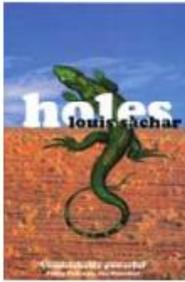
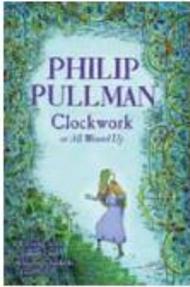
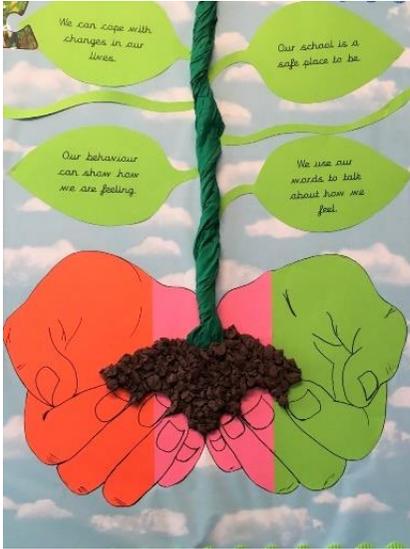


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English

Unit 1

Genre: Suspense writing

Text: Francis (Short film)

Accompanying book: Crater lake by Jennifer Killick

The children will end the unit by writing their own version of a suspense story.

Unit 2

Genre: Autobiography

Text: Biography of Anne Frank

Accompanying book: Stories for girls/boys who dare to be different

The children will end the unit by writing a World War I Hero biography.

Art/DT

Focus: Sculpture

The children will looking at, reflecting on and then creating their very own clay monuments to commemorate the war.

Music

Focus: Performing

Year 6 will get into the groove by exploring rhythm and melody in singing, movement and dance. They will learn about beat, syncopation, pitch and harmony, and take a trip around the world to celebrate the universal language of music.

Physical Education

Tuesday (Football with Sean)

Friday (Dance with Rachel)

The children will learn core skills in both and build up to playing

French

Focus: Let's visit a French town.

The children will learn how to discuss where they live, what they learn at school and what they do on the weekends.



YEAR 6 Autumn 1



Computing

Focus: Sphero (coding)

The children will explore coding through our in school robots (the spheros)

Dates for your diary

07.09.22 – 'Welcome back, nurture and well-being' coffee morning for parents

13.09.22 – Meet the teacher meeting

14.09.22 – Professional photographer in – school website photos

20.09.22 – Secondary School Transfer meeting (Y5 and Y6)

21.09.22 – 'Reading and Homework: Setting good habits at West Hill' coffee morning for parents

27.09.22 – Year 6 PGL meeting

28.09.22 – R.S.H.E/P.S.H.E coffee morning for parents

29.09.22 – Wandsworth verbal and non-verbal reasoning tests (Year 6)

12.10.22 – International story morning (Black History Month)

19.10.22 – 'Maths in KS2: how to help your child' coffee morning for parents

17.10.22-19.10.22 – PGL trip

24-28th October – Half Term break

Maths

Focus: Place Value

Children will be looking at numbers up to a value of 10,000,000 and be introduced to negative numbers.

Focus: Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division

Children will be adding and subtracting integers. They will use formal methods to multiply and divide 4-digit and 2-digit numbers.

Science

Focus: Light

The children will take a closer look at light and how we see things. They will learn that all light travels in straight lines. We will also look at shadows and why they have the same shape as the object that cast them.

History

Focus: Who is Walter Tull?

Year 6 will explore and learn about World War I, taking a closer look at Walter Tull and his importance as an Afro-Caribbean Army Officer.

Religious Education

Topic: Christianity: Rules to live life by

We will look at the Ten Commandments, the Beatitudes and the golden rule to understand how Christians believe you should live your life.

PSHE & RSE

The children will focus on different lessons that relate to healthy relationships, health and well-being and living in the wider world.