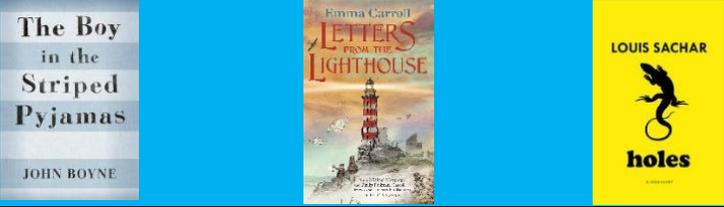
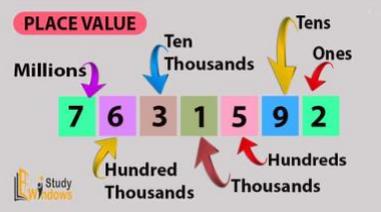


Year 6 Curriculum - Autumn Term 2021

Please take a look at the table below to see what content will be covered in each subject during the Autumn Term.

<p><u>English</u></p> 	<p>During the first half of the Autumn Term, Year 6 will be learning how to write an effective explanation text. These writing skills will be used to communicate our knowledge of the human circulatory system. During the second half of the Autumn Term, we will be focusing our attention on narrative writing. We will be using our World War 2 knowledge to inspire this in a flashback style of writing.</p> <p>During the Autumn Term, we will be reading the following books in class: The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas, Letters From the Lighthouse and Holes.</p>
<p><u>Maths</u></p> 	<p>We will begin Year 6 with consolidation of our place value knowledge, building up to working with numbers up to 10 000 000. Within this, we will explore comparing, ordering and rounding. Following on from our place value work, we will begin working on the four operations, including multiplying and dividing by 2-digit numbers. As the term progresses, we will move onto fractions and decimals.</p>
<p><u>History</u></p> 	<p>The aim of these lessons is for the children in year 6 to get a better understanding of the significant events leading up to and during World War 2 and the impact these have had since. The children will learn about the different Allied and Axis countries as well as significant leaders involved. They will also look in detail at the Battle of Britain and the effect the Blitz had on everyday lives.</p>
<p><u>R.E</u></p> 	<p>During our R.E lessons this term, we will be exploring how different religions explain the role of god in the world. We will be looking at one of the roles of religion is to try to explain the way things are but this isn't always easy to understand due to suffering in the world.</p>

Geography



The key question we will be attempting to answer during these lessons is: 'Would you be lost without a smart phone?' During the Autumn Term, we will be looking at how maps are used for navigation but how their nature has changed over time. As part of our lessons, we will be using maps, digital maps and compasses to navigate ourselves.

Art



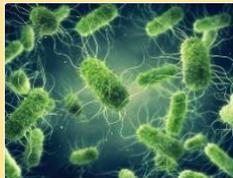
During our Autumn Term art lessons in Year 6, our focus will be on Pop Art with a particular look at Andy Warhol's and Roy Lichtenstein's work. The Year 6's attention will be drawn to the fact that during the 20th century, many artists turned away from tradition for their inspiration and started to look towards everyday life to produce art which could be made quickly. This will become the stimuli for our Year 6s to get creative!

Computing



During the Autumn Term, Year 6 will be tasked with working and collaborating using Google Drive and Google Classroom. Using these platforms will enable them to explore a new range of apps as well as look at the work that goes into planning and designing apps for a particular purpose. As well as that, we will be turning our attention to the very important matter of online safety.

Science



During the Autumn Term, Year 6 will spend time looking in detail at the human circulatory system. They will learn about the importance of the heart as well as the different parts of the system. Following on from this, they will look at how water and nutrients are transported around the human body as well as the importance of a healthy and active lifestyle. Later on in the term, year 6 will look at classifying living things according to common observable characteristics. This will include plants, animals and microorganisms.

<p><u>R.S.H.E</u></p>			<p>During the Autumn Term, our weekly R.S.H.E lessons will focus on the Year 6s learning the importance of independently keeping healthy as they grow. These lessons will cover the physical aspects of health and wellbeing but also the importance of looking after your own mental health too.</p>
<p><u>French</u></p>			<p>Throughout the Autumn Term, our French lessons will consist of phonics, hobbies and classroom subjects.</p>
<p><u>P.E</u></p>		<p>PE lessons will take place on Wednesday mornings. We will endeavour to get the children outside as often as possible so please send the children into school wearing their usual P.E kit of a plain white / Ashleigh t-shirt, shorts, trainers as well as a tracksuit, waterproof jacket, outdoor shoes, hat and gloves for the winter months. During the Autumn Term, Year 6 P.E lessons will consist of the following sports: Netball, Volleyball, Gymnastics and Badminton.</p>	
<p><u>Music</u></p>			<p>The Autumn Term focus will be on Classroom Jazz with a specific look at the song, 'Happy'.</p>
<p><u>Design Technology</u></p>			<p>During our Design Technology lessons, the Year 6s will be exploring the requirements to create a frame structure. Our attention will be focused on techniques which can be used to construct frames which can bear weight such as triangulation. Our outcome will be for the Year 6s to create their own structures demonstrating their use of some of the techniques explored in the lessons.</p>