

What's happening during Autumn 2 in Year 6?

Literacy

Our class text this term is **A Christmas Carol**

Writing

The children will be working on writing a narrative flashback as well as an information text about WWI machinery, technology and weapons.

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 – this is vital for SATs success.

We will be increasing our practice of unseen texts in preparation for SATs in May.

Spelling

Children will be given spellings each week to learn (as well as a homework sheet). We are focusing on a new spelling rule each week.

RE- Christianity

How significant was it that Mary was Jesus' mother?

RSHE/PSHE
Relationships
VIPS

The Wider Curriculum

Art- Renaissance Architecture and Sculpture

Artists/Architects and architecture: Brunelleschi, Donatello, Ghiberti, Michelangelo, Il Duomo, Basilica of St Peter's

DRAWING, 3D FORM

History- World War 1

The Causes of World War I

On land, at sea and in the air

Life on the Western Front

The Home Front

The Consequences of the War

Science- Light

How light travels, reflection and how it helps us see, how shadows change, exploring light phenomena.

DT – Water Walls

Music- Developing Ensemble Skills

How does music connect us with our past?

P.E.- Tuesday afternoon

Tag rugby

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

Fractions

Step 1 Equivalent fractions and simplifying

Step 2 Equivalent fractions on a number line

Step 3 Compare and order (denominator)

Step 4 Compare and order (numerator)

Step 5 Add and subtract simple fractions

Step 6 Add and subtract any two fractions

Step 7 Add mixed numbers

Step 8 Subtract mixed numbers

Step 9 Multi-step problems

Step 1 Multiply fractions by integers

Step 2 Multiply fractions by fractions

Step 3 Divide a fraction by an integer

Step 4 Divide any fraction by an integer

Step 5 Mixed questions with fractions

Converting units:

Step 1 Metric measures

Step 2 Convert metric measures

Step 3 Calculate with metric measures

Step 4 Miles and kilometres

Step 5 Imperial measures

Computing
Creating Media
Webpage Creation