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# Welcome to Year 6



# Staff in Year 6

## Teachers

6AP Mrs Panayi

6AB Miss Burton

## Teaching Assistants

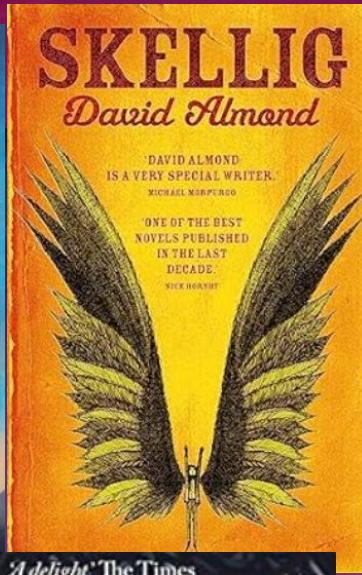
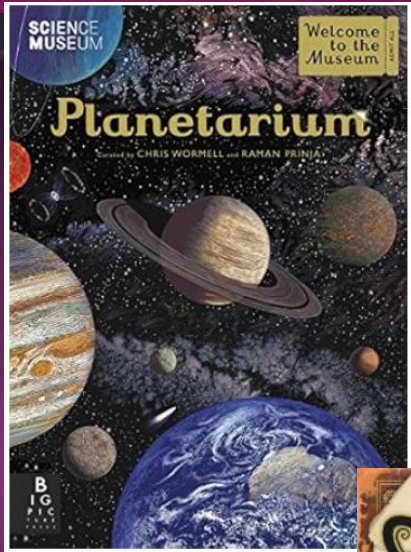
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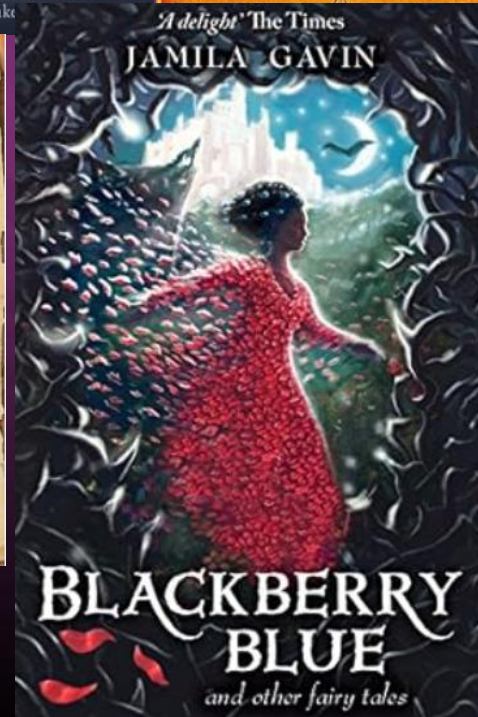
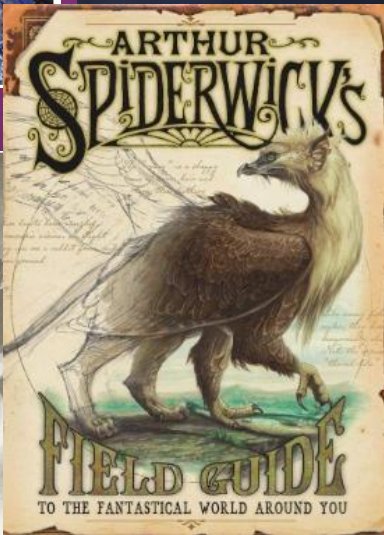
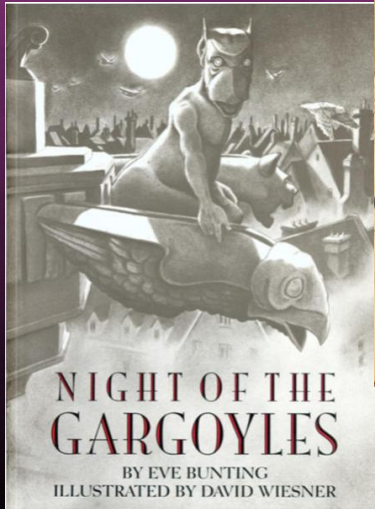
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# English



This year we will be writing to:

- ▶ Entertain
- ▶ Inform
- ▶ Persuade
- ▶ Discuss



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# Spellings

On our weekly update we will tell you which spelling patterns we will be learning the following week with some example words. Please practise this pattern with your child. We will have a spelling test on Thursday.

