

Year 6 Newsletter

Topics

Autumn 1: Extreme USA

Autumn 2: Crime & Punishment

KEY DATES

15th Sept: Meet the Teacher

22nd Sept: Individual photos

22nd Sept: 6R Winchester Law Courts visit

23rd Sept: 6C Winchester Law Courts visit

20th Oct: Paulton's Park Visit

23rd Oct: Parent Interviews

30th Nov: INSET DAY

4th Dec: PTFA Xmas Fair

11th Dec: Christmas Jumper Day and Party

18th Dec: End of Term (1:15pm)

English

We have two key texts this term:

- Survivors
- Holes

The children will write for a variety of genres including, newspaper articles, diaries and persuasive letters.

Don't forget to check out our recommended reads on Google Classroom.



Maths

This term in maths we will be learning about:

- Number and Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Fractions
- Multiplication and Division
- Decimals

Our PE days are Wednesday (outdoor) and Thursday (indoor). Children may bring in a roll on deoderant.

Key Vocabulary

Knowing what the following words mean and say will really help with our topics this term.

Extreme USA

expedition
tsunamis
earthquakes
hurricanes
tornado
tectonic plates
voyage
navigate

Light

opaque
transparent
translucent
reflection
shadow
refraction
light source

Attendance

Our year group's current attendance is 96.1%. Attendance continues to be important. Please make sure that your child is through the gates by 9:00am.

Online learning

Children have logins in their Reading Diaries to allow them access to EdShed, TTRockstars, maths.co.uk and SPAG.com. These are wonderful resources to help continue their learning at home. Children are able to use these websites to build their fluency of numbers, revise grammar knowledge and develop accuracy of spelling.

Homework

Homework will be set each week on a Friday to be handed in on the following Wednesday. Reading diaries are part of our homework, and will be collected on a **THURSDAY** to check children have been reading 4 times per week. If children complete both pieces of homework they will be awarded an additional breaktime each Friday.

PSHE

Our PSHE units of work this term focus on relationships and safety (specifically looking at assessing risks and keeping themselves safe).

