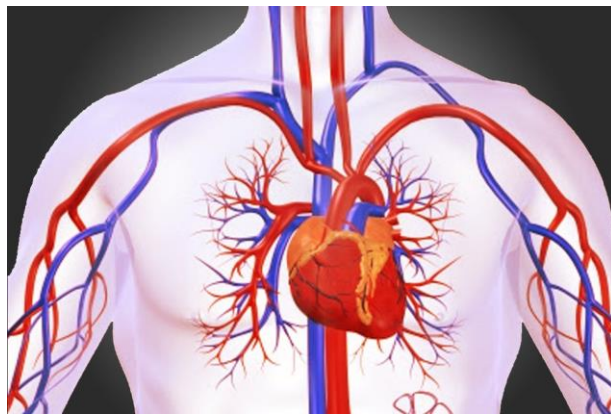




Heart Beat



Maths – Multiplication and division of fractions, volume, percentages and statistics

English – Discussion text and narrative

Science – Circulatory system, functions of the heart and blood and components of a healthy lifestyle

History – How views change over time

Computing – Data and information, Spreadsheets

PE – Basketball and Yoga

RE – Identity and belonging

D&T – Food

RSHE – Healthy Me

French - Habitats

Year 6

Spring 2 2022

Glossary

The key words we will need to be able to use,
in both discussion and in our writing:

Word	Definition
heart	
veins	
arteries	
capillaries	
blood	
pulse	
beats	
oxygen	
carbon dioxide	
nutrients	
organs	
drugs	
medicines	
minerals	
vitamins	
lungs	
caffeine	
medical	
legal	
illegal	

Please help your child to complete the glossary and be able to use and spell the words. Feel free to add any additional topic related vocabulary that you think of.

During Spring 2, your child will be studying subjects under the theme of 'Heart Beat'

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We hope to be taking part in a series of exciting activities, which include:

- Investigating the effects of exercise on the aerobic system
- Looking at the impact of diet on a healthy body
- Studying and recreating the human form through art/printing
- Recognising that care needs to be taken with medicines and that they can be dangerous and identifying some harmful effects of drugs
- Explaining how ideas about smoking have changed over time

Your child needs your help and involvement.

Please get involved by:

- Your continued (and much appreciated) support with remote learning tasks
- Take your child to the library (when they are open again!) & get books and resources about the topic
- Use the internet to research facts about the human body
- Keep an exercise and food diary throughout the holidays
- Complete the glossary of terms with them in this booklet

What else is happening?

Values Education

Each month we will focus on a new value, which we will develop and encourage in all areas of school life. Please support your child and encourage them to show their values at home and let us know if they do so we can share and celebrate it at school. The whole school value for February will be **Pride** and the value for March will be **Respect**.

Homework

Every Friday your child will bring home a class homework sheet. It is expected that ALL children read a **minimum of 4 times** per week and this is recorded in their home reading records.

Each week, children will receive two sheets to complete: Vocabulary Ninja SATs Facts and a SPAG Practise sheet. This sheet contains skills that we have been learning this year so far and is an opportunity to practise fluency and understanding of key skills that they will need to be secure on.

As well as this, children should be logging onto TTRockstars to help support practising of times tables.

Clubs

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Breakfast Club	Every morning 7.45 – 8.50am
Lower Site After School Club	Every Day 3.15 – 6.15pm
Upper Site After School Club	Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm

Forthcoming Events

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Friday 11th February	End of Spring Term 1
Monday 21st February	Inset Day – School Closed
Tuesday 22^d February	Start of Spring Term 2
Wednesday 23rd February	Year 6 SATs Information Evening
Tuesday 1st March	Secondary School Allocation Day
Wednesday 2nd March	School Photographer – Class Photo
Friday 18th March	Red Nose Day
Tuesday 29th March	Parent/Teacher Consultations 5.30pm – 8.00pm
Wednesday 30th March	Parent/Teacher Consultations 3.30pm – 6.00pm
Friday 1st April	End of Spring Term 2 - 2.15pm Finish
Tuesday 19th April	Inset Day – School Closed
Wednesday 20th April	Start of Summer Term 1