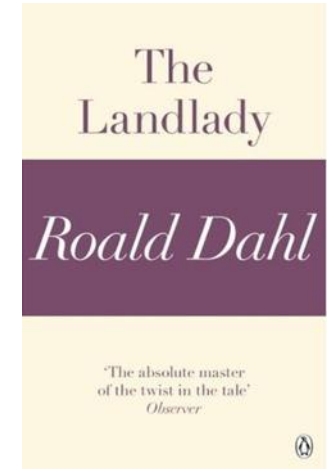
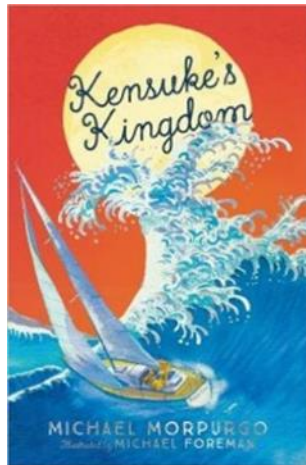
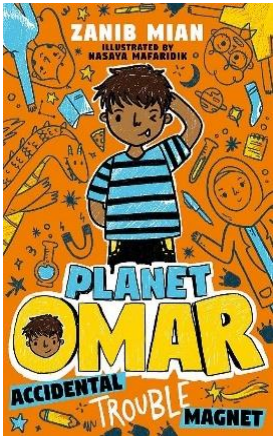
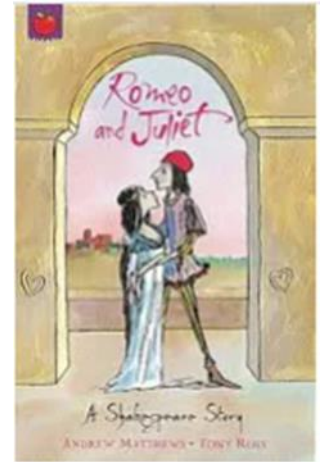
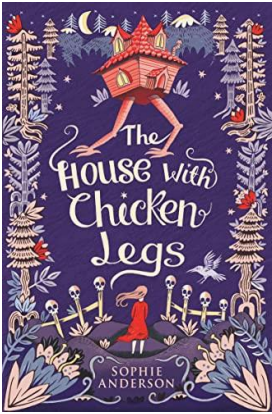


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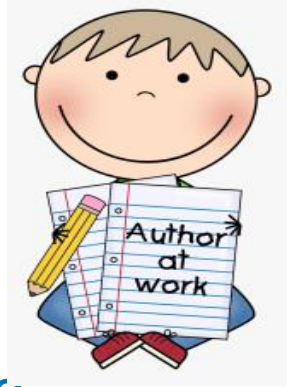


Reading

- Children need to **read at home at least 3 times** a week
- Please encourage your child to record their reading in their Reading Records so they can be rewarded with dojos. This can be their school reading book and any books they have at home if they are more confident readers.
- Comprehension skills are developed through asking the children questions.



Writing



- Across school we are starting using our new handwriting books. You may hear the children start to talk about ‘solid lines’ and ‘broken lines’. This is to encourage them to **think about** the formations and **size of each letter, which letters are tall, which go under the line**, etc.
- When children are doing written homework, make sure they **use a pencil to write with** and encourage them to think about the size of each letter.
- Spellings – Help your child to learn their weekly spellings. Turn them into games to make it more interesting.

Maths

Y6 Maths

Number and place value

Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

Fractions, decimals and percentages

Ratio & proportion

Algebra

Measurement

Geometry (properties of shapes)

Geometry (position and direction)

Statistics

- Times tables and the division facts that go with them.
- Encourage them to solve maths problems that they come across daily.
- Remind the children to ask us for help if they don't understand their maths homework or something they've covered in class.

Other information



- Children bring their own healthy snack to school for break time.
- This half term our PE is on Tuesday. Your child will either go swimming or do PE
- Homework is sent home on a Thursday and needs to be returned the following week by Tuesday.
- Children need to bring their book and water bottles to school every day.
- Lots of information and photos are shared on Classdojo please give the post a 'like' if you've seen it.



In October, our children will begin a ten week sign language course. This will take place in school time and you will be invited to an assembly to see how brilliant they are at the end of it.



In May our Year 6 children will sit their SATs tests. The dates for these are the 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th of May. We would appreciate it if you do not book any holidays for this time.

A SATs meeting will be held for parents on the 11th October at 5pm.

Our Year 6 children are offered 10 weeks of reading tutoring and 10 weeks of maths tutoring. Reading tutoring will begin after the October holiday. We strongly advise that all children attend these sessions. Small groups will really benefit their learning.