

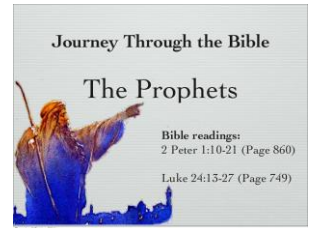


St Nicholas C.E Primary Academy

Year 6 – The Prophets



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Hello Parents and welcome to the exciting world of Year 6. There is no getting away from the fact that this is a very important year for your children at primary school with it being their last year and SATs year! However, this is also a very exciting year for our children with lots of special Year 6 opportunities to look out for. In our first term of the year, we will be looking at the following:

Topic - This term in our topic lessons we will be studying Pharaohs. The topic will transport us back in time to the Ancient Egyptians. Our journey will take us through the tombs of the ancient pharaohs into a distant advanced culture. We will be working closely with Year 5 during our topic themes this year which will lead to some very exciting opportunities.

Science - In the Prophets class, our first Science topic will be Electricity. We will be building on previous years knowledge to build circuits safely and check for faults. We will also be testing how to create more powerful circuits and what effect this has on lightbulbs and buzzers. During our work, we will be completing experiments to improve our scientific thinking.

RE - This term we will be looking at God in the Christian faith and what we 'think' we know about him. This will give our children a chance to explore passages from the Bible and decide for themselves what they think they indicate. We will also be looking at why praise and living a just life are important in the Christian religion.

Expectations

In Year 6 our expectations are:

- Arrive to school on time.
- Always put in 100% effort.
- Read 5 times per week.
- Use Times Table Rock Stars regularly.
- Practise spellings regularly.
- Pupils begin to take more responsibility for their own learning outside of school.
- Develop a teacher-parent partnership to achieve the best for our pupils.
- Snacks at break and lunchtime food are healthy and balanced.
- Pupils arrive at school 'ready to learn.'

Other items of interest

PE will be on Tuesday and Friday afternoons. In the Autumn term the children will be required to have their outdoor footwear and clothes as PE will be completed outside. On PE days, children will need to attend the whole day at school in their PE kit as we will not be changing at school. Spelling tests will be on Thursday mornings and new spellings given out the same day.

Staff – Mr Bell (Class teacher), Miss Allen (Class TA) and Mrs Dougill (Teacher on Thursday)

If you have any further questions about Year 6, please do not hesitate to ask. You can contact me through the 'ask a teacher section' of the class page on the school website.