



Jewish Studies Annual Curriculum Overview – Year Six

Sinai Jewish Primary School

Please find attached a curriculum overview of the subjects that your child will study this academic year.

Academic Year 2017/2018

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Subject	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
NAVI	<p>This topic will be taught in mixed ability classes.</p> <p>Selected texts from the books of Shmuel and Malachim.</p> <p>A study of some of the main events in the books of Samuel and Kings. Shmuel, Saul, David, Shlomo, Division of the kingdom, Eliyahu. Pupils will be given written material and encouraged to produce creative work to appreciate the lessons of Jewish History in a modern context.</p> <p>Assessment: Observation / Question & Answer / Sampling of formal work/target sheets</p>		
TORAH	<p>We will continue learning the book of Bereishit, incorporating Rashi's and others' commentaries.</p> <p>Pupils will be expected to read and be familiar with Rashi writing and read, translate and explain the selected Rashi texts. They will be encouraged to develop independent thinking and inference skills and develop comprehension skills of both Chumash and Rashi texts. They will begin learning Unit 13 which focuses on the Chaggei Tishrei, researching the Chumash as well as the Mishnah. This will be followed by Units 8-10 (after the Chaggei Tishrei) of the JCP Chumash Curriculum. Chumash will be taught in mixed-ability classes.</p> <p>In addition, pupils will receive a Daf Hashavua sheet each Friday, which should be read out with the family and discussed. The questions must be completed and the sheet returned each Monday.</p> <p>Assessment: Regular weekly tests / reading and writing / question and answer / samples of formal work.</p>		
IVRIT/ MUSSAGIM	<p>Pupils will continue their work from last year using Ivrit B'click and Sinai's Ivrit programme of Study. Pupils will also learn Jewish General Knowledge, building on the General Knowledge learnt in Year 5.</p> <p>In addition, Ivrit is used informally across the curriculum in a variety of situations.</p> <p>Assessment: Sampling of formal work / Cross curricular assessment / Vocabulary and sentence construction tests/target sheets</p>		
READING and WRITING	<p>Emphasis is placed on the necessity for a commitment to maintain and extend fluency in reading and script writing throughout the year.</p> <p>Pupils are expected to undertake regular weekly reading practice, and to pay attention to the accuracy of their spelling and letter formation, to attain fluency and pace of Hebrew writing.</p> <p>Assessment: Regular individual and group assessment/target sheets</p>		

The use of ICT by pupils is included throughout the Jewish Studies Curriculum

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THE JEWISH YEAR	<p>In Year 6, all aspects of the Chagim, Jewish calendar and practice will be explored using a wide range of resources. Pupils will be expected to commit a considerable amount to memory. Lessons will be differentiated and support given where necessary. Pupils will research using parts of the Mishnah and Gemarah. Each Chag/Festival is taught from a spiralled curriculum which is taught from Nursery to Year 6.</p>		
<p>Assessment: Observation / Quizzes / Fun sheets / Tests / Creative Writing/target sheets</p>			
JEWISH LIVING/ JEWISH KNOWLEDGE	<p>The projects undertaken to enrich the curriculum in Year 6 include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Israel – historical, geographical and social aspects from Biblical times to the present Day (incorporated in to other lessons, such as MJH, Navi. ◆ Y6 will learn about The Shoah at an age appropriate level ◆ The Jewish Life Cycle, to include cross-curricular work with the secular curriculum. To include visits from external speakers on topics of PHSE and our Sex Education Programme. <p>Modern Jewish History to include</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ The pogroms and their consequences ◆ Early Zionism ◆ Chovovei Zion – Bilu ◆ Herzl – Dreyfus – antisemitism ◆ The Balfour Declaration – Weitzmann ◆ The United Nations vote – The establishment of the State of Israel. ◆ The wars Israel has fought. ◆ Raid on Entebbe ◆ Munich Olympics 1972 ◆ The trial of Eichman ◆ The Jewish Revolt – 66-70 CE ◆ Masada ◆ The first Jews in England – 1066-1290 ◆ Napoleon’s Sanhedrin 		
<p>Assessment: Observation / Quizzes / discussions / samples of formal written work/target sheets</p>			