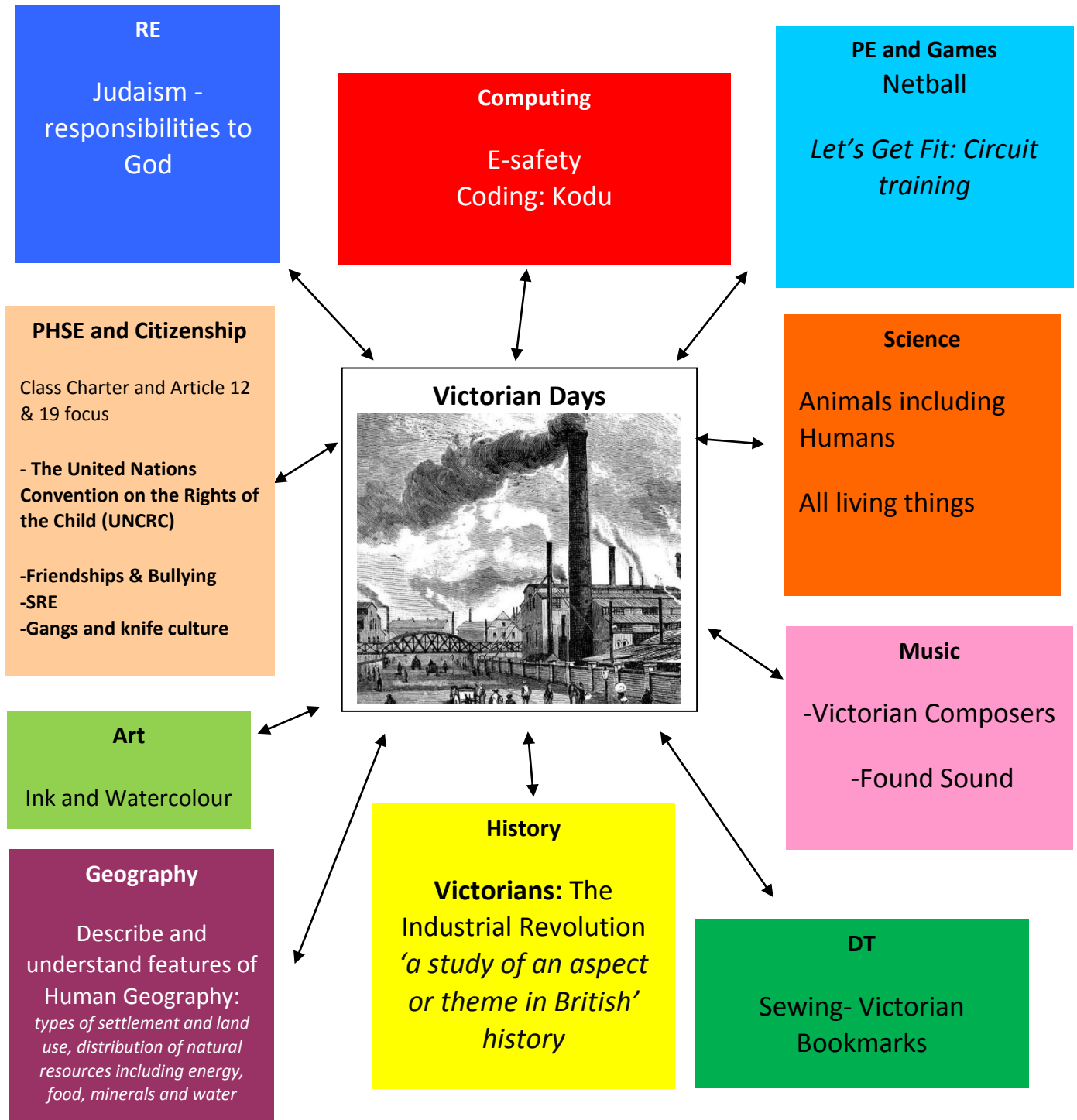
## Maths

We will continue to follow scheme of learning set out by whiterose

Year 6												
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week 12
Autumn	Number: Place Value		Number: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division					Number: Fractions				Geometry: Position and Direction

## English

Autumn Term Victorians: The Industrial Revolution	Writing Outcomes	Grammar and Punctuation	Spelling Covered
Street Child	Diary	<i>Adverbials to link phrases, relative clauses, commas for parenthesis</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 5 revision</li> <li>Suffixes 'ite' 'ate' 'tion' 'ley'</li> <li>Double consonant after short vowel</li> <li>Technical vocabulary</li> <li>'i' before 'e' except after 'c'</li> </ul>
	Newspaper	<i>Rhetorical questions, paragraphs for cohesion, dashes for parenthesis</i>	
Marshall Taylor	Biography	<i>Conjunctions to build cohesion, developing technical language</i>	
Victorians	Information Text	<i>Developing technical language: Use of abstract and specific nouns to expand sentences</i>	
Benjamin Zephaniah (poetry)	Poetry	<i>Simile, Metaphor, Personification, Repetition for effect</i>	
Oliver Twist	Historical Narrative	<i>Subordinate clauses to build cohesion, use of register to show shift in formality</i>	
	Balanced Argument	<i>Modal verbs, adverbs, conjunctions to build cohesion, use of semi-colon to separate clauses</i>	



**Term dates**

Year 6 children break up for half term at 2:15pm on Friday 23rd October. Children return to school on Tuesday 3rd November. They break up for the End of Term at 2:15pm on Friday 18th December.

**Other dates for your diary**

**Outdoor Day** – Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September

**Virtual Parents' Evening** – Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November (*information to follow*)

**Virtual work week** – Wk Beg: 16<sup>th</sup> November 2020

**Home to school contact:**

The Millfields Mag is sent via email each Friday. Please read it with your child so that you can keep up to date with what is happening at school.

If you have any questions about your child's learning or any aspect of school life please see the class teacher in the playground after school, e-mail: [info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk) and your query will be answered centrally or passed on the relevant person.

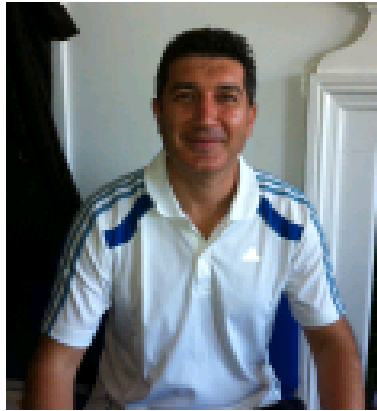
Thank you for all of your ongoing support currently to help keep our school safe, secure and open.

Kind Regards

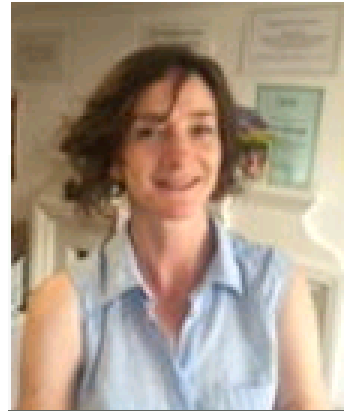
Year 6 Class Teachers



**Emily**  
Turing Class



**Mehmet**  
Hawking Class



**Judyann**  
Anning Class