

# Our Year 6 Spring Term 2 Learning Journey – 5 weeks

The Big Picture - An overview of this term's knowledge and skills; outlining curriculum principles, opportunities for cross curricular links and celebrating our learning

## Collective Worship

We will be focusing on Justice and recognising what is fair, standing up for others and act in ways that reflects God's care for everyone.  
**'Learn to do right. Seek justice.'** Isaiah 1:17

## British Values and PSHE

Healthy Me – exploring how to stay healthy and making healthy choices. Staying safe on the roads and online. Taking responsibility for my own physical and emotional health, being a school citizen, rights, responsibilities & democracy, rewards & consequences

## Forces for Positive Change

Learning has a clear purpose and relevance to our lives and environment; children are inspired to have an impact on the world and become forces for positive change.

## Values and Ethos

Emotional Intelligence; Love for learning and collaboration; Care for the environment and community; Developing resilience when faced with new challenges using 'I can't do it as yet'

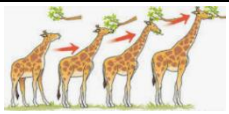
## Celebrations:

PTA Bacon Bar Week – 2<sup>nd</sup> March onwards  
 World Book Day – 6<sup>th</sup> March  
 Science Week – 9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> March  
 STEM Exhibition – 13<sup>th</sup> March  
 Easter Passion Service – 26<sup>th</sup> March

## Trips:

London Philharmonic Orchestra – 23<sup>rd</sup> March  
 Cineworld – 24<sup>th</sup> March

## Adaptation



## RE:

### Christianity

**BQ: How does the Christian festival of Easter offer hope?**

- How do Christians believe the Easter Story helps people to understand the meaning of forgiveness?
- How does Jesus' journey to the cross, offer signs of hope to a Christian?
- How does the Easter story relate to God's plan of salvation?
- How do the resurrection narratives point towards an understanding of Christian hope?

## Maths:

### Measurement:

- Metric
- Imperial
- Area and perimeter
- Volume

### Ratio and proportion:

- Ratio
- Scale drawing / factors

## English: Dragon Poetry, Superheroes

### Writing:

- Poetry – Free Verse
- Journalistic Writing
- Sci-fi using flashbacks
- Diary recount

### Grammar:

- Modal verbs
- Relative pronouns
- Possessive pronouns / determiners
- Determiners
- Active and passive
- Adverbs

### Spelling

- Year 5/6 Words
- Words with origins in other countries and languages
- Words with unstressed vowel sounds
- -cial
- -ent

## Humanities - Geography:

### Ethiopia

- Diverse Ethiopia
- What is it like to live in Ethiopia now?
- Some challenges in Ethiopia
- Biomes and agriculture in Ethiopia
- Energy: Is hydro-electric electricity the answer?
- Climate change in Ethiopia

## Science:

### Evolution and inheritance

- What is variation?
- Why do adaptations matter?
- What are some animal adaptations?
- How do plants adapt?
- What can fossils reveal?
- Who are key figures in evolution?

## DT: Electrical mechanisms, circuits & switches

- Building a steady hand machine

## Computing: Film-making

- Using Canva

### Spreadsheets

- Data and formulas
- Calculations
- Problem solving
- Budget
- Design

## Music:

- YuStudio – composition
- Reggae
- Easter songs

## PE:

- Gymnastics – rivers and mountains
- Net and ball games - volleyball

## Spanish:

At what time?

- Five-minute intervals
- At the hotel / airport
- How often?