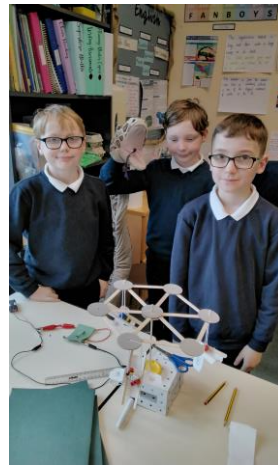


Year 5 and 6 Summer 1 2023 Newsletter

What Has Happened This Term?

Y5/6 have been doing lots more great learning in this short term. We've learned about non-chronological reports and written persuasive texts in English, how land use has changed in the local area in Geography and about evolution and the work of Charles Darwin in Science.

We finished the term with a fantastic DT day building fairground rides- here are some pictures of the great work the children did.



Curriculum- What will the children be learning this term?



Year 5: Decimals Geometry- properties of shapes Geometry- position & direction

Year 6: Data handling & statistics, Geometry & properties of shapes



English-

Finish Non-chronological report

Portal story based on World War 2

Science-

Living things & their habitats

Computing-

Stop-motion animation

History-

The Battle of Britain & World War II

Art & Design

Photography skills

PE-

Eagle class will be swimming in the Summer term from Wednesday 26th April

Indoor- Eagle/Owl class- Gymnastics/Dance

Outdoor- Eagle/Owl class- Invasion games / Athletics

Religion & Worldviews-

What kind of King was Jesus?



Accept changes and negotiate alternative solutions when needed.

Talk about what matters to them and explain why they believe these things to be important.



PSHE- Relationships

Links to British Value of Mutual Respect, Individual Liberty and Tolerance.

French- Cafe Culture and Going to the restaurant

Music- Music And Me- Create your own music inspired by your identity

NUT ALLERGIES

We have children in school who could have an anaphylactic reaction if exposed to nuts or nut traces. Please only send your children to school with packed lunches that do not contain nuts or products containing nut traces. This includes Nutella and other chocolate spreads/products that contain nut traces or MAY contain nut traces.

Thank you

Important Dates

Tuesday 18th April- WW2 Crich Tramway Museum trip

Monday 24th April- Isle of Wight Residential meeting at school, 6pm in old hall

Mondays 1st & 8th May- Bank holidays

Week beginning Tuesday 9th May- Y6 SAT week (more information on SAT letter sent separately)

Communication

Check out our school website- lots of useful information can be found here, including more details about the curriculum and photos from the previous term.

Twitter- each class tweets at least twice a week, so it is a great way of keeping up to date with what is going on in class.

This newsletter- keep it somewhere safe and refer back to it!

Emails to our department are always welcome, and are checked as often as possible, however if your child is ill you must contact the school office as we cannot guarantee that emails we be read first thing in the morning. When emailing in please include the name of the class your child.

Bags and pencil cases

Please do not send your child to school with a rucksack for their school equipment as there is not space on the pegs for these, unless they are bringing their swimming kit. A flat book bag should be used for reading books and any homework. Children do not require their own pencil case, as we will provide them with everything they need. They should not bring any stationary or toys from home in to school, including large key rings or fidget key rings. PE kits should be in drawstring bags as these are easiest to hang on pegs.

Reading & Homework

Please hear your child read or talk to them about what they are reading daily and ensure they have their book in school every day, even fluent readers greatly benefit from reading to you as you can discuss new vocabulary and character development with them. We really do appreciate your support with promoting reading. Children will be receiving homework of either Maths (set online via MyMaths) or SPAG (either as a sheet or book) on alternate weeks.