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Hi Year 6; I hope you had a great half term and recharged all your batteries! Here is some new learning for this week. There is only English and Maths for four days as Monday would be an INSET day in school but I have given you a full range of other activities to choose from as well. I hope you enjoy them. Looking forward to seeing you soon, Mrs Bolton









	spelling grammar punctuation	Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar
		Verbs
		A verb is the most important word in any sentence. The verb is the doing word, the action word. It is the word which tells us what <i>happens</i> , what <i>is happening</i> , what <i>will happen</i> , what <i>has happened</i> , what <i>happened</i> , and so on. The English language is very rich in verbs. Try to choose verbs that really bring your sentences to life.
		1 Our cat with the mouse for a while, then he suddenly it.
		2 Archie onto the dance floor and at the nearest pretty girl.
		3 "Someone has the Diamond!" Joe.
		4 Tarzan was so hungry he a whole wild pig by himself.
Maths		<i>Maths</i> video links to the White Rose Maths teaching videos. These should helpfully guide the children through the learning process for unit covered. The corresponding worksheets are available on the school website on our Home Learning class page. This week we are recapping Mental and Written Addition and Subtraction https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-6/week-3/
	Monday – INSE Tuesday – Add	



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 Wednesday – Subtract whole numbers with more than 4 digits (column method)

 Thursday – Inverse operations (addition and subtraction)

 Friday – Multi-step addition and subtraction problems

 The final lesson is to Add and Subtract Integers – do this if you feel confident and want to consolidate your learning a little more.

 ** EMC - If you wish to have a go at a SATs style paper with mixed Arithmetic questions, I have included this (with answers at the back for Parents) as Attachment 12 ** Additional Maths Activities

 TTRS - https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/pupils

 See below for a few extra short Maths activities you can try (Ski Run and varied Arithmetic Questions)

 • Ski – Run - http://www.mathsbox.org.uk/re/sandc/srns/sr2%20(Web)/html5.html







	Pilgrim's Pathway	Harris And And And And And		
	This half term, until we are back in school, we are going to be following the Archbishop of York's Youth Trust Pilgrim's Pathway.	Pil erim Pethweys		
	I have attached the Powerpoint Attachment 13	to any to the second		
	The focus this week is LAMP	A Think and the total		
	Challenges			
RE	 Discover: Research the story of 'The Lady of the Lamp. How did she bring light into the darkness of war? What can you learn from her example? 			
	 <i>Reflect:</i> Try a fingerprint labyrinth journey. Use this as a time to think reflect or to pray about bringing light to the world. Attachment 14 	E		
	 Create: Make your own lamp. Use coloured film for the windows and place an LED tea light inside to let the light shine out. On the outside write character virtues that a person needs to bring light in a dark place 	ace.		
	Act: Who has been an important light in your life? How could you say thank you to them? Where can you be a light for oth kindness?	ners and show		
Science	Our unit is Living Things and Animals including Humans			
	This half term, we are going to re-cap classification, discuss vertebrates and invertebrates and how we group plants before moving on to specialising in the Circulatory System of our bodies			



	What are the different animal kingdoms?				
	https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/what-are-the-different-animal-kingdoms-6cvp6r				
	In this week's lesson, we are going to learn how living organisms are classified. We will learn a kingdoms and then we will focus on the animal kingdom.	about the 5			
	New topic!				
Design Technology	This term we are focusing on 'Healthy Eating', more specifically the Eatwell Plate and the importance of a balanced diet. Throughout the weeks ahead we will be creating menus and even cooking/baking using foods from different sections of the Eatwell Plate. In order to do this we need to understand what a balanced diet looks like. This week have a look at the PowerPoint about the Eatwell Plate, make notes about what foods belong in each section of the plate. Attachment 15 Now write a list of your top 10 favourite foods. Use your notes to help you add these foods to the correct area of the Eatwell plate diagram. Attachment 16 Were you surprised to see which section your favourite foods belong in? Are they healthy? Should you eat a lot of them? Should you only have a little each day? Once you have done this colour and label your pictures.	 Frite Carbo Starches Frite Starches Garbs & Starches Dairy Protein Sugars & Fats 			







