



Hazelbury Primary School

Year 6 Newsletter Autumn One 2023

Meet the Year 6 Team



Please see to the left the year team for your child. Each year group has an Assistant Headteacher, who along with the class teacher, is there to help and support both children and parents within the year group. Please see details from left to right.

Joanne - Class Teacher & Year 6 Assistant Headteacher

Harry - Year 6 Class Teacher

Katy - Year 6 Class Teacher

Dan - Year 6 Class Teacher

What will your child be learning about this half term?

In English we will be reading, *'The Lost Words'*, *'Finding Neverland'* and *'I am Malala'*. We will be writing in different genres including an influential speech on gender equality, a blog as Malala, a nature poem and a newspaper article. We will be focusing on learning the following grammar rules: To use a range of devices to build cohesion, to use verb tenses consistently and correctly and to use a range of punctuation accurately.

In Maths, we will be focusing on place value, reading, writing and ordering numbers up to 10 million and written methods for 4 operations.

Our topic in science is Evolution and inheritance.

Our Learning Journey this half term is 'Who Rules the World'.

We will be focusing on learning skills in history such as: comparing and contrasting with different countries across the world and how democracy has evolved over time.

In art, we will be learning how to create sketches based on the works of Shepard Fairey and will create campaign posters as our final piece.

In music, our focus will be on listening, appraising and performing the song 'Happy'.

In PE, we will be learning skills in dance and football.

In RE, we will be learning about the Creation Stories – Do all religions have the same creation story?

KS2 only: In French we will be learning how to greet someone.

Key Dates for our Year Group this half term

Date	Event
Tuesday 12 th September	Year Six Parent Meeting: SATs and Secondary Admissions
Tuesday 19 th September	Year 6 residential meeting
Thursday 27 th September	Individual Photographs Year 6
Tuesday 17 th October	Parents conferences

Our Recommendations:

Book Recommendation:
The Explorer by Katherine Rundell

Website recommendation:
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>