

Year 6 News

Monday 10th May 2021

The children have had a fantastic week last week exploring many areas of the curriculum. We have finished publishing our Dartmoor Legends (to be read around the campfire on our residential!) and have begun to think about our next area in English: news articles!

We continue to develop our athletics and fielding skills in cricket and have also been exploring the work of designer Mary White. This week we will be finishing writing our own raps!

Mr Hubbard and Mr Pattison

HOME LEARNING

Reading – children should aim to read at home for 20-30 minutes every day. This is on top of any reading that they do at school. This can be either reading to an adult or reading independently for pleasure. At the moment, we are unable to send reading records home so if you do have any queries then please message your child's teacher on Dojo or send us an email.

Maths – there are four MyMaths activities available on the website, please get in touch if you have forgotten your child's login details. These activities should not take any longer than 45 minutes altogether. They will be released on Monday and the children have a full week to complete them.

Times tables – please focus on the 8 times table this week and spend 10 minutes a day practising. You can also practise on TT Rockstars:
<https://play.ttrockstars.com>

Spellings to learn this week – recommend, amateur, explanation, restaurant, ancient, familiar

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SUBJECT-SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Maths

Angles, protractor, polygons, regular, irregular, nets, two dimensional, three dimensional.

English

Past perfect progressive tense, formal/informal tone, direct/indirect quotation

SUBJECT-SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Science

Evolution, natural selection, fossils, common ancestors

Other

Research, verse, rhyme, rhythm, beat, pattern

AOB

Hopefully, everybody has received the kit list for our residential - please fill in any other relevant documentation too as soon as possible

There will be a Zoom meeting for a short presentation about what exactly they will be getting up to and any questions you may have next Monday 17th May. Zoom link will be sent out via dojo closer to the time.