

Teaching and Learning This Half Term

Year 6

Mr Whittaker

Spring Term 1

Literacy:

This half term we will be looking at:

- Recount writing
- Letters of application – Business Challenge
- Information texts – Biographies
- Poetry to perform
- SPaG and SATs preparation – we will begin our 'Booster' sessions w/c 31/01/19.

Numeracy:

This half term we will be looking at:

- Negative numbers in context
- Coordinates across four quadrants
- Converting units of measurement
- Time
- Multiply and divide multi-digit numbers up to 4-digits by a 2-digit whole number

Topics:



Computing:

- Continue using sequence, selection, and repetition in programs.

PE:

- Gymnastics (Indoor).
 - Dodgeball (Outdoor when possible)
- PE will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

RE:

- We will discuss global citizenship and the role of religions.
- Our Christian value is **Perseverance.**

At St Thomas' we value the link between home and school and we recognise parental support is vital to a child's progress and education.

Below are listed some of the ways you can help:

- Encourage your child to complete our 9 Grid homework every week. They will have a booklet for each half term.
- Discuss your child's learning and topic work and ask about their Always Perfect Badge and their role.
- Your child will need his / her planner everyday so that we are able to keep in contact and it must be signed weekly. This is checked every Friday.
- Your child should come into school in their PE kit on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- Booster will begin 31/01/19 and homework tasks will need completing by the following Monday.

Thank you for your continued support. As usual, should you have any concerns or queries, please feel free to make an appointment to see me.

Kind regards,
Mr Whittaker