

Meet The Teacher

Badgers

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A day in Year 5/6...

What does it look like?

Resilience

A love for reading

High expectations

Exciting learning opportunities

Challenge

Risk-taking environment

A typical week ...

- > Daily maths and English
- > Guided reading four times a week
- > Weekly science
- > Project based topic
- > Handwriting, arithmetic, SPAG
- > PE twice a week



SATS

In May, year 6 will undertake their Key Stage 2 SATs.

We present all the children with SATs style questions throughout the year and talk them through different question types so that when SATs week arrives, it will just seem like an extension of what they already do in class.

Year 6 children will already be familiar with these as they will have seen examples last year; year 5 will be introduced to them through our learning journeys.

SATs

There are 6 different papers:

- Punctuation and grammar
- Spelling
- Reading
- Arithmetic
- 2 x maths reasoning

Writing (other than SPaG) isn't assessed in a SATs paper. It is assessed through the work they produce independently in class and can be moderated by Hampshire County Council.

There will be a meeting for year 6 children and parents later in the year which will provide more information.

End of year writing expectations

Year 5

On Monday 20th June 2022

Can I ~~use~~ inform using research?

Poseidon

One of the most legendary of the 12 Great Olympians was Poseidon (God of the sea, earthquakes and horses.)

He was extremely well respected, as he was related to Zeus - King of all gods.

Appearance

Poseidon is often pictured with a trident, curly hair and curly beard, a mermaid tail underwater and human legs above water. He would look like a ^{regular} normal civilian on the ground as he wears a tunic. He is sometimes shown in a chariot pulled by horses with fish tails.

Brig History

Poseidon had a horrible history with his father, Kronos, ^{notorious} evil and ~~evil~~ ^{malicious} and swallowed Poseidon, Hades and their siblings except Zeus.

They escaped because Zeus grew old and forced Kronos to disgorge them. Poseidon had 8 children with ^{several} a wife.

~~of~~ ~~diff~~ different women. Interestingly, his children ranged from sea monsters to horses.

Mythology

Since he is extremely well known, Poseidon is in a lot of myth (the most famous being the titans story.) In

Medusa, Poseidon is in a relationship with her ~~before~~ ^{repulsive} before she turned ~~ugly~~ ^{repulsive} from Athena's ~~course~~ ^{course} curse.

He also fell in love with Demeter and created the horse to impress her - this is why he the god of horses.

In another myth, ~~he~~ ^{he} ~~also~~ ^{he} defeated the Polybotes by ~~breaking~~ ^{breaking} ~~breaking~~ ^{hurling} of a part of the island of Kos and ~~throwing~~ ^{hurling} it at the Polybotes.

Range of cohesive devices

Ensure your language choices are uplevelled. For example ugly → ^{repulsive} ✓

I've circled some examples ✓

End of year writing expectations

Year 6

Scorantula

According to research, Scorantulas are one of the deadliest insects on ~~our~~ ^{Earth} planet. Feared by all, any human wouldn't dare to enter its presence.

Amazing Appearance

Unsurprisingly, the Scorantula lives up to its name - its pinching claws can gauge ~~out~~ ^{through} flesh and inject its deadly venom. Its vibrant shell can mask its neon colors to ~~as~~ camouflage from all predators. This insect's hairy legs ~~can~~ ^{will} leave you with a stinging ~~allergic~~ ^{allergic} reaction just from one stroke.

Hospitable Habitat

With temperatures reaching 150°C , the desert plains of ~~the~~ Texas are nearly unbearable for anything to survive in. Scorantulas mainly ~~live~~ ^{seek residence} in 5ft ~~deep~~ holes, but are decreasing in population as

Diet

Scorantulas are incredibly dangerous creatures who use their poisonous hairs to infect their prey. Their diet mostly consists of small vertebrates such as: lizards and small snakes. Luckily, ~~for~~ humans are not included in this list, however, if you were to harm one, the Scorantula would not think twice about making you their next victim.

Fun Fact

Impressively, they catch their prey by ~~raising~~ ^{using} their ~~an~~ infra-red heat vision.

Leadership

Year 6

10 week programme

Certificate

Leadership responsibility around school

Reward at the end of the year



Homework:

Spelling:

Statutory words. A set of weekly words to learn the spelling and meaning will be sent home with their homework book to be brought back into school on a Thursday.



Times tables:

Children have a TTRockstars login. Please practise as frequently as possible.

Reading:

As expected last year, children will have a reading diary to write in and have signed by an adult. Please read at least 3 times a week.

Later in the year, year 6 children will receive CGP revision books to help prepare them for SATs.

