



Yarm Primary School

Year 6

Writing

Harry Potter – scientist or magician?

Key Vocabulary

Wand

A stick witches and wizards use to cast spells, they need to have an animal hair inside.

Muggle

People who cannot do magic. (us)

Galleon

The money witches and wizards use to pay for things.

Poltergeist

A mischievous ghost.

Herbology

The study of plants, a lesson Harry and his friends have to partake at their school. This can include dealing with magical plants who try to bite their fingers off.

Centaur

Half man, half horse.

Quidditch

The magical world's version of football.

Transfiguration

The art of turning something into something else.

Giant

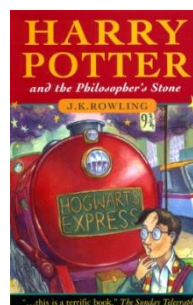
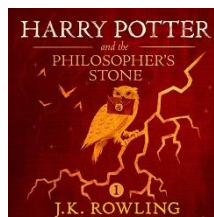
A huge version of man, they can be 25 feet tall, so around 4 times the height of a 6ft person....

Suggested Activities

Try to watch one of the films, or, preferably, read one of the books – the first ones aren't long!

The films are on sky movies at the moment and you can rent the first one from YouTube for £2.49. Alternatively, you can listen to the audiobooks on audible (free 30 day trail) or there are links available on YouTube. The first book is priced at around £6 on Amazon.

Read the 1st book...



'Sticky' Knowledge

- What is the name of a three-headed dog? (links to ancient Greece)
- Does Harry have heroic qualities – what are they?
- What relation does Alnwick castle have to Harry Potter?

