



# Hawthorn Community Primary School

UKS2 Forecast Sheet - Term 6 2024

## English Reading

For the term, the children will be working on retrieval and inference skills looking at a range of different texts: Tom's Midnight Garden by Phillipa Pearce and Poems for Young People by Maya Angelo. Both year groups will continue to develop their fluency and reading speed to increase their reading stamina in preparation for KS3 or year 6.

## English Writing

For the term, the children will be writing a detective story. They read some extracts from a range of authors to support their detective writing skills. By the end of the unit, they will create a detective story using a range of grammatical features and continue to develop their composition and effective to have impact on the reader.



This term our topic is **Geography – a fieldwork study.**  
Our school value is “Thoughtfulness”

## Geography – A Local Study

In this geography unit, students will develop fieldwork skills by using 6-figure grid references on OS maps. They will make their own enquiries about their local town Kettering - and a nearby village, then plan, conduct, record, and present their findings using a range of methods and tools. They will visit a local village and Kettering to carry out their enquiry.

## Maths

*Maths is taught in mixed ability year groups. Both year groups will have a fluency lesson developing their mental maths skills which feeds into the main Maths lessons.*

Both year groups will be developing their fluency and reasoning skills, building on their prior knowledge. Y6 will continue to develop their Maths skills in preparation for Y7. The areas of focus this term are as follows:

Y5 – Arithmetic skills, long multiplication, division, order of operation.

Y6 – Statistics, Measure, place value, calculation and compasses (preparing for Y7).

## Science – Forces

In this science unit, students will explore different types of forces, including gravity, air resistance, friction, and water resistance. Children will investigate how these forces affect movement and learn how levers, pulleys, and gears can change the direction or strength of forces in action.

## PE Days

Maples – Wednesday and Thursday/ Cedars – Thursday and Friday/ Oaks – Monday and Thursday

## Other Subjects

**RE** – How does faith help when life gets hard?

**French** – Moi Dans Le Monde - Me in the World

**Music** – Leavers assembly singing

**DT 1** - Cookery

**DT 2** – CAMs

**PSHE** – Relationships

Homework – We would like the children to do daily reading and practice their times tables on TTR.