Year 5 and 6 Statutory Spellings

accommodate	category	determined	forty	marvellous	programme	soldier
accompany	cemetery	develop	frequently	mischievous	pronunciation	stomach
according	committee	dictionary	government	muscle	queue	sufficient
achieve	communicate	disastrous	guarantee	necessary	recognise	suggest
aggressive	community	embarrass	harass	neighbour	recommend	symbol
amateur	competition	environment	hindrance	nuisance	relevant	system
ancient	conscience	equipment	identity	occupy	restaurant	temperature
apparent	conscious	equipped	immediate	occur	rhyme	thorough
appreciate	controversy	especially	immediately	opportunity	rhythm	twelfth
attached	convenience	exaggerate	individual	parliament	sacrifice	variety
available	correspond	excellent	interfere	persuade	secretary	vegetable
average	criticise	existence	interrupt	physical	shoulder	vehicle
awkward	curiosity	explanation	language	prejudice	signature	yacht
bargain	definite	familiar	leisure	privilege	sincere	
bruise	desperate	foreign	lightning	profession	sincerely	

Spelling

Top Ten ways to learn a spelling

- 1 Break it into sounds eg  CAT
- 2 Break it into syllables eg  REMEMBER
- 3 Break it into root words and affixes eg  UN LIKE LY
- 4 Use a mnemonic eg  **NECESSARY**
one collar
two sleeves
- 5 Use your knowledge of word roots eg  **MUSIC**
MUSICAL
MUSICIAN
- 6 Use word families eg  **WOULD**
SHOULD
COULD
- 7 See words within words eg  **SEPARATE**
a friend to the end
a rat in separate
- 8 Use spelling rules eg  **CRY, CRIES**
- 9 By sight - learn the shape of the word eg  **Help**
Look, Cover, Remember, Write, Check
- 10 By movement - get used to writing the word with your finger, a pen, in the air. eg  write

Year 3 and 4 Statutory Spellings

accident	calendar	eight	guide	mention	possession	straight
accidentally	caught	eighth	heard	minute	possible	strange
actual	centre	enough	heart	natural	potatoes	strength
actually	century	exercise	height	naughty	pressure	suppose
address	certain	experience	history	notice	probably	surprise
although	circle	experiment	imagine	occasion	promise	therefore
answer	complete	extreme	increase	occasionally	purpose	though
appear	consider	famous	important	often	quarter	thought
arrive	continue	favourite	interest	opposite	question	through
believe	decide	February	island	ordinary	recent	various
bicycle	describe	forward	knowledge	particular	regular	weight
breath	different	forwards	learn	peculiar	reign	woman
breathe	difficult	fruit	length	perhaps	remember	women
build	disappear	grammar	library	popular	sentence	
busy	early	group	material	position	separate	
business	earth	guard	medicine	possess	special	

Social media

Age Restrictions for Social Media Platforms

What is the minimum age for account holders on these social media sites and apps?




Under 13

-  Roblox
-  PopJam
-  FaceTime

13+

-  Twitter
-  Facebook and Messenger
-  Viber
-  WeChat
-  Monkey
-  Yubo
-  Dubsmash
-  Instagram
-  TikTok
-  Skype
-  Google Hangouts
-  Reddit
-  Snapchat
-  Pinterest

16+

-  WhatsApp
-  Telegram Messenger
-  Tumblr

17+

-  Line
-  Sarahah
-  Tellonym

Sourced from NSPCC website October 2019

Safe

The S is for Safe. This is all about keeping your personal information safe.

Meeting

This is about making friends online and thinking about meeting up with them. You should only ever meet an online friend with a parent or carer's permission and if they can come with you.

Accepting

When you receive an email or instant message with an attachment, you need to think about how safe it is to open it.

Reliable

Remember that people online are not always reliable. Anyone can say anything online.

Tell

If you're ever worried, uncomfortable or just have questions about something you've seen online, the number 1 rule is... TELL someone!

Do you spend too much time online?

Social media is constant - it can mean that children never 'leave the playground'.

Our topic based curriculum:

AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
		




Autumn: Art/Computing

Spring: History

Summer: Geography

Working towards a project while retrieving previous skills.

Coming up:

AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER
		
<p>Can art(ists) make a difference?</p> <p>Influence, identity, responsibility</p>	<p>What makes us civilised?</p> <p>Legacy, Beliefs, Society</p>	<p>Does adversity always make you stronger?</p> <p>Change, Resilience, Migration</p>
<p>Art Gallery Residential - Mill on the Brue</p>	<p>Mosque visit</p>	<p>Coasts - Barton cliff top</p>