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Field View  
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## Spelling / Handwriting

Each term your child will be sent home with a spelling and handwriting booklet to complete. The booklet will contain a list of spellings which children need to learn how to read and write in preparation for their weekly spelling test. It also contains a handwriting practise sheet to help children improve their handwriting and presentation of work in class. At the beginning of the year, your child will be given a list of words they should know by the end of the year which you can practise with your child on a regular basis.

## Maths

Every Friday your child will be given a piece of maths homework to complete at home. This will be something that they have already covered in school. The homework needs to be completed for the following Monday.

## Don't forget...

Your child will be heard read every week in school and this will supplement reading activities in lessons. We would appreciate it, therefore, if you could ensure your child brings their reading book and record into school every day.

## PE

PE is every Tuesday and Thursday. Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school on these days.

# Year 6 Curriculum Leaflet

## Autumn 1

In this leaflet you will find out about what your child will be learning during this half term and how you can help them at home.

It gives you information about what is going to be taught in all areas of the curriculum in school and suggests some ways in which you can get involved and help out at home.

We see this as a great opportunity for you to share in your child's education.

On the back page you will find further information regarding homework and what to expect each week.

Thank you for your support!

Year 6 Staff



Mr Patel



Mrs Price

# Road trip USA!

*Buckle up! Sunglasses on – we're going on a road trip across the good old U S of A. Flying from London Gatwick, and landing at JFK airport – New York. It's time to explore the sights and sounds of the big apple! It's going to be a long ride, put the roof down and let the wind blow through your hair! We are off!*



## Our Topic

Within our topic, we will be exploring the physical and human features of both North and South America.

We will look closer at the different cities within America and using cross-curricular links to look at statistics linked to those cities and explore why they are such popular destinations to visit.

Children will embrace the culture of Native American people and will study their everyday lives.

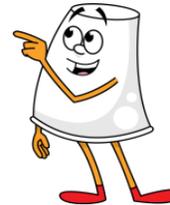
In DT children will create Native American dream catchers.

## Maths

In maths lessons children will be looking at methods to multiply, divide, add and subtract and will be applying them to problems. We will also be looking at the relationship between fractions, percentages and decimals.

Children will also be looking at angles specifically drawing, measuring and identifying them.

In measures lessons we will be converting between different units. In particular mass, length and capacity.



## PSHE

Our PSHE topic is all about new beginnings. Children will be looking at being back to school – the rules and how to act in class and around school.

We will be looking at how to treat each other and different strategies which will help us to get along.

## Science

In Science this term we will look at inheritance and evolution.

We will look closely at inheritance and acquired characteristics. We will study the theory of evolution, looking at Charles Darwin and Mary Anning.

## English

Children will be reading the book: Holes by Louis Sachar. A fantastic story about an American boy who ends up in Camp Green in America.

Children will become the character: writing diary extract from his point of view. They will write alternative parts of the story and write a letter back to their parents from the camp.

Children will also write a brochure for America in their Thematic writing.

Children will also be practising spellings from the Year 6 word list correctly. You could help at home by practising handwriting with children and choosing some of the spellings from the Year 6 word list to practise with your child.

## Reading

Your child will bring home a reading book to read to you. These books are chosen carefully based on assessments to help your child make the best progress with their reading. We would appreciate it if you could listen to your child read regularly and record brief comments in their reading record to let the teacher know how your child is getting on.

Your child will also be bringing home a library book to share with you. These books are chosen by the children and so may sometimes be quite difficult or seemingly easy for them to read. These books are for you to enjoy with your child rather than expect them to be able to read them to you.