



YEAR 6 HOME LEARNING



NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2023

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Homework

The homework has been completed very well- thank you very much for your support.

Homework continues to be set each night. (Mon-Thurs) Please remember to sign your child's homework and their Friday test book.

We ask that your child brings their Spellings and Tables orange jotter to school each day to be checked in preparation for Friday test.

P.E/Sport

The classes are doing well and making great progress with swimming and seem to be enjoying it. Monday 20th November will be our last swim day.

World Around Us

In our topic area, we have been learning all about our body systems. We are now ready to learn about how to keep these systems healthy and we will hear about how these can be damaged by lifestyle choices. Bobby from the 'HOPE Programme' will visit Year 6 each Wednesday to talk about the dangers of smoking, alcohol and the misuse of illegal drugs.

We will then move on to our topic of Christmas, which will involve lots of art.

Numeracy



The children will be learning about Area and Perimeter. They will be calculating the area of regular, irregular and compound shapes. We will recap finding the area by counting squares and then learn to use the formula Length x Breadth. This topic requires sound table knowledge so please continue to help/encourage your child to learn them.

In the final weeks of term, we will begin our topic of fractions and the children will be covering work on finding a fraction of an

amount and equivalent fractions. This can be a difficult topic and the children may require further explanation. Let us know if we can help your child further.

Shared Reading/ICT

We are still reading our class novel, 'Giant' by Kate Scott.

Approaching Christmas, we will read about the Birth of Jesus and will make a powerpoint presentation based on this special story.

We will also be practising our skills using Microsoft Office and Powerpoint.



Reminders!

If you haven't already, please ensure you check our Google Classroom page regularly for updates as we post and share things on there. Login details have already been distributed to your child.

If you need to contact us, please feel free to email us on:

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School Time

Please try to get your child in promptly to school in the morning as the school day begins at 8:50am.



Literacy

In November we will be learning about homophones and spelling them correctly in writing. We will be introduced to idioms and will also be becoming familiar with different patterns of plurals.

Please ensure your child is reading at home and is enjoying a novel in their spare time, perhaps before bed time. It is important to support and encourage your child as much as possible with regards to reading. Discuss the plot, characters and form opinions on what they have read.

Dates for the Diary

Anti Bullying Wear RED Day- Monday 13th November (Non uniform, wear something red)

School closed due to Strike- Thursday 16th November

School Council Fundraiser, 'Ditch the Dark Day'- Friday 24th November- £1 required.

PTA Supper with Santa- Week of Monday 4th December. (Will need to be booked)

Christmas dinner for pupils: Friday 15th December

Christmas dinner for staff: Friday 15th December- Pupils' home time is 1:15pm (No after school clubs at all)

Christmas Jumper Day in school: Friday 9th December

Christmas Week in school: Beginning Monday 11th December

Carol Service: Wednesday 20th December @ Ebrington Church, 10am.

Christmas Holidays/Term 2 ends: Thursday 21st December at 12 noon.

Term 2 begins: Thursday 4th January 2024.

