

Azalea and Sunflower Y5 Classes : Summer 2 Newsletter



What will we be learning this half term?

English

This half term we will be continuing to learn about the graphic novel 'The Arrival' by Shaun Tan. We will also be using our topic knowledge of Cambridge to create a travel brochure on the city. We will be looking to use descriptive language and persuasive techniques.

Phonics/Spelling

This half term we will be focusing on the Year 5 and 6 common misconception words as well as investigating how prefixes can have meaning and how hyphens are used in vocabulary.

Mathematics

We will be learning about decimals, negative numbers and converting different units. We will also be continuing to practice our arithmetic skills daily in out fluency sessions.

Recommended Reads

This half term it would be great if you could investigate reading some other travel brochures or other examples of persuasive writing to enhance your vocabulary ready for our travel brochure.

Science and Foundation Subjects

In our Geography topic this term we will be looking at the city of Cambridge and why people visit so regularly. In History, we will be comparing our work on Cambridge to our topic about what makes Norwich a fine city. In art, we will be exploring printmaking and in computing we will be looking at creative media and programming.

Upcoming dates

3rd June – Y5/6 Cambridge trip
12th June – Skipping enrichment day.
13th June – Day of welcome
20th June – Sports morning
24th June – City sports heats.
25th June – City sports finals.
26th June - Trip to the Norfolk show
27th June - Colour Run after school
10th July - Open Evening
22nd July - Last day of term

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 are the 6 types of land use we explored in Cambridge?
What are three interesting facts I learnt in Cambridge?
Can I count down in numbers from zero?
What is the method we used to make prints in Art?
How many cm and mm are in a meter?

Ask us to explain...

What are the main differences between Norwich and Cambridge?

Question us about...

What can we remember from out trip to Cambridge?
Interesting facts?
Names of buildings?
What are the buildings used for?
Why is Cambridge named Cambridge?

See if we can remember...

Can you read and spell?

Achieve, Ancient, Physical