

What's happening during Autumn 1 in Year 6?

Literacy

Our class text this term is **Romeo and Juliet and Sonnet 18 by William Shakespeare**

Writing

The children will be working on writing a dialogue narrative based on the power and tension between the characters Romeo and Tybalt as well as a formal invitation to the Capulets' ball.

Reading

We will be using our class text to explore and improve our key reading skills. The children will be making predictions about the text, exploring new vocabulary, making inferences, understanding the authors choice and working on our reading fluency. Please encourage your child to read at home and record in their reading diary.

Spelling

Homework will be set and given to children every Friday and will be returned to school by Wednesday. Each week a new spelling rule will be taught and practiced – your child's homework will be based on the rule they are learning.

The Wider Curriculum

Art – Italian Renaissance

Artists: Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci, Raphael
PAINTING, DRAWING, 3D FORM

Geography – Spatial Sense

Latitude and Longitude
The Arctic and Antarctic Circles
Time Zones

Map Projection

Maps of the World

Science – Electricity

Parts of an electrical circuit, voltage and its effect on current, identifying and correcting problems in circuits, outputs of circuits, conductors and insulators.

DT – Water Walls

Music – Music and Technology

How does music bring us together?

P.E. – Tuesday afternoon

Hockey

Please send children in the correct kit for PE and any after school clubs which involve physical activity. Children must wear appropriate footwear for PE please ensure they are wearing sports trainers and no slip-on shoes or high tops.

Maths

Place Value

Step 1 Numbers to 1,000,000

Step 1 Add and subtract integers

Step 2 Numbers to 10,000,000

Step 2 Common factors

Step 3 Common multiples

Step 3 Read and write numbers to 10,000,000

Step 4 Rules of divisibility

Step 4 Powers of 10

Step 5 Primes to 100

Step 6 Square and cube numbers

Step 5 Number line to 10,000,000

Step 7 Multiply up to a 4-digit number by a 2-digit number

Step 6 Compare and order any integers

Step 8 Solve problems with multiplication

Step 9 Short division

Step 7 Round any integer

Step 10 Division using factors

Step 8 Negative numbers

Step 11 Introduction to long division

Step 12 Long division with remainders

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Judaism- What is the best way for a Jew to show commitment to God?

RSHE/PSHE

Health and Wellbeing- Think Positive

Computing

Computing Systems and Networks- Communication and Collaboration