



Fierté Multi Academy Trust
Edge Hill Academy
YEAR 6 CURRICULUM - Autumn Term 2026



September 2026

To Parents and Carers of Children in Year 6

Autumn Term Curriculum

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Year 6.

Parents can help their children in a number of ways. At school, they are taught the skills to read, parents can support this by reading for pleasure with their children and by discussing the text, characters and plot and asking questions. When they have finished a book, talk to your child about whether they enjoyed reading the book, referring to parts of the story they enjoyed or did not enjoy. Please ensure you or your child fill in their link book when they have read at home as house points will be awarded and teachers can see the level of engagement at home.

Homework is as follows:

Reading – at least 3 times a week.

Spellings – at least 3 times a week.

Times Tables Rock Stars – at least 3 times a week.

Learning by Questions – at least 3 times a week.

Ten Minute Test Books - Maths and either EGPS or Reading weekly.

Please talk to your child about their work and assist in any research/project work.

I know it is difficult to always find the time but working together in this way I am sure we will help all the children do their best.

Children will continue to have their Home School Link Books. These are a vital link between home and school and will help the children make the best of their time at school. There is a double page for each week which has a section for parents to pass on any messages from home.

It is a very important year as the children will sit their SATS. However, at Edge Hill, we pride ourselves on providing a broad and balanced curriculum whereby all subjects are equally valued.

I hope you find this information helpful but if you have any worries or problems, please do not hesitate to contact us at school.

Kindest regards,

The Year 6 Team



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Writing

Narrative writing and recount (Harris Burdick)
Discussion, narrative and poetry (When the Sky Falls)
Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar work

Reading

When the Sky Falls – retrieval, prediction, inference, sequencing, summary, themes, vocabulary and commentating.
Plus, shorter non-fiction and poetry texts.

Maths

Place Value & the 4 operations ($\times \div + -$)
Fractions
Measure
Mental Arithmetic
Times Tables

Science

Light
Living Things and their Habitats

Computing

Coding
Online safety

RE

Christianity – Christian celebrations and traditions.
Christianity – Is anything ever eternal?

French

Rigolo - Le Weekend
- Le Vetements

RSE

Emotions – How can we manage emotions through periods of change?
Communities – How can we show respect to people of different races and cultures?
Healthy Relationships – How can we live in harmony?
Healthy Relationships – How can we have healthy boundaries?

Geography

Physical processes: Earthquakes, Mountains, Volcanoes

History

WW2 – How did conflict change our local area?

Art

2D drawing to 3D making
Activism

PE

Indoor (Thursdays)

Block 1 - Hockey
Block 2 – Dodgeball

Outdoor (Thursdays)

Block 1 – Tag rugby
Block 2 - Netball



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Music

Dynamics, pitch and tempo
Songs of WW2

D.T.

Digital world - Navigating the world
Cooking and nutrition – Come Dine With Me

Homework

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Spellings – at least 3 times a week.
Times Tables Rock Stars – at least 3 times a week.
Learning by Questions – at least 3 times a week.
10-minute test books.
Home on Wednesday, back on Wednesday

Spellings

Home on Friday
Back the following Friday

Trip

RAF Cosford – November/December tbc

Forest School

Willow (6B) – wb 7th September
Chestnut (6BU) – wb 14th September
Sycamore (6L) – wb 21st September

End of half-term

Friday 23rd October

Parents' Evening

Tuesday 20th and Thursday 22nd October

Year 6 SATs week

Monday 10th May – Thursday 13th May 2026

Writing is assessed continually throughout the spring and summer term and in particular during May and June. It is therefore essential that children do not take holidays during May and June in addition to during SATs week.

End of Autumn term

Friday 18th December



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