

# Spring in Year 6

## English

### Birdsong

We will be reading Birdsong and using this as a stimulus for writing:

- A narrative prequel
- Setting and character descriptions
- A biography



We are reading...

## Maths

### Fractions/Percentages/Decimals:

Order, simplify and compare fractions, including those greater than one

Recall equivalence between common fractions and decimals

Add and subtract fractions

Represent multiplication involving fractions

Represent multiplication involving fractions

Multiply two proper fractions

Calculate the mean

Calculate and compare percentages of amounts

## Science

### Light

During this topic, we will learn how light travels and how shadows are formed. We will create our own investigations to discover how light travels and how we can see things.

### Our grammar focus will be:

- Use of the semi-colon, colon and dash to mark the boundary between independent clauses
- Layout devices [for example, headings, sub-headings]
- How hyphens can be used to avoid ambiguity
- The difference between structures typical of informal speech and structures appropriate for formal speech and writing
- Recap of previous KS2 grammar.

## LUNAR

### The Stone Age

Year 6 study the Stone Age as it is the furthest point back in time on our History curriculum. We will be exploring the following:

What impact did the shift from hunter gatherer to nomads and agricultural settlements have on our world? .

How do we know about the Stone Age people and how they lived?

Why did Stone Age people make art and how?

How did Stone Age people come to be on the earth in the first place?