

THE YEAR 6 WEEKLY OVERVIEW!

This page aims to give information about the subject areas that your child will be covering in their classes and in their English and Maths sets.

This information is for the week commencing: **Monday 1st October 2018**

MATHS

Miss Edge's Set

In maths this week, we will look at multiplication and division. We will recap the formal written methods and then use these skills to answer word multi-step word problems and investigations.

Mr Shiel's Set

This week, we will look at division and multiplication. We will revise methods for both and use these strategies to play games, solve puzzles and answer word problems. We will have a times table test on Friday and it will be the 9 times tables.

Mr Skrein's Set

This week, we will look at mental and written methods for division and multiplication. We will play some games and complete some problem solving activities that test our skills. We are currently in a Times Tables battle on TTRS against Ms Edge!

Miss Henry's Set

We will move on to multiplication and division this week and will explore how we use written methods to solve one or two step problems. We will also look at multiplying and dividing decimal numbers.

Miss Webb's Set

This week, we will be look at developing mental strategies with addition and subtraction, moving on to partitioning. We will have mental maths on Monday with a times table test of 6x 5x table.

ENGLISH

Miss Edge's Set

This week, we will base our writing on a short film called Alma. We will discuss how tension is created and how it varies throughout the film. We will then focus on using different sentence structures to write some descriptive stories.
Spelling—'tial' words

Mr Shiel's Set

In English, we will look at a short animated film called Alma. The children will use this spooky short story as the stimulus for a piece of writing from the viewpoint of the titular, Alma, as she explores a toy shop which is not all what it seems. Our spelling focus will be on words with silent letters.

Mr Skrein's Set

In English, we will write a short piece based on a film called Alma. We will talk about how tension is created and the focus on identifying a variety of sentence types and using them in our writing.
Spellings—ance/ence

Miss Henry's Set

This week, we will look at speech, in particular at the difference between reported and direct speech. We will go over the rules for writing direct speech and use these to write our own conversation between two characters
Spelling—words where 'y' makes an /i/ sound

TOPIC

In our look at society and government, we will explore democratic parties and children will working in teams to develop their own. They will look at some of the larger issues facing our society and think of ideas which reflect those problems to present in a manifesto.

SCIENCE

Continuing on from our work on forces, we shall look at Friction. This week, we will explore this concept through a fable about a King who lived on top of a mountain. The children will be asked to create an experiment which responds to the dilemma facing a character from the story.