

Stanton Bridge Primary School Newsletter

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Year 6 Newsletter



Year 6 have had an exciting half term and have enjoyed lots of different topics and events throughout the term. Year 6 team: Miss Dove, Mrs. Harris, Mr Bell, Miss Porter and Miss Goodworth.

Home Learning

In our year 6 home learning we have been consolidating our current math's topics and also practicing our comprehension skills with reading booklets.

Spellings

In year 6, it is crucial to learn and memorise your spellings; it will allow you to become familiar with spelling patterns and apply them to unfamiliar words. It is useful within writing sessions too!



Reading Books

Reading books are changed on a weekly basis. Please make sure that reading books and reading diaries are brought into school **every day!**

English

This term Year 6 have completed an exciting project all about deforestation and the harvesting of palm oil. 'There's a Rang-Tan in My Bedroom' is an animated video clip all about the orangutans and how they are facing extinction due to their habitats being destroyed for palm oil. We all wrote a persuasive letter to the Prime Minister informing her of these horrors and why we should stop adding palm oil to our products.

Mathematics

In mathematics we have been looking at measurement, time and area and perimeter.

Some groups in year 6 have had fun weighing out and measuring different items and using their skills to read scales and convert different units of measure.

Science

Our science topic this term has been looking at living things and their habitats. We have looked at different species of animal and classified them into different categories based on their features and characteristics. We also looked at microorganisms during this topic and looked at how mould grows. We've learned about the different types of fungi and bacteria and how some of them can be helpful to us.



PE

During P.E. this term Miss Dove's class have developing their basketball skills. They have practised dribbling and shooting and using different pass techniques.

Mrs Harris's class have been swimming this term and have really enjoyed learning new strokes in the water.



Art

In art Year 6 have been looking at the resist method technique of Batik art. We have used this method to produce a range of different art works, including our final piece which were tribal masks.



French Day!

This half term the whole of KS2 celebrated French day. Year 6 had a very eventful day of cooking some French food.

We created an instruction and recipe leaflet and then got to work! We made some French onion soup and some French baguettes. It was delicious! We also had the privilege to watch a performance from a French duet who were very entertaining!



Our children are currently enjoying competing against each other in our time tables rock stars competition. Please encourage them to practise at home using the website. www.titrockstars.com

Year 6 Team