

Our Trip this half term will be to:

Residential to Coniston



Horton Park Primary
We Learn to Succeed

Year 6

Spring 1

Miss Bi, Mrs Naylor &

Mr Farooq

Our Topic

How does the past shape our future?

This half term we will be learning about:

- ⇒ The Ancient Greeks
- ⇒ Light and the Eye
- ⇒ Sculpture
- ⇒ Coding

Reminders!

- Boosters for Year 6 are Wednesdays 3.15pm-4.15m with Mrs Naylor and Mr Farooq. If your child has a booster with Miss Bi the times are 3.00pm—4.00pm
- Residential dates are 6A 12th—14th January. 6B 2nd—4th February.
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Homework.

Your child will receive homework online—Mathletics and I am Learning—every Friday and must be completed each week by the following Friday. There is a homework club available every Thursday 3.00pm—4.00pm but they must return the letter.

Homework will include:

- Mathletics homework—reflecting the work from that week in class.
- I am Learning—SPAG homework.
- Daily Reading—Raving Readers Challenge and completion of Home School diaries
- Our Project Homework this half term will be based around our Evolution topic.

Maths

This half term we will be covering:

- ⇒ Application of operations in context—word problems.
- ⇒ Algebra and formula.
- ⇒ Measures, money and time.
- ⇒ Fractions, decimals and percentages.
- ⇒ Data handling

You could help your child at home by ensuring that they know their x tables up to 12 x 12.

English

This half term we will be covering:

- ⇒ Writing a Greek Myth.
- ⇒ Writing a biography about Genghis Khan
- ⇒ Persuasive writing.

You could help your child at home by practising the year 5 and 6 spellings at the back of the home school diary. Asking them to write stories at home.

Practising spelling, punctuation and grammar.

Reading

This half term we will :

- ⇒ Read a range of poems.
- ⇒ Our class novel will be Percy Jackson and Lightning Thief.
- ⇒ Wider reading about Light, the eye and the Ancient Greeks.

You could help your child at home by ensuring that they take part in the Raving Reader challenge by recording their reading every day in the home school diary. Asking your child about their reading book. Visits to the library and discussing articles that they have read.

Science

This half term we will be:

- ⇒ Learning about the eye and how we see.
- ⇒ Learning about rays of light.
- ⇒ Learning about the spectrum of light.

You could help your child by researching light at home.

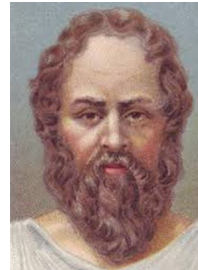
Art

This half term we will be:

- ⇒ Creating sculptures of Greek mythical creatures.
- ⇒ Using Damien Hirst as our artist inspiration.
- ⇒ Using a range of equipment and tools to create our pieces.

You could help your child by looking at different types of sculpture and other famous artists.

Get Inspired!



“Wisdom begins in
wonder”

Socrates

