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CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER - SUMMER TERM 1 YEAR 6 MR BLOOD AND MR HORNSBY

English

We will continue to focus on 'The Titanic' and use this to inspire our writing over the next couple of weeks. We will look at a variety of different sources and cover a range of writing including newspaper reports and letters of complaint. The children seem very interested in this topic and have enjoyed imagining what life might have been like on board.



Mathematics

This half term will be consolidation of all operations and skills in maths in preparation for the move to secondary school. We will also be focusing on applying these skills in a range of problem solving and reasoning activities. Children can practice these skills in a variety of different ways and using the Internet, on sites such as 'Speed Challenge', 'Maths is Fun', 'Conquermaths' and 'TTRockstars'.

Useful Information

What can you do to help your child?

Please ensure your child is accessing their SATs revision books as often as they can. We should also be aiming to read at least three times per week.

Online Resources

Children have access to a number of websites to support their learning such as: conquermaths, edshed, trockstars and activelearn.

Please ensure children's reading books and reading records are in school every day. Thank you!

PE - Our PE day remains on a Thursday but please ensure PE kits are in school on a Monday for the duration of the week. Earrings should not be worn on PE days either for safety.

Our current class novel is 'Peril in Paris'



Thank you for your continued support.

Please check the app for any correspondence we send out over the next few weeks for both Gran Canaria and transition into secondary school.

If there is anything else you would like to discuss, please use our class email: y6cleves@cclt.education and somebody will be happy to help.

Science

Children will explore the concept of light and also look at the concepts of reflection and refraction in more detail.



PSHE

How do we continue to change as we grow older and transition through puberty? Children will explore relationships and how these change as we grow older too.

Computing

Children will continue to use the micro:bits to create a number of projects with increasing use of different variables.



PE

After filming our dance video, children will begin a new core task which will allow them to improve their skills in rounders and cricket.



Music

In preparation for the Queen's Jubilee, we will be learning some themed songs and will also have some songs to rehearse and learn for our Leaver's Service.



Art

Inspired by the work of a number of different artists, children will get the opportunity to produce their own watercolour landscape.