New spelling words will be sent home every **Friday**.

**Homework Sheet** Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2022

**Reading**  
Please ensure your child reads at least 3 times a week and that this is recorded in their reading record. **Reading records must be checked every Thursday**

**Spelling**  
Spelling homework will start next week.

**NOTE**  
Please ensure your child attends school with a water bottle every day.  
Our PE days are Monday and Thursday.  
Please ensure your child wears the correct uniform as this will be checked.

**Number bonds to 10**  
1 + \_\_\_ = 10  
2 + \_\_\_ = 10  
3 + \_\_\_ = 10  
4 + \_\_\_ = 10  
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**Number bonds to 20**  
11 + \_\_\_ = 20  
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Counting in 2s.  
Practise counting in 2s, in preparation for learning the 2 times table off by heart!

**Half Term Project:**  
This half term, our topic is **Mapping Chesnut**! We will be learning about the local area, mapping out the local area and using directional language to compare two locations.  
Can you find out any interesting facts about Chesnut? Do we have any famous landmarks? Have any famous people been born in Chesnut? Can you find out about Chesnut's past?  
You could present this as a poster or information page/booklet. You may want to give a presentation to the class!

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# Reading Records

Reading Records will be collected in and checked every Tuesday (6AB) and Wednesday (6AP).

Please ensure that you listen to your child at least three times every week and discuss what is being read.

Our aim is for children to take books home that they can read **fluently** and **successfully**.

In addition, children will also take a book from our reading corners to enjoy at home.

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# Maths

These are some of the key objectives that we will be teaching this year:

Arithmetic skills

Fractions, decimals and percentages

Area, perimeter and volume

Developing reasoning skills



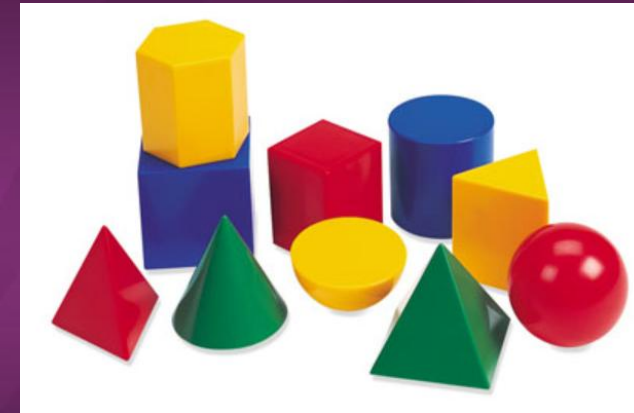
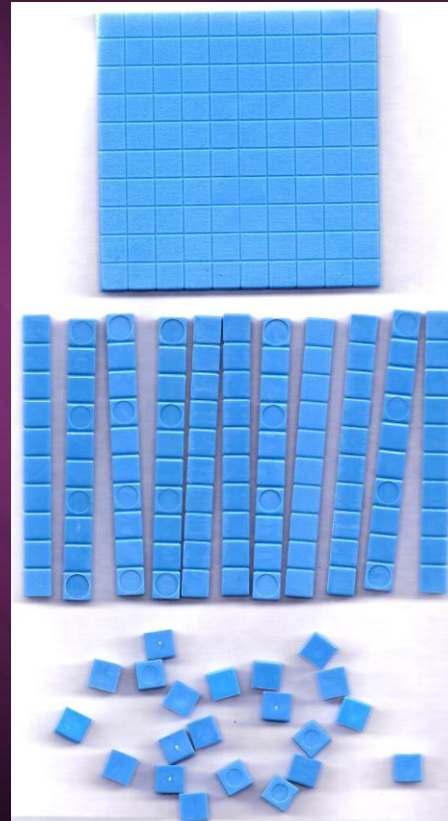
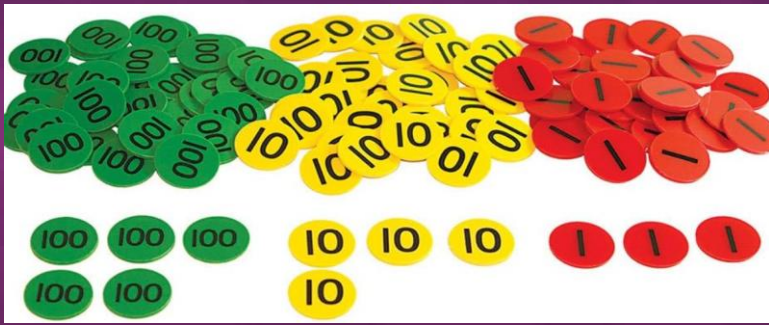
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# Maths

