

## English



In English this half-term, the children will be considering tenses by writing a flashback story based on a short clip, 'The Piano'. We will then complete a non-fiction piece of writing so that we have a range of writing styles in our collection.

**Suggestions of ways you can support your child's English:**  
Encourage your child to read at least 4 times per week.

## Science



Our science topic for the Spring 1 is Electricity. The children will learn about how electricity is made, travels and what makes a circuit work. They will investigate creating their own power source using electrolytes found in everyday objects.

## Extra Information

**PE:** Will be on Wednesdays and Fridays for both classes.

**Water Bottles:** Please ensure that your child brings sufficient water for the whole school day. If this is a shop bought bottle, please ensure that this is clearly labelled with your child's name.

**Merits:** Please ensure your child brings their reading diaries and levelled reading book to school each day.

**Homework:** 1 merit for reading 4 times, 1 merit for achieving 8/10 on the weekly spelling test and 1 merit for completing ALL Quick 5s, achieving at least 4/5 each day.

## Year 6 Learning Overview Spring 1



### Trips and Experiences

4 weeks of Self-Defence sessions

## Maths



In Maths this half-term, the children will continue to work on fractions, including mixed numbers, adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing. We will then move on to decimal and percentages and how fractions, decimals and percentages link.

**Suggestions of ways you can support your child's Maths:** Please encourage your child to complete their daily quick 5 and access Times Table Rock Stars if they need to practice.

## Geography



Our topic for this half-term is Mountains. The children will learn about their features; how mountains are formed; the location of the mountain ranges of the UK and the rest of the world; climates; longitude and latitude; and tourism.



Spellings are stuck into your child's reading book each Friday for a test the following Friday.