

English

- Creating information pages about different periods in history.
- Writing a story with a crime setting.
- Writing a crime Report.
- Poetry.

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- **Year 5** : Ourselves, Life Choices, Hope.
- **Year 6** : Loving, Vocation & Commitment, Expectations.

Maths

- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division

PE

- Fitness (circuit training)
- Team work skills (marking & movement)

History & Geography

- Exploring the key time periods in British History and how they have impacted our lives today.
- Use a variety of sources to discover how changes in society create changes in the kind of crimes that are committed, as well as the ways in which they are punished.

Year 5/6 Who are we?



Art/DT

- Self portraits
- Design a police uniform.
- Explore how to use shading, pattern and texture to create effective illustrations.

Science

- Investigating how the police use forensics and DNA to solve crimes.
- Electricity linked to the electric chair as a form of punishment.

Italian

- Transport
- Tour of Italy
- The verb 'to do'

Music

- Matching music styles to times in history.
- Creating a musical motif for a character in a crime story.

Computing

- Using the internet to research.
- Basic word processing skills.

Reminders and additional information

Year 5 and 6 - Autumn Term

PE days are:

St Kateri (Year 5) - Tuesday & Thursday

St Josephine (Year 6) - Wednesday & Friday

Please remember to send your child to school in their full PE kit on the correct days, as above. St Mary's PE kit is a purple t-shirt and black shorts, in colder weather children may wear black leggings or jogging bottoms and their school jumper, plimsolls or black trainers are acceptable. PE is currently being taught outside and will be for the foreseeable future.

Reading Diaries should be brought into school each day. Children should record in their reading diaries each time they read at home, they will then be able to move up the reading challenge on display in class. We encourage children to try to read at home at least 3 times a week.

In the next week your child will bring home a log in for TT Rock Stars and one for spelling shed. Please encourage your child to log in to each of these sites at least once a week.



The Big Picture

We will be learning about who we are in history. We will look at significant events and people from the past who have made an impact on modern life. We will be exploring the vocabulary related to history.

We will also be looking in detail at how changes in society create changes in the kind of crimes that are committed, as well as the ways in which they are punished.