

YEAR 6 LEARNING WEB

We hope that you enjoy reading about what we are learning during the autumn term.

English

- * We read *The Day the Crayons Quit* to write informal letters, and to write explanation texts about how chocolate is made.
- * We also read *The Tear Thief* and write stories based on this book, and study *Survivors* to tell true stories of survival.
- * The children learn to spell a range of words in spelling lessons as well as revision of previous learning to make sure they are secure. We focus on spelling rules too.
- * We will be practising the skill of neat joined handwriting.
- * The children are introduced to an end of year SATs paper, so that they can see the content and learn to work to time limits.



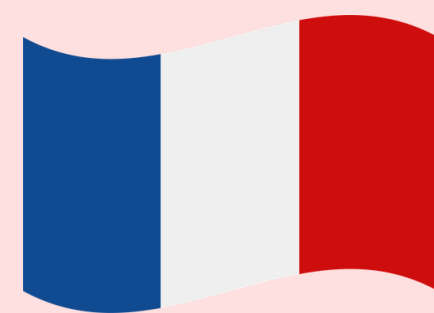
PSHE / French

PSHE - Jigsaw

- * The children use our Jigsaw programme to learn to celebrate differences and being in my world.

French:

- * We learn some basic French sounds, to help with our pronunciation and then discover vocabulary linked to being in school, including subjects and time.



Maths

- * We begin with place value, looking at numbers up to 10,000,000.
- * Then we move onto the four operations, including long multiplication and short and long division.
- * There is a big focus on fractions. We learn about multiplying and dividing fractions, fractions of amounts and simplifying and looking at ordering, having made them equivalent fractions first.
- * The children are introduced to an end of year SATs paper, to help them see the types of questions they will face.



ART / DT

Art:

We will be focusing on painting this term and will be taking part in a workshop with a local artist.



History / Geography

History:

- * We learn about the ancient Mayan civilization and look at where it fits into the history we already know.

Geography

- * We will compare Dartmoor National Park to national parks in North America.

PE / Music

PE:

- * We start with tennis before doing gymnastics later in the term.

Music:

- * The children will be taught to play JSax by a professional musician. Each class will have 6 lessons.



RE

- * We will study what matters most to Humanists and Christians.
- * We then learn about why Hindus try to be good.



Science / Computing

Science:

- * There are two units this term, light and electricity. A number of experiments will be taking place.

Computing:

- * We will learn about computer networks and work collaboratively on a project, as well as learning about how to report online bullying.