

CLASS NOTICES

Reading

All children will read for at least 10 minutes every day in school and we advise parents/guardians to listen to your child read at home for **10 minutes a day, at least 5 days a week**. They will also be heard read by an adult at least once a week. Please ensure your child is reading a book appropriate for their level.

PE

PE will take place on **Wednesdays and Fridays**.

Children need to come to school in their PE Uniform:

black shorts or jogging trousers, plain, white t-shirt, plain black/dark jumper or hoodie and black trainers or plimsolls. No football kits, highly labelled/sloganed or brightly coloured clothing.

They will also need to bring their coat into school for playtime and lunchtimes when they are outside.

Homework

CGP (Math) books and SATs companion homework is set weekly to support in preparation for the KS2 Sats in May. SATs companion homework is completed online and children have the opportunity to complete this during lunchtimes before the due date if they can't access at home.

PSHE

This term, children will be focusing on 'Healthy Me,' in which they will be exploring: The physical impact of diet, alcohol, drugs and stress, revisiting how to keep themselves safe in the event of an emergency, how to manage stress and finally, taking care of their emotional and mental wellbeing.

WAS Champions - David and Excel

School Council - Alise

Reading Champions - Noel and Demi

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Boothdale and Miss Nicholls

We also have Mr Copeland and Mrs Moss supporting our Year 6 Team.

Class Curriculum Information



Year Six Blood Heart



Spring 2
2024

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

<p>English</p> 	<p>In English, we will be using both the class reading text 'Pig Heart boy,' by Malorie Blackman and 'The Heart and the bottle,' by Oliver Jeffers. https://www.goodreads.com/en/book/show/1191504 https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/7096916-the-heart-and-the-bottle?from_search=true&from_srp=true&qid=WLIBUNIJm3&rank=2 Click on this link to find out more information about the books stated above. . We will be writing a balanced argument, a diary entry and a 1st person narrative.</p>
<p>Maths</p> 	<p>In Maths, we will be learning about fractions, decimals and percentages. We will also be looking at area, perimeter and volume as well as statistics. The children will continue to work on daily arithmetic problems and will have the opportunity to recap previous knowledge.</p>
<p>Science</p> 	<p>In Science, we will be exploring the circulatory system in particular: The three main parts of the circulatory system, blood vessels; their purpose. In addition to this, year 6 will be carrying out both an investigation into heart rates and completing a practical investigation: Dissecting a Lamb heart. Finally, children will evaluate how diet and exercise affect the body which links to their 'Healthy Me,' PSHE lessons.</p>
<p>R.E.</p> 	<p>In RE we will be focusing on Buddhism. We will focus on: Why did Prince Siddhartha feel the need to leave his home and family? What issues about giving things up are raised by the story of Siddhartha becoming a Sadhu?</p>

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<p>Music</p> 	<p>In Music, all the learning will be focused around one song: You've Got A Friend by Carole King. In which children will be listening and appraising the song then, learning and performing it to each other. The children will continue to use the glockenspiels in their lessons creating specific note patterns.</p>
<p>DT/Art</p> 	<p>In DT students will be write a design brief and criteria based on a "client's" request. They will then work towards developing a sustainable product and pitching the idea to 'sell' their product. In Art children will be carrying out 10 minute sketch book activities.</p>
<p>P.E.</p> 	<p>In PE, we are concentrating on Gymnastics. This will include children developing their counter balance and counter tension as well as taking key stretches, movements and balances and placing them into sequences, with apparatus. The children will also be learning yoga to help with their well being.</p>
<p>Spanish</p> 	<p>In Spanish, we will be learning about different foods and what you would find at a market. The children will be learning how to buy food and the money they will need to purchase items.</p>
<p>Computing</p> 	<p>In computing this term, we will be learning about variables in games where children will aim to plan, design, create, improve and develop their own games. We will also continue to look at online safety in every session.</p>