Equipment we will use in class:



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# Topics

## Autumn

Science: Electricity  
Living things and their habitats

RE: Buddhism

Christmas

History: World War 2

D&T : Fairground Rides (Lego  
Workshop)

Art: Painting

Computing:

Scratch

Web designers

## Spring

Science:  
Evolution  
Animals including Humans

RE:  
Creation  
Places of worship

Geography:  
Food Waste  
Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn

Art:  
Sculpture

Computing:  
Spreadsheets  
SATs revision quizzes

## Summer

Science:  
Light  
We are Scientists

RE: Human Responsibility  
Justice and Fairness

History: The Mayans

Geography: How and why is  
Cheshunt changing?

D&T: Cooking

Art: Sketching

Computing:  
E-Safety  
Creative application of skills

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We will also learn French, Music, PE and PSHE  
each week.



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# P.E.

This year P.E. will be on a **Tuesday (outdoor)** and **Thursday (indoor)** afternoon. On these days, your child should come to school wearing their PE kit, which comprises of:

- ▶ Burleigh School embroidered yellow T-shirt
- ▶ Black or navy shorts/joggers
- ▶ Burleigh fleece or plain hoodie (or school jumper/cardigan)
- ▶ Plain trainers or plimsolls

N.B. No branded clothing, football kits or large logos should be worn please.

Children should not be wearing jewellery to school.

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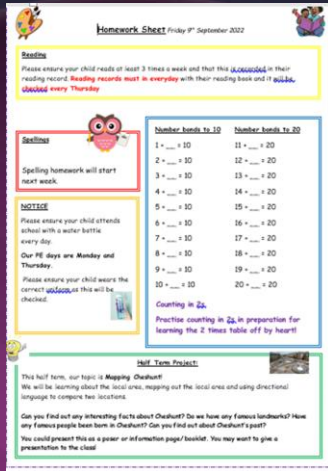


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# Homework

Homework sheets will be sent home every Friday and put on the website.

This should be completed and handed in by Wednesday of the next week when we will go through it in class.



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# Uniform

- All children in Years 2 to 6 should wear a white shirt (long or short-sleeved) and a tie and a Burleigh embroidered jumper or cardigan.
- Please ensure that the uniform is clearly named so that any lost property can be returned to its rightful owner.
- No jewellery is allowed apart from small stud earrings and a small analogue watch (smart watches are not allowed).
- Children should only bring essential items to school each day, this includes a named water bottle.

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# Key Dates

- **WW2 Workshop** – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September
- **Secondary School Online Form Deadline** – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October
- **SATs Week** – Mon 11<sup>th</sup> May to Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> May
- **PGL** – Mon 8<sup>th</sup> June – Fri 12<sup>th</sup> June

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# Use of phones/e-safety

- ▶ Children should only bring in phones to school with parents /carers permission and if they are travelling to/from school independently.
- ▶ Phones are left in the office at the beginning of each day and collected at home time.
- ▶ Phones should be switched off until children leave the school gates.
- ▶ Some children may be using social media outside school. These are the age ratings for popular apps. Parents should always be aware of their child's social media activity and monitor this closely to minimise issues in school.

13+		16+	
Facebook	Snapchat	WhatsApp	
Instagram	Twitter		
TikTok	Kik	<b>17+</b>	<b>18+</b>
YouNow	Yubo	Sarahah	MeetMe
House Party	Monkey	YOLO	LiveMe

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# School Website

Every year group has its own section on the school website.

In here you will find:

- ▶ Information about the year group, including this PowerPoint
- ▶ Homework and Letters – the spelling and homework sheet will be uploaded weekly, plus any letters specific to our year group
- ▶ Our Work – photos of work completed in class or trips and workshops
- ▶ Useful Information – signposts to useful websites or resources



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# Whole-school Approach to Food



We want all pupils to have access to nutritious and appealing food; and have a MAGIC relationship with food throughout their lives.

If you could spare a few minutes to complete our survey to gather the thoughts and views of our community, we would be very grateful.

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Are there any questions?



The QR code for the food survey

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