

Important Dates

- Class Photos - Tuesday 23rd April.
- UKS2 - Assembly Thursday 25th April.
- SATS - Monday 13th May until Thursday 16th May.

Maths

We will be working very hard towards our SATS coming up in a few weeks, recapping many of the topics we have learnt about. We will continue developing arithmetic and reasoning & problem-solving skills.

Literacy

We will be working really hard to achieve our writing targets for the end of Year 6 by having a go at lots of different genres and styles. We have begun the summer term looking at Greta Thunberg and the work she has done to raise awareness of climate change. We will be using this to help us write a persuasive speech. We then move onto looking at narratives. We will look at a short film called 'Alma'; a spooky story about a ghostly doll shop. We will then look at another short film called 'The Present', which is an uplifting tale about a boy and the unexpected gift which he receives.

Art

This half term we will be completing art work linked to sculptures and making memories.

French

During this half term the children will play games and complete activities to practise using the verbs être - to be and aller - to go. In Le passé et le présent the children will have the opportunity to reuse and extend their knowledge of places in town, clothes and colours.

Newsletter



Homework and Reading

We will be sending home some revision for the children to complete prior to their SATs. We would be really grateful if you could support your children with this.

Children have logins for Reading Plus, Rollama and TT Rockstars. If able, the children should access these as often as they can.

Children have a reading book in school and one for home. They are expected to read at least 3 times per week and have this recorded by an adult.

Science

Year 6 children will be learning all about 'Being Healthy'. This topic follows on from our previous topic, where the children learnt about the circulatory system. In this topic we will be having discussions about healthy diets, bad habits and the importance of exercise. We will be finding out all about ourselves and how we can be the best version of us!

Topic

This half term we will be looking at crime and punishment. We will learn all about perspectives on crime and punishments and how these have changed and evolved throughout the ages, covering a wide and varied period of history around our country and the world. A great topic which children always love!

Jigsaw

This half term is all about 'relationships'. We will look at what positive mental health looks like, forming friendships and improving ourselves to be happy, healthy humans. It goes along nicely with our science topic, providing cross-curricular links.

PE

PE lessons are on a *Monday* for the next few weeks and will swap back to a *Friday*. We will let you know when this changes. We are very lucky in that we will have a specialist gymnastics coach in teaching the children for this half-term.

Music

Mrs Grey will be teaching the children all about the music style of Samba. They will explore this type of music and compose their own

R.E

We will be learning about Hopes and Visions, looking at our future and how religion shapes people's decisions.