

Year 6 Learning Letter

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We will once again be taking the Year 6 children to the Junior Citizen event at Epsom Downs, racecourse. This is a multi-agency safety event aimed at Year 6 children, designed to provide children with life skills, which will enable them to keep themselves and others safe. We are delighted that FONDS have again agreed to fund this trip. Permission letters are being sent out today and we do need these back before we can take the children for this superb morning.

Coming Soon...

English: We will be starting a new unit or writing balanced arguments.

Maths: we will be finishing our unit on decimals and then moving onto looking at the relationship between decimals, percentages and fractions.

Science: studying evolution

Geography: We are starting a unit on Europe; having really enjoyed our work on the USA, we are sure that this will be a very enjoyable few weeks.

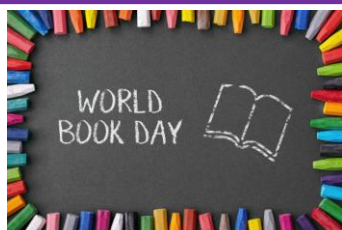
Computing: spreadsheets using Excel

Science: the circulatory system

As part of our work on the circulatory system, Year 6 recently enjoyed a session in which they used their knowledge of the constituent parts of blood to make a 'bag of blood'! Red jelly (red blood cells), mini marshmallows (white blood cells, rice (platelets) and a mysterious orange liquid made up the bags and the children were asked to explain each element and its role. Everyone had great fun, although many possibly thought it a waste of good marshmallows!



Happy
Half-
Term



This year, we are celebrating this great day on **Thursday 7th March** On the day, we invite the children to dress as a favourite book character. There will be book related activities throughout the day and we would like to invite Year 6 to bring in their favourite book to both read and share with their class.