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Physical things like food, water and so on keep us alive. Things like contact with others, feeling a sense of self-worth, feeling that we are good at some things, contribute to our emotional health and wellbeing. Consider how the list of needs below are met in your own life. • I need to feel that I am good at some things • I need to have friends • I need to feel part of a group • I need to try new things I need to have some choice over what I do • I need to give and receive attention I need some time on my own • I need to feel safe and secure Now tell them they are going to think about Joe's emotional needs. Read Attachment 17 Joe's story and read through it together, either from printed copies, or by displaying it on the IWB. Answer these key questions: • How do you feel about Joe's story? Do you think that it is a realistic story [Note: it is based on a true story] Do you think that Joe had control to change some of the events in his life? Look at Joe's story in relation to the emotional needs statements. Think about how Joe was getting each of the emotional needs met throughout the story. Work on the *Our Emotional Needs* Activity sheet **Attachment 18**; choose a coloured pen or pencil for each of the eight emotional needs and underline the parts of Joe's story text which correspond with each emotional needs e.g. underline in orange all the parts of the story that relate to 'I need to feel that I am good at some things'.



Computing	This half term, we are continuing to look at Spreadsheets in Computing During this lesson you will recognise that data can be calculated using different operations: multiplication, subtraction, division and addition. You will use these operations to create formulas that include a range of cells and the advantage of duplicating in order to apply formulas to multiple cells. ** You should always ask your parent or carer for permission before downloading files from the internet ** Watch the Oak National Academy lesson 4 – Calculate and Duplicate https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/calculate-and-duplicate-cthkgc					
Picture News	 What would the world be like without trees? Trees can be found all around us. Sometimes we may not even notice them as we pass by! Think about a short journey you make regularly e.g. to school, to the park. How many trees do you pass on the way? Is it possible to count them or are there too many? What might your journey look like if the trees weren't there? Create a list of some of the ways trees help us e.g. they produce oxygen, provide shade and shelter, produce food, provide a home for insects, birds and other animals. Can you imagine what our world would be like without trees? How would it affect our lives? What do you think might happen to the planet? Look at resource 2, which considers what might happen if all of our trees disappeared. Discuss each and think about any other effects having no trees may have. 					



• Having no trees would have a devastating effect on our planet but it would also change how our world looked. How do trees play a part in your everyday life? Do you use them to play and climb? Do you enjoy looking at them?
 **EMC ** Have you ever come across a treehouse before? Perhaps you have seen one or played in one at a park or maybe you have read about one in a story or seen one on television? Design your very own tree house! Think about: Which tree will you use? What will you make your treehouse from? Will it have windows, a roof? What will the inside of your treehouse look like? How will you get in and out of your treehouse? What will you use your treehouse for? You can be as inventive and as creative as you like!



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How to write a book review

Getting started

Below is a list of questions about your book. If you answer them carefully and in detail you can use your answers to form a detailed book review which gives your opinion of the book.

Answer in sentences to form <u>paragraphs</u> under the following headings rather than numbering your answers or using bullet points.

Plot

What happened in the story?

What was the story about?

What length of time did it cover? (this is the amount of time that passes during the course of the story, not how long it took you to read it)Was what happened unusual? Ordinary?What was the opening of the story like? Exciting? Slow? Dramatic? Dull?

How did the events of the story follow on from each other?

Characters

Who were the main characters? What were they like? Were they described in much detail? Which did you find most interesting? Most sympathetic? (if you find a character sympathetic, you like them as you can understand their feelings. Perhaps you have had a similar experience to them) What kind of relationships and / or conflicts were there? Did these characters change throughout the story?



Comments on style

Was the story written in the first or third person?('I' or 'he / she') How important was this to the story? Was the setting described in detail? Were feelings and attitudes described in depth? Was it a good story? Why? What was your favourite moment in the story? Why? Were there any moments (or characters) that might have been improved? If so, what changes would you make?

General

Do you think the writer had a particular reason for telling this story? How did you feel during and after reading it? Do you think you learned anything from the book about people? Ways of life? How would you compare it to other books you've read? What else do you think is important to say about it? Would you recommend this book / read another by the same author?



