

Welcome to our Class 6 page!

Hello everyone, it's Miss Young here!

I am the class teacher for Class 6 and I have been working at West Heath for three years now. I believe in creating a nurturing and supportive learning environment, where every child feels safe, valued, and supported. I aim to foster a space where every child feels confident to take risks, ask questions, and support one another.

We are very lucky to be supported in class by Mrs Reading, our teaching assistant. She is always there to help and ensure that every child thrives.

In Class 6, we are a team. We will always do our best, treat each other with kindness, and learn from our mistakes in a supportive and welcoming learning environment.

Class 6's Autumn 2 Plan

Our learning focuses:

English	In English, we will be looking at fairytales and their story structure. We will focus on basic writing skills to ensure children can use capital letters, full stops and write in basic sentences, moving on to extending them for extra detail. We will then move children on to using conjunctions effectively and using different forms of punctuation. Handwriting will be a big push this half-term.
Maths	We will be continuing with addition and subtraction, ensuring children use their knowledge of place value to be able to add and subtract up to 100. Using number bonds to 10 to help add and subtract will be important too. Next, we will move on to shape and identifying properties of 2D and 3D shapes,
Science	We will be investigating animals, including humans. Children will find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air). They will notice that animals, including humans, have offspring, which grow into

	adults. Finally, they will be able to describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.
Computing	We will be looking into how to use spreadsheets to manipulate information and present it in different ways.
Art and DT	We will be studying how to use appropriate materials to create a fairground Ferris wheel. Children will learn how to plan, create, adapt and evaluate the procedure.
Music	We being looking at using different instruments to create musical stories.
PE	Last half term we focused on invasion games, using the skills of basketball, as well as learning the skills needed to be effective in athletics. This term we will apply these skills in more game based/competitive scenarios.
PSHE	We will be celebrating differences and understanding what stereotypes and assumptions are.
RE	We will learn about how different religions deal with suffering in positive ways. We will look at a variety of religions and compare how they observe and deal with suffering.
History	In history, we will be investigating 'The Gunpowder Plot' and the lasting impact it had on the country. We will discuss reasons for the conspiracy and how it was foiled. Children will then give their opinions about the validity of the plot and what people learnt.

Key Reminders:

Current PE Days	Monday and Wednesday.
Homework deadlines	Please ensure your child's planner is signed each night, once they have read to you.
Contact process	We welcome you to be an active part of your child's education. Please use the planner or class email should you need to contact me. I will get back to you as quick as I can (within 48 hours). class6@westheathprimary.bham.sch.uk

We are here to help and support you and your child. Remember we are all in it together!