

Dates for the diary:

- KS2 SATs week – 8/05/23 - 11/05/23
- Eidfest – 12/05/23
- Class photos – 17/05/23
- London trip – 24/05/23

We are Writers



Narrative unit: The Phone Booth in Mr Hirota's Garden by Heather Smith

In this unit, we will be studying how authors create empathy. We will apply all of the language and grammar features we have practiced this year alongside focusing on skills that help form empathy such as the use of passive voice. We will conclude this unit by re-writing a section of the story.

Handwriting and spelling

Across the school, we do handwriting and spelling twice a week. In these lessons, we focus on formation, letter joins and presentation as well as covering Year 6 spelling rules and common exception words.

We are Self-Aware Citizens

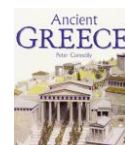


This term we are focusing on the unit 'Healthy Me.' Throughout this unit, we will explore a range of topics that include learning how to take responsibility for our own health and wellbeing including mental health, different types of drugs and their uses and effects on their effects on the body particularly the liver and heart, understand that some people can be exploited and made to do things that are against the law, understand why some people join gangs and the risks this involves and recognise stress and the triggers that cause this.

We are Historians!

Greeks

In this unit, we will be investigating what impact Greek mythology, Gods and Legends had on everyday life in Greece. We will also be studying who Alexander the Great was and what he achieved in his lifetime. We will end this unit by writing a non-chronological report about him..



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We are Geographers



In this unit, we will be studying climate change. We will look at the impact of humans on the climate and how this has affected the natural world. We will also look at ways in which we are trying to reverse climate change and things we can do to help.

General reminders

PE Days for Y6: Wednesday and Thursday.

Please ensure your child is coming to school in the correct uniform daily. We ask children to remove jackets or hoodies in class as they are not part of the school policy.

Homework is due back on Thursdays for a class check/reminder. The final deadline is Friday where it will be marked and new homework will be given out.

Bookmarks are handed in on a Friday.

We are Mathematicians

We will be starting Term 5 carrying out revision of all of the areas of mathematics we have covered so far this year. This is to build confidence, fluency and accuracy. Later in the term we will move on to statistics where we will interpret and construct pie charts and line graphs and use these to solve problems.



This term we will also be...

Athletes!

During this term, Year 6 will be focusing on athletics. In this unit, we are going to cover a range of track and field sports which builds on our athletics learning we have done in previous years. We will participate in a range of group work and competitive activities to develop ourselves as athletes.