



Curriculum News

Year 6: Autumn Term 1

English

To start the year, we will be writing our own short stories to entertain and to create a vivid picture for the reader with a focus on developing atmosphere. Skellig will be used as a stimulus.

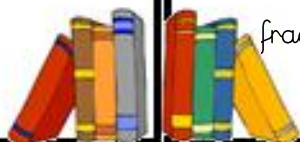
Beyond this, we will have a focus on non-fiction and the children will create a balanced argument on homeschooling - using Mina as a reference.

To complete the half term in English, Year 6 will have a poetry focus, using 'The Owl and the Pussycat', 'The Listeners', 'The Highwayman' as stimuli.

Maths

To begin with, we shall be revisiting and embedding Place Value knowledge and understanding as well as developing their understanding of place value in numbers up to 10 million. The children will also have the opportunity to compare and round numbers. Following on from this, we will be having a focus on the four operations of addition, subtraction, division and multiplication.

We will then move on to investigating fractions. As well as reinforcing previously taught content, the children will be introduced to multiplying and dividing fractions by integers.



Curriculum Overview

Our new topic asks the question, 'Was Titus Salt good for Bradford?'. This will allow the children to develop their understanding of some important local history, whilst exploring what life would have been like during the Victorian Era.

In History, we will be looking at the development of Bradford during the industrial revolution and the significant impact this had. In PSHE, the focus is 'Being Me in My World' which includes, identifying goals for the year, children's universal rights, choices, consequences and rewards and democracy, having a voice. In R.E, we are going to be exploring how Sikhs show commitment by studying their values and we will also be comparing beliefs and ways of life with those of other faiths.





Bitesize KS2 <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/levels/zbr9wmn> Learning at home? Bitesize is the one! Lessons full of videos, quizzes and practice activities to help you with home learning.

English

Once Upon a Picture <https://www.onceuponapicture.co.uk/>

The wonderful world of photographs and illustrations. Once Upon a Picture has a collection of images to inspire children with their writing and each image has reading skills questions for them to practise at home.

Spelling Shed- Login details are in the process of being created and will be given to pupils as soon as possible.

Pupils can practise their weekly spelling rules and statutory challenge words through a quick online game.

Maths

TT Rockstars: <https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school> *Login details are in the process of being created and will be given to pupils as soon as possible.*

Year 6 children are set battles weekly and a champion is awarded at the end of the week!

Reminders

Homework

Homework is given out every week and must be completed to a high standard and returned to school on time.

PE Days

Tuesday and Thursday

