

CosmosY6 Class : Autumn 2 Newsletter



What will we be learning this half term?



English

This half term we will be writing an Anglo-Saxon battle speech along with reading parts of the Anglo-Saxon boy by Tony Bradman. We will be looking at using nouns and conjunctions to add them into their work.



Mathematics

This half term we will be learning all about addition, subtraction, multiplication, division and fractions. Thank you for support with the homework books so far. We are using our maths fluency lessons to catch up on any gaps identified.

Phonics/Spelling

Three different spelling lists went home with the children's reports before half term. Please support your child by practising them at home whenever possible!

Recommended Reads

This half terms recommended reads focus on the Vikings. The Vicious Vikings by Terry Deary is a great book to learn some facts about how they lived and what their daily life.



Science and Foundation Subjects

This half term in Science we will be looking into classification. We will then be learning about the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings daily life and looking into different parts of their routines. We will then be making a Viking Longboat in DT after learning to sketch and shade Viking dragons in art.

Upcoming dates

- W/C 11th November - Anti-bullying week.
- 15th November - Falcon Cross country and Children in need.
- W/C 25th November - Parent book looks
- W/C 2nd December - Parents evening
- 4th December - Crucial Crew trip
- 18th December - Christmas performance
- 19th December - Christmas Jumper day and Christmas Lunch

General notices

- Remember to name all items of clothing.
- P.E. is on Tuesdays and Thursdays.



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You can support our learning even further...

Test us on...

What is classification?
Who is Carl Linnaeus?

Classification is putting something into a category based on its qualities.
Carl Linnaeus is famous for sorting a stem to classify plants and animals.

Ask us to explain...

What is a synonym?
What is antonym?
When might you use a dash in a sentence?
When might you use a semicolon in a sentence?
When might you use a dash in a sentence?

Question us about...

Can you tell me what these word classes mean?

Verbs
Determiners
Adjectives
Adverbs
Nouns
Pronouns

Verb - Doing word, Determiner - a word placed in front of a noun to specify quantity or clarify what is being refer to, Adjective – descriptive word, adverb - a word that describes a verb, noun - person, place or thing, pronoun - a word that is used instead of a noun or noun phrase .

See if we can remember...

Can you read and spell?

Rhythm, system, antonym, symbol, symptom, crystal