



Year 6 Newsletter

**Summer 2
2025**

We are now in the final eight weeks of Year 6. Sadly, your child's time at Wembley Primary School is coming to an end. We hope that these final weeks will be memorable for your child as they prepare for transitioning to high school. In these last weeks, we want to ensure the children's final assessments show a true reflection of their ability. We will also be organising fun activities, which will build their confidence and prepare them for the future. We wish them the best of luck for their time at secondary school.

English

Please ensure your child reads for 30 minutes every day and the book they choose is challenging, especially in terms of language.

In English lessons this half term, your child will be focusing on *Letters from the Lighthouse* by Emma Carroll, which links directly to our current History topic on World War II. By exploring the experiences of wartime evacuees within the novel, children will develop their independent writing in preparation for secondary school through the drafting and editing process.

Science

children will be applying their scientific knowledge to themed Biology projects exploring the fascinating concepts of variation, adaptations, and fossils. By developing their analytical and investigative skills through these topics, these projects will greatly support your child's upcoming transition to secondary school.

PSHE

This term in PSHE, students will take part in lessons designed to support their transition to secondary school and help them confidently navigate the upcoming changes.

Computing

This unit explores the concept of variables in programming through games in 'Scratch'. Over the unit, children will create a game using variables to keep score. They will start by using and modifying an existing game before designing and creating their own.

What's The Crime Mr Wolf Production

6W and 6P - 9th July

6S and 6F - 7th July

Year 6 Disco

15th July

Sports Day

19th June

Art and DT

This term in Art, we will be recreating famous paintings, focussing closely on movement and form. In Design Technology, our focus will be on Food Tech, where the children will develop their practical kitchen skills and independence by baking their own muffins.

Destination Reader

We will be reading 'Letters From A lighthouse' by Emma Carroll. We will delve into a deeper understanding of the English language, focusing on improving our vocabulary and exploring origins of words.

Maths

This half term we will be ensuring your child is secure in the key areas of maths, which they will need as they go on to secondary school: number and place value, fractions, decimals and percentages, ratio and proportion, measurement and calculations.

We will be carrying out maths investigations which will require the children to use and apply their mathematical knowledge.

Please ensure your child is accessing Times Tables Rockstars in order to improve their rapid recall of multiplication and division facts.

History

The children will identify the causes of World War 2. They will identify the phases of the Battle of Britain. They will use different sources to find out what life was like for children and women.



PE

Your child will have the opportunity to participate in athletics and compete in Sports Day (more details to follow).

If you wish to discuss your child's progress an appointment can be made with us. Please let us know the day before. We are available at the end of the school day at 3.30pm for short discussions.

Thank you - Ms. Hide 6W Mrs Mentore 6P Miss Khatun-Ali 6S Mr Fossett 6F