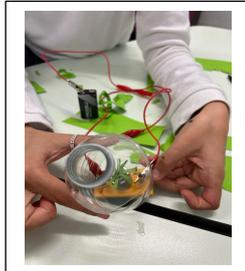




Hazelbury Primary School

# Year 6 Newsletter Summer One 2024

## Year 6 Learning Experiences in Spring 2



Last half term, Year 6 enjoyed learning about electricity, attending an inspiring workshop for science week and using formulas to create spreadsheets. The pupils enjoyed a bedtime story for 'World Book Day' and also created inspiring work as part of their home learning.

### What will your child be learning about this half term?

In **English** we will be reading, 'War Horse', 'Armistice Runner' and 'Eye of the storm'. We will be writing in different genres including: a descriptive recount, a diary entry, a biography and a poem. We will be focusing on learning the following grammar rules: To use colons and semi-colons, to manipulate grammar for effect, to be able to use a full range of punctuation and to confidently be able to spell words from the Year 5/6 spelling list.

In **maths**, we will be focusing on consolidating all areas in maths with a focus on reasoning style questions and arithmetic.

Our topic in **science** is *Animals including humans*.

Our **learning quest** this half term is *What is the impact of conflict?*

We will be focusing on learning skills in history such as: Understanding the methods of historical enquiry, including how evidence is used rigorously to make historical claims, and discern how and why contrasting arguments and interpretations of the past have been constructed.

In **art**, we will be sketching and painting based on the work of artist Albert Richards.

In **music**, the children will listen and appraise four different inspirational female artists and compose their own song.

In **PE**, we will be practising athletic and cricket skills.

In **Religion and Worldviews**, the children will discuss 'All faiths and worldviews have the same ethos.' Additionally, they will learn about different traditions around the world.

In **French** the children will learn how to write and speak about themselves confidently.

### Key Dates for our Year Group this half term

This is in addition to the whole school key dates.

Date	Event
13.5.24 – 16.5.24	SATS week
20.05.24 – 22.05.24	School Journey

### Our Recommendations:

#### **Book Recommendation:**

Once by Morris Gleitzman

#### **Website recommendation:**

trockstars.com

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zrybvk7>

Edshed.com