

Class 6 Curricular Letter



Autumn 2

Dear Parents

Welcome back to the new and exciting half term. I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of your support since the start of term. The children have all settled extremely well into Class 6. I am incredibly proud of how hard they have all worked. They rounded off a brilliant first half term with their magnificent performance in their Class 6 Harvest worship.

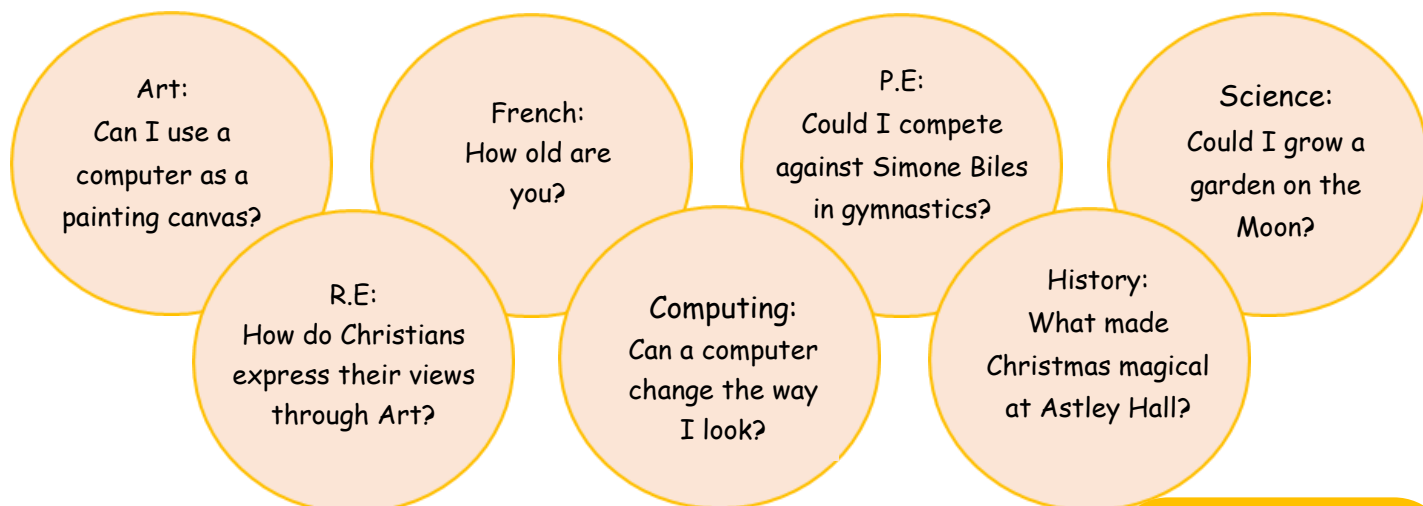
The homework the children brought in, and that which was shared on Seesaw, was amazing! It is great to see so many of the children working on a great range of homework activities.

I am looking forward to an exciting new half term, with the children continuing to show their confidence and determination in all of their work. This half term ahead is again very busy and packed full of challenges and opportunities for the children to enjoy as they learn. We have our class visit to church on Wednesday 12th November when children will be dropped off at church instead of school. We will walk back to school after the service. Our PE day has changed to Thursday for this half term and our lessons will be taught by Chorley SSP. Miss Keeling will continue to teach the children on Friday mornings.

Further details of our curriculum for this half term are included below. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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The Half Term Ahead:



Days to Remember:

Thursday

Children may come to school dressed in their PE kit.

Friday

Miss Keeling will be teaching Class 6 in the morning.

Friday

Spelling and times tables tests.
New spellings and times tables given out.

Please remember to send a healthy snack for breaktime, if you wish.

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Literacy

We will be looking at Folk Tales this half term, in particular, The Tin Forest. The children will explore a range of Folk Tales in school. You can help your child at home by reading Folk Tales together at home.

While we read, we will be looking at prepositions (e.g. above, beyond, under). Later in the term, we will look at writing instructions as we move into the festive season. We will be reading and analysing instructions in order to plan and write our own.

Reading

Your child will take part in a guided reading lessons throughout the week. In these lessons, they will respond to a range of activities from a chosen text. Our first book this half term is called The Butterfly Lion by Michael Morpurgo.

Your child will change their reading book whenever they need to. They will be given a chance to change their book every morning. It is your child's responsibility to change their book, however if you feel this is not being done please get in touch.

Please encourage your child to read to you every night at home.

HOMEWORK DUE IN: Monday 15th December

Many thanks,
Mrs Andrea Miller

Mr Andy Purcell
Class 6 Teacher
Executive Headteacher

Maths



This half term, the children will continue to work on multiplication and division. We will finish the term off with units of work on Time and 3-D shapes.

Children will develop their skills in their Red Rose Maths Workbook. They will also continue to develop their skills and apply them in Deeper Learning tasks in their Maths Journal,

Please assist your child at home with their rapid recall of times tables. The children will all have access to Times Tables Rockstars which will help in this area. The children would particularly benefit from learning their 2,3,4,5,8 and 10 times tables.

Homework

Homework will be set for the half-term in the 'Home Learning Menu' which contains ideas for many areas of the curriculum. All English, Maths and one RE task, plus any other two choices, must be completed. Please do join in with helping and supporting your child as they work on these tasks.

Notes for Parents

Children are encouraged to bring in a water bottle which must be taken home at the end of each day. They can also bring a healthy snack for morning break.

Times Tables and Spellings

Spellings will be sent home each Friday for a test the following week. Please practice these at home as much as possible.

We will also be having a times tables test on a Friday.