



Flintoff Class - Year 6

Autumn 2

November 2021

Oxenhope C of E Primary School



Hello year 6 and welcome back after half-term. I hope you are all ready and excited for the learning that will be taking place in the build up to Christmas.

This half-term our learning is going to be focused around the topic of WW1. We will be learning about the causes of the war and some of the key events that took place through-out.

We will also be having our first assessment week this half—term which will allow us to see the progress we have made and identify areas we need to improve.

English

In English this year we shall be consolidating skills we have learn from previous year groups along with learning new skills that will help us to create poems and letters. We will be using a book based learning model where we will be using a specific text to help with our learning.

Maths

This half term we are putting an emphasis on learning about fractions. We will be learning to use fractions within problem solving and reasoning questions.

R.E

Our current theme in school is service. We will be discussing what this means, who we love and the importance of service within our community, linking these to Bible teachings. In RE lessons our big question is 'Was Jesus the messiah.

Uniform and attendance

Please ensure your child is wearing correct school uniform each day. Please see our uniform policy for information. It has been lovely to see the pupils looking so smart this week! . Our doors open at 8:40 and pupils can arrive at school at this time.

Outdoor learning

We will be doing outdoor learning every Wednesday (whatever the weather) so please ensure your child comes with a waterproof coat and suitable shoes - we will spend a lot of this time in the nature area and in our local surroundings.

P.E.

In Flintoff Class P.E. will take place twice a week. This half-term and for the rest of the year our PE slots will be on Tuesday and Friday. Your child will need to come in appropriate PE kit on these days. We will be focusing on striking and fielding activities this half term. One PE slot every two weeks will be fitness focused and pupils will take part in a circuit that will help to promote healthy living.

Clubs

As more and more clubs become available, I would like to say that the year 6 exclusive clubs I ran in the first half-term will be continuing through-out the year. I will also be looking at putting in place an after school homework club if there is enough interest. If you would be interested in sending your child then please send me a message on Dojo.



Home learning

Homework will continue to be sent home on a Tuesday. This will be put onto class dojo and paper copies will be available. Homework will be sent out on Tuesday and will be expected back in on Mondays. Home work is a vital part of year 6 as it consolidates and enhances learning done in class, so there will be an expectation that it is completed. If your child is struggling to complete the homework please advise them to see an adult in class.

Reminders

- Children are allowed to bring a healthy snack for morning break to help boost concentration.
- Please bring fresh water bottles to school daily.
- Children can bring a pencil case into school now, please ensure it is suitable and only contains necessary equipment.