

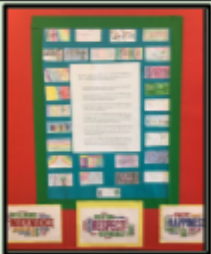
Week beginning

13.09.2021

Year 6 Newsletter



STAR moments



Children have been working hard to create their Class Charters.

Welcome to the new school year! It has been wonderful to see you return to school full of excitement and enthusiasm. Well done for looking super smart in your school uniform. A fantastic start year six!

This week's Happy Leaves are awarded to:

6R: Salim for demonstrating patience and kindness in order to develop positive relationships with members of the class. Well done Salim!

6E: Lelas for her enthusiastic approach to her learning and a wonderful start to Year 6!

6S: Summer for a fantastic start to year 6! The kindness and respect that she has shown to both her peers and her teacher, alongside her willingness to support others, has shone through this week!

PE & Swimming

P.E is on Thursdays so you need to come into school dressed in your P.E. kit with black trainers.

Swimming is on Fridays so you need to come into school dressed in your Fit Friday kit with black trainers.



This week's learning...

Our new topic this term is Human Rights where we will be focusing on respecting and valuing each other's rights as well as promoting a rights respecting environment across our school community.

Guided Reading: We will be reading our new book "My Best Friend the Suffragette" and summarise the main ideas and answer comprehension questions.

English: We will be analysing the features of a letter and researching how Emmeline Pankhurst fought to improve women's rights. We will then use this research to write to Miss Pankhurst and explain how different life is for females in 2021!

Maths: We will be refining our knowledge of place value and working with numbers between 1 million and 10 million using discs, numerals and words. We will also be rounding and comparing numbers placing them in order from smallest to greatest.

Science: We will be continuing to classify animals, this time focusing on invertebrates.

History: We will be creating a timeline about the main achievements and events of the suffragette movement.

RE: We will be finding out about shared practices and values between different religions and secular groups.

RSHE: We will be focusing on the importance of developing positive relationships with others.

Computing: We will explore the concept of 'clickbait' where the internet arouses our curiosity with catchy headlines and attention grabbing images, yet the reality and purpose can be very different.

Art: We will be using Da Vinci's famous Mona Lisa painting as inspiration to draw ourselves with that famous pose and expression.

Secondary school applications for September 2022! Please read the prospectus below to find out how to apply for a secondary school place. Research the schools you are interested in and look out for the open days listed on pages 6 & 7.

<https://www.newham.gov.uk/downloads/file/3662/we-are-going-to-secondary-school-autumn-2021-secondary-composite-prospectus>



Secondary school admissions

Please research the secondary school that you want to attend in September 2022 using this website:

www.newham.gov.uk/school-factfinder

Applications must be sent to:

www.eadmissions.org.uk

Application deadline: 31st October 2021.

Secondary School Open Days this week:

Langdon Academy - Wed 15th September

Over to you...Homework

Continue your work on Mathletics, TT Rockstars and Bug Club. Will you achieve a Mathletics certificate or be one of our weekly TT Rockstars champion?

Remember to read every day and make sure to bring your reading book to school daily.

You can now access the spellings that are taught in class from home. Children can log on to the following website and build on their spelling strategies:

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

Username: star year 6
Password: spelling

Keep in touch!

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