

English

Pupils will be starting the term by reading Storm Breaker. We will use this to develop fluency when reading aloud, practise referring to the text to answer questions and how to make deductions. We will also write about the characters and in the suspense genre. Pupils will also design their own spy gadgets and present them in a persuasive style.

After half term we will watch the Railway Children to get a good start to learning about Victorian life. After that, we will read Street Child which examines Victorian issues of child labor, poverty and the workhouse. We will write our own Victorian story based on these ideas.

Additionally, handwriting, comprehension, spelling, grammar and punctuation skills will be taught several times a week.

SPELLINGS will be given on FRIDAY and assessed the following FRIDAY.

Maths (Including Homework)

Number and Algebra

Read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10,000,000 and determine the value of each digit

Round any whole number to the nearest 10, 100, 1000, 10,000

Use negative numbers in context: ordering numbers,

Use algebra (letters and symbols) to represent missing numbers, lengths or angles. Solve number and shape problems using formulas.

Addition and Subtraction

Perform mental calculations, including with mixed operations and large numbers

Solve addition and subtraction multi-step problems in contexts, deciding which operations and methods to use and why

Use estimation to check answers to calculations

HOMEWORK will be given on FRIDAY and should be handed in by THURSDAY at the latest.

P.E. & Forest School

6M - P.E: Monday

Swimming: Wednesday
Forest school: Tuesday

6D - P.E: Thursday

Forest school: Friday

6J - P.E: Tuesday

Forest school: Thursday

Year Six Autumn Term



Staff

Miss Mabb- 6M

Mrs Jones - 6J

Miss Doyle - 6D

Hiss Howard - TA

Mrs Shields - TA

Mrs Hopley- TA

PPA - Mrs Jo Sheridan, Miss Lisa Milnthorpe

Dates

28.09.15 to 02.10.15: Year 6 Residential to Boreatton

20.10.15: Parents Evening 4-6pm

22.10.15: Parents Evening 5-7pm

23.10.15: Break up for Half Term

02.11.15: You must have completed the Secondary Schools Transfer Application by this date

02.11.15: Back to school. Language Alive 6M/6J

03.11.15: Language Alive 6D

19.12.15 Break up for Christmas Holiday!

Autumn 1: Tomorrow's World (Science / Computing)

ENGAGE

- Spy Camp - Teambuilding Activities
- Crime Scene Day (fingerprints, chromatography)

DEVELOP

- Look at networks, email - spam, viruses, malware, spyware, copyright, piracy staying safe
- Blogging: Create Year 6 Blog
- Algorithms - Introduce coding
- Investigate light - making periscopes,

INNOVATE

- Design a spy inspired gadget
- Present it in a Dragon's Den style

EXPRESS

- Spy Day (Dress up as a spy)
- Include podcasts on blog (audacity)
- Internet scavenger hunt

Autumn 2 - Revolution (History - Victorians)

ENGAGE

- Language Alive story - the Little Match Girl
- Victorian School Day (Dress up as a Victorian)
- Victorian artefacts - household/ toys and games
- Queen Victoria

DEVELOP

- Victorian inventions
- Empire
- Industrial Revolution
- Rich / Poor including the Workhouse
- Dr Barnardo/ Lord Shaftsbury
- Victorian Art

INNOVATE

- Victorian Dinner
- Persuasive speeches to Queen Victoria to help your cause

EXPRESS

- Exhibition for Parents