

English



In English this half-term, the children will be exploring explanation texts and writing their own life-cycle of a dinosaur. For the final two weeks of the term, they will analyse the structure of a poem and use this as a stimulus to write their own poems linked to pollution.

Suggestions of ways you can support your child's English:
Encourage your child to read at least 4 times per week.

Science



Our science topic for the Autumn term is Living things – animals and plants. The children will study the classification system, read and create their own classification keys based on animal and plant features.

Extra Information

PE: Will be on Wednesdays and Fridays for both classes.

Water Bottles: Please ensure that your child brings sufficient water for the whole school day. If this is a shop bought bottle, please ensure that this is clearly labelled with your child's name.

Merits: Please ensure your child brings their reading diaries and levelled reading book to school each day.

Homework: Year 6 complete English homework on Google Classroom weekly for 1 merit, and a 'Quick 5' four times per week for 1 merit. After SATs, no homework will be set for Year 6.

Year 6 Learning Overview Autumn 2



Trips and Experiences

Church Visit (RE) 15th
November

Hornchurch RAF Heritage
Centre (History) 6CW 11/11, 6B
18/11

Duxford IWM (History) 25th
November

Maths



In Maths this half-term, the children have continued with calculations, focusing on multiplication and division. They will then move onto fractions in the latter part of the half term.

Suggestions of ways you can support your child's Maths: Please encourage your child to complete their daily quick 5 and access Times Table Rock Stars if they need to practice.

Topic



Our topic for this half-term is WW2. The children will get to explore why WW2 occurred and the key events that lead up to it. They will study what happened during it (including key events), and its consequences and legacy on Britain and the world we live in today.



Spellings for this half-term are on Google Classroom, please encourage your child to practise these.