

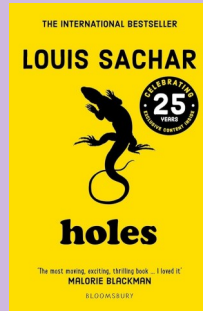
What are we learning this half term?

This half term, in Maths we will be focusing on Measures: learning specifically about length, weight and capacity. We will also be looking at Perimeter & Area .

In reading this half term, we will be reading Louis Sachar's 'Holes'. We will use this text to help us develop key skills, such as retrieval, inference, deduction, summarizing and sequencing.

In our writing this half term, we are writing a mixed genres for a range of audience and purposes. We will be focusing on vocabulary choices as well as clauses and phrases, prepositions, synonyms and antonyms.

Year 6 will also be working hard throughout the half term with additional SATs practice.



P.E

In P.E this half term, we will be working on Lacrosse & Hockey, Danish Long Ball. Children will also continue sessions with Junior Jam. On a Wednesday, please ensure your child comes to school in their full **P.E kit, which is a white t-shirt, black shorts, black jogging bottoms/ leggings, pumps or trainers.**

On the following days, your child should bring their PE kit to change into:

5HW Thursday

5GA/LW Tuesday (swimming kit)

6NP Monday

6LB Thursday

School Uniform and Lost Property

A reminder that all children should come to school in school uniform. This includes a burgundy jumper or cardigan, white polo shirt and black trousers, skirt or pinafore. **School shoes/trainers must be black.** We have a large number of lost property items from the last term, if you are missing anything please come and have a look.



Early Bird Learning

Remember learning starts at 8:30. This gives the children the opportunity to continue to build on those valuable Maths skills. Some children in Y6 will also be invited to take part in morning or afternoon boosters. We will also be practicing our handwriting during this time too.

Geography and Science

We will be starting a new topic in Geography **Investigating latitude and longitude: The Northern Hemisphere & The Arctic circle**

We will be using our mapping skills to find out where longitude and latitude coordinates are as well as explore the polar regions. We will also be looking at the different time zones around the world before moving on to global issues.

In Science we will be focusing on :

Physics Energy, Forces and Motion - Moving Objects.

Spellings, Home Reading and Homework

As always Reading is a key focus area both in school and at home and we will ensure that children continue to bring a suitable book home daily to read. Please ensure your child reads at home each night and returns a completed journal each day.

Every Friday children will receive spellings and a reading and maths homework

