

English - Our flashback fictional text is **Eye of the Wolf** by Daniel Pennac.

Two allegorical stories, one of a boy named Africa and one of a captive Alaskan wolf who has only one eye, Blue Wolf, merge through a unique device: the boy and wolf communicate solely through eye contact.

Children will write from a range of poems, information texts, recounts, balanced arguments, flashbacks, news reports, stories, biographies, persuasive letters and diaries.

Other studies this half term:

Various texts, extracts and poems to discuss how authors use a range of techniques to engage the reader and entertain.

Music



The children will listen with attention to detail and recall sounds with increasing aural memory. Musical vocabulary will be used when appraising pieces.

Geography - Africa

Human and Physical geography

Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography, including: climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes, and the water cycle

Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: types of settlement and land use, economic activity including trade links, and the distribution of natural resources including energy, food, minerals and water

DT African Clay Pottery

French – understand basic grammar appropriate to the language being studied, including (where relevant): feminine, masculine and neuter forms and the conjugation of high-frequency verbs; key features and patterns of the language; how to apply these, for instance, to build sentences; and how these differ from or are similar to English

SATS Practice-

This term the children will have sessions to prepare them for the SATS in May. These will include focused lessons on arithmetic, reasoning, spelling, punctuation, grammar, reading comprehension, inference and word studies.

Please follow the link for guidance on how you can help at home and for past

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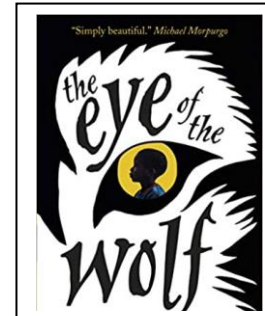
Computing (Spreadsheets)

Children will use the 2simple tools to create spreadsheets to represent information in a two-dimensional grid of data, along with formulas that relate the data.



Year 6

Spring Term 1- 2024



PSHCE

**Dreams and goals
Healthy me**



British values, including democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs.

Important Information

- Pupils are encouraged to read at home every night in upper KS2 and planners must be signed by parents/older siblings. This is an expectation that will help with learning.
- Pupils must spend a minimum of 30 minutes on Reading Plus at home per week. They should also revise on Sats Bootcamp for 30 minutes per week. This may include revising Arithmetic, Spelling, Reasoning or watching videos based on current learning.
- We encourage pupils to feedback on their learning on the Purple Mash Blog. It is a great way of staying in touch.
- P.E. kit should be worn on a Monday with a school jumper
- Jumpers/fleeces should be worn when weather is cold

Maths

Number-Ratio

Understand and use ratio language. Calculate ratio and solve problems.

Number: Algebra

Understand and use algebra, describe number sequences using letters as symbols. Solve problems using algebra.

Number: Decimals

Identify the value of each digit in numbers given to three decimal places and multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 giving answers up to three decimal places.



P.E Net & wall games

Sports hall athletics. Playing football.



• **R.E.**

Why are certain people, places and times sacred?

