



Year 6 Owl Class



Here is your curriculum information for Term 5 beginning 15th April 2024

<p>End of KS2 SATS assessments will be taking place wc Monday 13th May:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Date</th> <th>Tests</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Monday 13 May</td> <td>English grammar, punctuation and spelling: – Paper 1: questions – Paper 2: spelling</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tuesday 14 May</td> <td>English reading</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wednesday 15 May</td> <td>Mathematics: – Paper 1: arithmetic – Paper 2: reasoning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Thursday 16 May</td> <td>Mathematics Paper 3: reasoning</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Therefore, in the first half of Term 5 children will be preparing and revising for their Maths, GPS and Reading papers.</p>	Date	Tests	Monday 13 May	English grammar, punctuation and spelling: – Paper 1: questions – Paper 2: spelling	Tuesday 14 May	English reading	Wednesday 15 May	Mathematics: – Paper 1: arithmetic – Paper 2: reasoning	Thursday 16 May	Mathematics Paper 3: reasoning	<p>Religious Education- UNIVERSAL What can be done to reduce racism? Can religion help?</p> <p>Music - How can the style of a piece of music played affect the overall feeling on screen?</p> <p>French - Les Vetements (cont'd from T4) Can I say the words for items of clothing in French?</p> <p>Forest School will continue on a Tuesday afternoon. Please ensure that your child comes to school in appropriate clothing and footwear.</p>
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<p>History- Discover the ancient Maya civilisation (cont'd from T4). 'What if our lives were ruled by gods and planets?' Why were the Sun, Moon and planets so important to the Maya people? How was their behaviour affected by their beliefs? Why was sacrifice so important to the ancient Maya people? Who were the most significant Maya gods and how did they influence the Maya people? How do Maya gods compare to the gods of other ancient civilisations? Art- What did the Maya use ceramics for? How were they created? Can I design a ceramic pot or vase, using the Maya style of decoration? Can I make a ceramic pot or vase, using the Maya style of decoration?</p>	<p>Personal, Social, Health Education – Relationships- The class look at mental health and how to take care of their own mental well-being. They talk about the grief cycle and its various stages; they also discuss the different causes of grief and loss. The children talk about people who can try to control them or have power over them. They look at online safety, learning how to judge if something is safe and helpful as well as talking about communicating with friends and family in a positive and safe way</p> <p>Computing- Can I use technology to create a quiz that can be completed by someone else? E-Safety: Copyright and ownership Managing online information</p>										
<p>Science – How do we see and what happens when light is reflected?</p>	<p>PE (Athletics) will take place every Thursday afternoon (from wc 15th April) so please ensure that your child comes in school PE kit on this day.</p>										

Our English unit is based upon **Maya inspired stories, newspaper articles and narrative**. Regular spelling, grammar, punctuation and handwriting practise is also part of the curriculum. **Whole-class reading and VIPERS comprehension activities will take place daily.** Maths will include learning about **statistics and angles**. *Applied problem-solving and reasoning will continue alongside all maths units.*

Independent reading books can be changed daily and children will be able to take their Star Reading quiz when they have completed their book. Reading journals will be checked regularly to make sure that children are **reading daily at home**.

Please feel free to message on **class dojo** if you have any queries or concerns regarding your child's learning or well-being.

Thank you in advance for your support,

Year 6 Staff