



HALF TERM INFORMATION UPDATE

Year 6

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Message from the staff:

Welcome to Year 6! We hope you all had a lovely summer break and are looking forward to all the exciting things we have planned for your child's last year at primary school.

THIS HALF TERM'S LEARNING

Maths:

Our first unit of work in Maths will be on place value. This will help the children to read and understand numbers to 1,000,000. For the rest of the half term we will be focusing on the four operations.

English:

In English we will be writing a piece of historical fiction, based on a video from The Literacy Shed 'Beyond the Lines'. We will then look at war poetry, and biography, in particular the lives of Wilfred Owen and Walter Tull.

In reading comprehension, we will be reading and reflecting on 'Poppy Field' by Michael Morpurgo.

PE:

Children will be having PE on a **Tuesday** and a **Thursday**. Please ensure your child comes to school in the correct P.E. kit on these days and brings a filled water bottle.

RE:

We will continue to study major world faiths and religions, in order to understand the world around us and develop tolerance, respect and empathy.

MFL:

In our Spanish lessons, our unit is The Classroom.

ICT:

We will be learning all about internet blogging.

History (Spring 1):

What was the impact of WWII on the people of Britain?

Geography (Spring 2):

Why does population change?

Science:

Spring 1: Electricity

Spring 2:

Light

Technology

PSHE:

Music:

In PSHE we will be looking at Relationships.

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How parents can help at home:

- Reading really accelerates children's writing so please ensure your child reads 5 times a week at home.
- Children are encouraged to practice their weekly spellings and timetables; Times Tables Rock Stars is a fantastic resource to use for timetables practice. Th children's log-ins are in the back of their reading records.

Days/Dates to remember:

- PE is on Tuesday and Thursday children need their kit, including trainers.
- Spellings are set on a Friday. The spelling tests will be on the following Friday.