

Oak Green School Curriculum Newsletter

Year 6

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In science lessons this half term, Year 6 have been researching some different ways to reduce reliance on fossil fuels. We have looked at different renewable sources of energy, researched how they work, debated the advantages and disadvantages of using them and produced eye catching posters giving relevant information.



In RE this term, the children have been learning about Islam and deepening their understanding of Muslim beliefs and practices. A key focus has been on the concept of the *Akhirah*, or life after death, and how this belief can influence the way a Muslim chooses to live their life. The children have explored how the idea of accountability and reward in the afterlife encourages many Muslims to lead lives filled with kindness, honesty and compassion as they strive to follow the teachings of Islam.

This half term in art, the children have explored the theme *Bees, Beetles and Butterflies* through observational drawing and mixed media collage. Inspired by artists Lucy Arnold and Andy Warhol, they used bold colours, patterns, and a variety of materials to create vibrant insect-themed artwork.

