

Useful Online Resources

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Mathletics

Oxford Reading Buddy

Language Nut

Purple Mash



Horton Park Primary
We Learn to Succeed

Year 6

Spring 2

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Our Topic

How does the past shape our future?

This half term we will be learning about:

⇒ The Ancient Greeks

⇒ Citizenship

⇒ Light

⇒ Coding

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Reminders!

- Home learning is updated on Seesaw.
- Live lessons will occur on Google Classroom.
- Email year6@hortonparkacademy.co.uk for support.

Homework.

Your child will receive homework every Friday and must be returned to school by Wednesday each week.

Homework will include:

- Maths homework
- 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.
- ⇒ Angles.
- ⇒ Measures, money and time.
- ⇒ Data handling.
- ⇒ Geometry, shape and coordinates.
- ⇒ Ratio and proportion.

You could help your child at home by applying their concept of measures e.g when cooking or travelling in a car.

English

This half term we will be covering:

- ⇒ The Adventures of Odysseus
- ⇒ Writing a speech.
- ⇒ Writing a balanced argument.

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 letters at home.

Practising spelling, punctuation and grammar.

Reading

This half term we will:

- ⇒ Read a range of poems.
- ⇒ Learn how to be critical when reading newspapers.
- ⇒ Wider reading about Light 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.. You could expose your children to newspapers and encourage them to read the wider news with you.

Science

This half term we will:

- Recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines
- Understand that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye
- Explain that we see things because light travels from light sources, hits an object and reflects into our eyes
- Use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them

You could help your child by researching light at home.

PSHE—Citizenship

This half term we will be:

- To understand what being part of a community means.
- To consider my local community and recognise some institutions that support it.
- To know about the institutions that support communities locally and nationally.
- To recognise and research the role of voluntary health and wellbeing groups and begin to offer recommendations.
- To identify features of a successful community.

You could help your child at home by discussing what makes up your community e.g religion, culture.

RE

This half term we will be:

- ⇒ Learning about the significance of sacred writing.
- ⇒ Discussing what we value and consider to be sacred.
- ⇒ Learning about the importance of key scriptures in different religions.
- ⇒ Applying religious teachings to scenarios.

