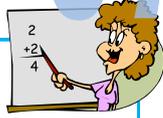




Swanmore CE (Aided)
Primary School

Year 6 Autumn Term

Maths



This term we will build upon all the skills and knowledge from Y5. Topics covered will include:

Place value - factors, multiples and primes.

Mental and written methods of multiplication and division

Shape and Space - properties of 2D and 3D shapes

Measures: length

Please support your children by practicing number bonds and times tables.

English



Many of our English lessons will be inspired by our History topic – Ancient Greece. Our writing will be inspired by the Greek myths, the Trojan War, and various characters from Greek history such as Odysseus.

We will continue to integrate Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar work into weekly lessons.

Key Dates for the term

1.10.18 woods Y6FH
2.10.18 woods Y6M
16.10.18 Harvest Festival
30.10.18-Southampton Art Gallery
2.11.18 FOSPS Fireworks
8.11.18 School Photographs
19.11.18 and 27.11.18 Parents Evenings
22.11.18 Greek Day
29.11.18 Parents open afternoon 3:00 - 3:25
3.12.18 and 10.12.18 Bike-ability training

Science



Our learning will focus on living things and their habitats. This will include learning about the positive and negative aspects of micro-organisms, kingdoms and classification, looking at key scientists in this area and carrying out an investigation.

History

We will be studying life in Ancient Greece. This will include myths, The Battle of Marathon, Athens and Sparta, and evidence from Greek pots.

We will be holding a Greek Day during the second half of the term and children will complete a homework project on Ancient Greece.

Don't Forget

PE Kit should be in school on these days:

Y6H—Mon and Tues

Y6M—Mon and Fri

Homework will be sent out on a Friday to be returned the following Wednesday.

Spellings to be sent out on a Tuesday and tested the following Monday



Music

This term we will be focussing on song lyrics, singing a variety of songs and relating the lyrics to their place in time.



ICT

Our main unit this term is looking at programming skills.

We will be using the 2DIY and Scratch programmes



Art

We will be visiting Southampton Art Gallery where we will study the Perseus pictures and make a model from wire. Art will also feature in our Greek Day activities.



Technology

By the end of the term we will have designed and made a hand puppet. This will include developing sewing and cutting skills.



PDL



Children will have opportunities to express an opinion, give their reasons, listen to the views of others and reflect on feelings relating to a range of topics.



RE

We will look more closely at the religion of Islam.

This will include looking at similarities and differences between Islam and Christianity and the life of Muslims in Britain today.



French

We will revise and consolidate vocabulary learnt in previous years.

We will learn vocabulary linked to school timetable and places in our school.

PE



Gym—balance and symmetry.

Dance— Learn a traditional Greek dance.

PE—develop football and netball skills and play small sided games.

Please ensure that the PE kit is appropriate for when the weather turns colder!