



## Year 6

**Teachers:** Mrs Redshaw and Mrs Hughes

**Term:** Autumn 1 **Topic:** Where in the world is Beeston?

### English

Our book focus is 'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty. We will learn different writing techniques and grammar choices the author uses and apply these to write our own narratives and an autobiography.

### Maths

We will be mastering our knowledge and understanding of:

Number and place value of numbers up to ten million, including comparing and rounding. We will also recap negative numbers.

### Art, DT, History, Geography

In geography we will be using maps to see how land use has changed over time and note the key aspects of natural resource distribution. In history we will be aiming to answer the question *What did the Victorians do for Beeston?* We will learn about the industrial revolution and how Britain has had an influence on world history. Our art focus will be on how we can update statues in Leeds for the modern era. We will focus on creating sculptures.

### Science

We will learn about living electricity. We want to know how we can fix a faulty circuit.

We will also discover the work by electrical engineers such as Edith Clarke

### Computing / RE

We will learn more about E-Safety and online identity. We will create animated stories using a range of algorithms. We will design and debug our work. In RE, we will answer the question "How do Sikhs show commitment?"

### PE

In PE we will learn about how health related exercise keeps us healthy both physically and mentally. We will continue improving our athletic skills of running, throwing and jumping.

### PSHE

Mental health and emotional well-being. We will learn what mental health is and what can affect it. We will consider ways to keep our minds healthy, as well as the discrimination that surrounds mental health.

### Reminders

Come to school in your PE kit on Mondays

Read your reading book every day.

Spellings go home on Monday and will be tested the following Monday.

20th September—trip to Armley Mills

Reading homework goes home Monday, returned on Wednesday.

Maths homework goes home Friday, returned on Monday.