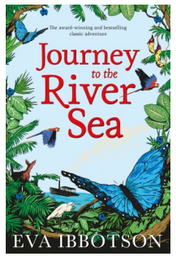
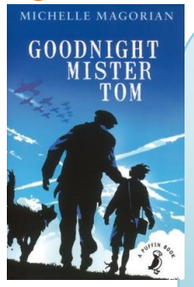
Our journey through Autumn Term looks very exciting in Year 6!

September 2021





Literacy

During Literacy the children will focus on two main texts across the term. These will be Journey to the River Sea and Goodnight Mr Tom. Children will complete a range of text types, both fiction and non-fiction. As well as focusing on a range of SPAG outcomes.

Numeracy

In Numeracy pupils will cover a range of mathematical topics, with the aim of consolidating their understanding of place value and the written methods, before moving onto fractions, decimals and percentages. Pupils will have the chance to solve multi-step problems whilst also aiming to reason and explain their findings.

Science

During Science this term we will learn about animal and plant classification, where children will have the opportunity to study a key individual—Carl Linnaeus. Pupils will then move onto studying the human body and healthy lifestyles. They will be given the opportunity to complete scientific enquiries throughout the term.

R.E

In the Autumn Term pupils will be researching and discussing how God can be both holy and loving. They will then move onto answering the big question—'Was Jesus the Messiah?', analysing a range of religious texts and Christian/Jewish beliefs and celebrations.

Art & D.T

In the Autumn Term we will be focusing on drawing. This will include revising and progressing with our drawing skills and completing a short study on the artist, LS Lowry.

Our DT focus will be to design, make and evaluate our own felt phone cases. As part of this topic we will complete market research, before producing a marketing poster.

Well-Being

In Well-Being this term pupils will be identifying their goals for the year and understanding how to express their fears and worries.

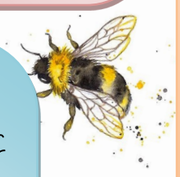
Geography & History

As part of our Geography Topic we will complete an in-depth case study on The Amazon. This will include its geographical location, what it's like to live in the rainforest and how the human race can protect it.

During our World War II topic pupils will have the opportunity to learn about the impact of the war, particularly the experiences of people on the home front. They will have practical opportunities, providing a context to their learning. These opportunities will include purchasing items using a rationing book, experiencing life as a child during the war and understanding how VE Day was celebrated.

Computing

This term pupils will complete a module of work around spreadsheets, inputting and using data in context. They will then move on to producing their own short film encompassing everything that they have learnt to present to the rest of the school.



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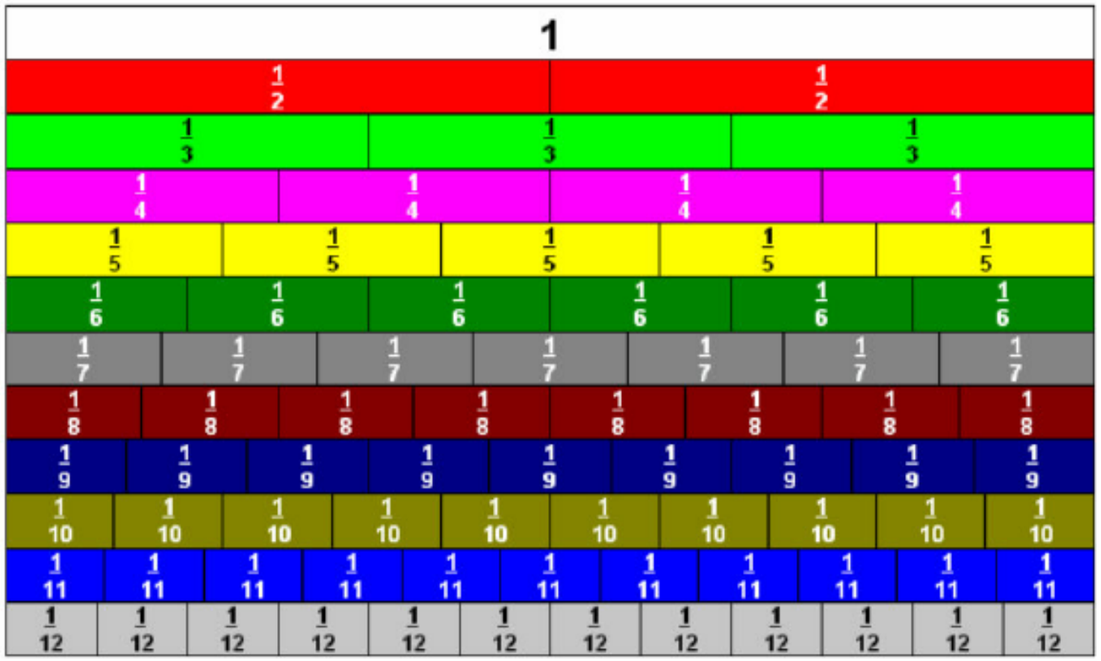

PE

Children will have swimming every Wednesday and Outdoor Learning on a Thursday! Please come to school in the correct kit!

- Some useful websites to use for independent learning include:
  - Education City
  - BBC Bitesize
  - Spelling Frame
  - Active learn
  - Bug Club

Homework

Homework will be given out on a Friday and should be returned to school by Tuesday

Fractions	Decimals	Diagram	Out of 100	Percentages
1/10	0.1		10/100	10%
2/10	0.2		20/100	20%
3/10	0.3		30/100	30%
4/10	0.4		40/100	40%
5/10	0.5		50/100	50%

New Curriculum Spelling List Years 5 and 6

accommodate	communicate	equip	immediately	physical	sincerely
accompany	community	equipped	individual	prejudice	soldier
according	competition	equipment	interfere	privilege	stomach
achieve	conscience	especially	interrupt	profession	sufficient
aggressive	conscious	exaggerate	language	programme	suggest
amateur	controversy	excellent	leisure	pronunciation	symbol
ancient	convenience	existence	lightning	queue	system
apparent	correspond	explanation	marvellous	recognise	temperature
appreciate	criticise	familiar	mischievous	recommend	thorough
attached	curiosity	foreign	muscle	relevant	twelfth
available	definite	forty	necessary	restaurant	variety
average	desperate	frequently	neighbour	rhyme	vegetable
awkward	determined	government	nuisance	rhythm	vehicle
bargain	develop	guarantee	occupy	sacrifice	yacht
bruise	dictionary	harass	occur	secretary	
category	disastrous	hindrance	opportunity	shoulder	
cemetery	embarrass	identity	parliament	signature	
committee	environment	immediate	persuade	sincere	

Please try and read as much as possible! Whether it be your school reading book or one of your favourite books from home. We have plenty of book reviews for you to fill out in school so that you can share your favourite books with your peers!