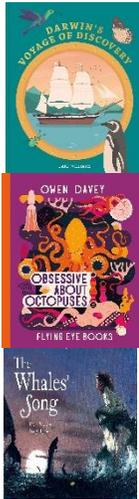


Year 6 Curriculum Web – Spring 2 2021

Writing		<p>This half term we will be reading 'Darwin's Voyage of Discovery', 'Obsessive about Octopuses' by Owen Davey and 'The Whales Song' by Dylan Sheldon. We will then study 'Throwing a Tree' and 'Snow in the Suburbs' by Thomas Hardy. In our writing lessons we will focus on writing to discuss through for and against arguments, balanced arguments and reviews building on our persuasive descriptive and informative writing from last term. We will be developing our consistency in the quality of our writing.</p>	<p>Science</p> <p><u>Electricity</u></p> <p>In science, we will be learning about how to create simple and parallel circuits, to use symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram and be able to investigate the brightness of a bulb and the loudness of a buzzer. We will use our scientific skills to take repeat measurements, explain the degree of trust in results and use predictions to set up a fair test.</p>	<p>Computing</p> <p><u>Introduction to spreadsheets</u></p> <p>Children will use Google Forms and Google Sheets to answer questions by using spreadsheets to organise and calculate data.</p>
			<p>Music</p> <p><u>Rhythm</u></p> <p>In music this half term, the children will continue to work with the wonderful Mr. Fisher – our music specialist. They will sing a range of songs and learn about key notations, rhythm and pulse. The children will also continue to work with our brilliant steel pan teacher once a week.</p>	<p>PSHE</p> <p><u>Living in the Wider World</u></p> <p>This half term, children will learn about the benefits of safe internet use, how and why images online might be manipulated, altered or faked, how online content can be designed to manipulate people's emotions and encourage them to share things and learn about the restrictions and regulations for using social media.</p>
<p>Reading</p>	<p>Maths</p> <p><u>Number/Number Facts/Multiplication</u></p> <p>In maths, the children will be learning about fractions, decimals and percentages. This will include: adding and subtraction fractions with different denominators; multiplying and dividing fractions; converting between fractions decimals and percentages; finding percentages of an amount and solving problems using their knowledge. We shall also learn about ratio.</p>	<p>Art/Design</p> <p><u>Blue Planet- textiles</u></p> <p>The children will explore different textiles, evaluate existing products, learn how to measure, cut and shape materials safely and accurately. The will learn how to do a running and blanket stitch and evaluate their own work.</p>	<p>RE</p> <p><u>Christianity & Judaism</u></p> <p>This half term, the children will be learning about the beliefs and practices of Jewish people. They will develop their skills to be able to remember the right names for things that are special to believers, talk about what they find interesting or puzzling and talk about things that happen to them.</p>	
<p>Geography</p>	<p><u>Blue Planet</u></p> <p>In geography we will learn the characteristics of the world's oceans, recognise the adaptations of marine species, investigate marine areas and the impact of tourism, identify the impact of over fishing on a UK working fishing village and explain the dangers of plastic in the ocean on marine life and other creatures.</p>	<p>PE</p> <p><u>Dance</u></p> <p>In Spring 2, children will work collaboratively to include more complex compositional ideas. They will talk about different styles of dance with understanding using appropriate language and terminology. They will use tension and extension to control their body, explore space in dance and perform some basic street dance skills.</p>	<p>Spanish</p> <p><u>Spanish</u></p> <p>In Spanish, children will be learning to communicate and give opinions about sports; talk about the sports they do; use two key verbs in the present tense and earn expressions of frequency to say how often you do different sports.</p>	