







Kind Hearts, Open Minds, Bright Futures

YEAR 6 TERMLY CURRICULUM OVERVIEW



Welcome to Term 3 in Year 6. We had a wonderful time working with Michael from the Loughs Agency, who shared his knowledge about the life cycle of a salmon and helped us welcome our newest salmon-egg classmates into the room! The children have also been busy strengthening their mental maths skills and developing confidence in problem solving through plenty of challenge. In addition, we've loved exploring language and literacy through iPads and a range of engaging educational apps, which have brought our learning to life in exciting new ways. Well done to everyone making a brilliant effort to line dance this term!

		OUR MONTHLY VALUES ARE...		
MAY: Honesty		JUNE: Responsibility		

TOPICS WE WILL COVER THIS TERM ARE...

TOPIC: Japan

- Geography of Japan, the importance of Japan's Shinkansen system, design and build a model bullet train, classify Japanese wildlife and explore food chains, explore life during the feudal period, research a famous landmark in Japan.

LITERACY:

Novels: Kensuke's Kingdom.

Reading: Literacy World, Guided reading, AR and comprehension activities.

Creative Writing: Report and Recount.

Grammar: Using conjunctions, apostrophes for possession, colons, semi colons, synonyms and antonyms, plurals.

Talking and Listening: Whole class and group discussions following agreed conventions, retelling and interpreting texts, justifying opinions, composing and asking relevant questions.

NUMERACY:

Decimals: use decimal notation for tenths and hundredths.

Handling data: Represent / interpret data using a range of charts including charts generated by a computer. Find the mode of a set of data.

Reasoning about Shape: reflection and translation of shapes, plot co-ordinates, use angle measurement in degrees, measure angles using a protractor.

Measures: Convert larger to smaller units e.g. km - m, kg - g.

Number: Revise place value up to millions, written methods for addition and subtraction.

Number properties: recognise multiplies, factors and square numbers.

ICT:

Managing Data - CCEA Task 'ITE130 Planning a Class Trip'.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

We are continuing with our Shared Education Programme and have several sessions planned with St Ronan's PS. We will also continue our work with Michael at Loughs Agency and hope to visit a local river to explore life in the water. Our P.E. lesson is on Wednesday and we will be exploring Athletics and Gymnastics.

*Subject to change.

