Week beginning

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Year 6 Newsletter

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Magic Moments!

We are so proud of the hard work and effort that all of year 6 have shown in their English assessments this week! We have had some great class discussions and the children have been really proactive in setting themselves targets and goals for the future. Well done, year 6!

Lloyd has continued to an absolute superstar within science lessons and is always ready to share his outstanding ideas and knowledge with the class.

We have been thinking about sacrifice in RE this week. Evie explained how the children have sacrificed things like going on holiday this year and seeing grandparents, in order to keep people safe. We are so proud of our children!

Alfie demonstrated fantastic debating skills in our topic lesson this week when comparing crime and punishment throughout history. He spoke so clearly and confidently, anddemonstrated great respect when listening

A Peek at the Week...

This week is going to be extra special as we will be focussing on Black History Month.

In English, we will be creating TV news reports around Windrush. We will be looking at the events of Windrush and creating our own news reports to retell what happened.

In maths, we will be looking at the process of BIDMAS so that we can understand the order in which operations must be calculated. This can be quite tricky so we will be looking for the children that demonstrate our core value of great determination!

Our topic lessons this week will focus on black history, particularly, inspirational people. We will look at events throughout history and discuss and understand why studying black history is so important. We will study Nelson Mandela and how influential he was to the people of South Africa. Our topic lessons will end with a look at Martin Luther King Jr's inspirational 'I have a dream' speech. The children will be using this to create their own speech about their dreams and goals.

Don't Forget!

6G and 6L PE days are Thursdays. 6S PE days are Fridays. Don't forget that children can wear their P.E kit to school on these days. P.E takes place outside so children should be dressed for all weathers! Please ensure your child is also bringing a warm, waterproof coat to school.

Over to you... Home Learning

Homework is set every MONDAY and due in the following Monday. This week Year 6 have the following online tasks to complete:

MyMaths: Finding the lowest common multiple.

Reading Eggs: The Way of the Dragon (whole book – you have all of the half term holiday to read this).

Google Classroom: Topic activity linked to Black History Month.

Spellings

The rule of the week is:

****CHALLENGE WORDS****

The spellings you will need to learn are:

amateur category correspond environment frequently language occur queue signature twelfth

Log in to Spelling shed to practise!

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