



Curriculum Newsletter

Spring 2 2024

Year 6

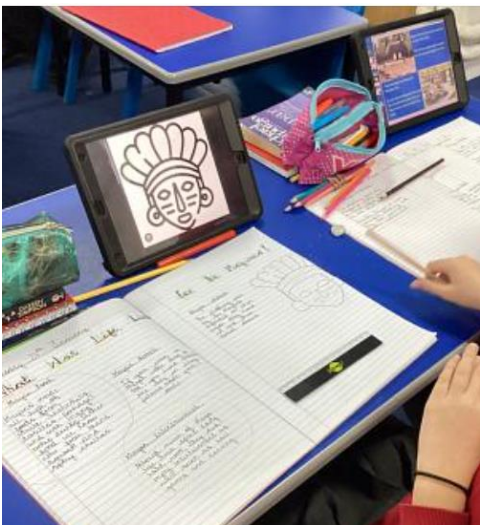
Reading: This half term our reading will focus on 'The Girl of Ink and Stars.'

Spellings: We will continue to work through the spelling rules from EdShed. These can be found on ClassDojo each week. Please continue to support your child to learn their spellings for the test each Friday.

Times tables: Please can children continue to practice their times tables and basic number facts. These can be done a variety of ways including TTRockstars and 1 Minute Maths on their iPads.

Homework: Spelling and Times tables (tested each Friday) Maths and English homework (set weekly on Thursday, due the following Tuesday).

PE Kit: Year 5 will need to come to school in their PE kit every Monday and Friday.



Our learning this term will continue to delve into 'The History of Chocolate.' Establishing meaningful connections with the ancient Mayans of South America, providing a cultural context to enhance understanding. We will also explore the geographical aspects of our food sources by examining concepts such as food miles, carbon footprints, and their impact on climate and biomes.

Meanwhile, our scientific focus for the term centres around the workings of 'The Circulatory System.' an exploration into the human body's vital functions. As we progress further into the term, our scientific inquiry will transition towards 'Evolution and Inheritance'

Key Dates:

Monday 19th Feb – School Reopens

Friday 1st March – Maths Rocks Day

Monday 18th March – Easter Disco

You can help your child to succeed by doing the following:

Daily reading practise with your child (remember to follow the strategies laid out in the reading folder) Daily spelling practise. Times tables and key number facts. Supporting your child to complete their homework independently.

For additional information and resources to support your child's learning, please see our school website and the home school links diaries.

Please feel free to contact us with any queries and we will try to help wherever possible, we will always try to respond to ClassDojo messages on the same day.

Mrs Atkins, Mr Bennett & Mrs Pointon