

Geography-Japanese Tsunamí 2011

Our new topic is the Japanese tsunami of 2011. We will be looking at what tsunamis are, finding out where Japan is in the world, understanding the structure of the earth, and exploring the effects and devastation of the tsunami.

History- Monarchs throughout History

For our new topic we are going to be looking at some of the monarchs throughout history including William I, King John, Henry III, James II, William III and Elizabeth II. There will be lots of new vocabulary to learn too. Overall, we will be looking at how the power of the monarchy changed from the time of William I to the time of Elizabeth II? And, what were the main reasons for this change?

RE Islam

Our RE topic this week is Islam and the work related to this can be found on the homework part of the school website.



Science - Living things and their Habitats

Within this topic, we will be looking at how to describe the differences in the life cycles of a mammal, an amphibian, an insect and a bird. As well as this we will be able to describe the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals



English

Our Writing will be closely linked to our topics about tsunamis and the monarchs throughout history. We will recap the spellings, punctuation and grammar for Year 6 in order to include it in our writing.

We will also be keeping a daily wellbeing journal, where we can reflect on our feelings and try to improve our mind-set. I would like you to do the same thing at home and upload your diary entries into your portfolio.

You should be reading for at least 15 minutes every day and you completing a book review when you finish your book.

Maths

We will be sharpening our arithmetic skills and revisiting the topic of measure. There will also be opportunities to get involved in maths investigations as well.

The following work can be found in the Year 6 homework section of the school website: living things and their habitats, tsunamis, monarchs throughout history and Islam.

Miss Craft

Geography and history work booklets will be available to collect from the school office. Please request these on Dojo or by ringing the school office.

Spellings: immense, vast, gigantic, gargantuan, mammoth, miniature, miniscule, insignificant, microscopic, petite.