

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Literacy</b></p> <p>In Literacy we have written a description of a scene and throughout this term we will focus on writing recounts, letters and a setting description. In recount writing we will focus our grammar around the use of simple past tense, time conjunctions and emotive language. When writing letters, we will develop our understanding of relative clauses and formality. When writing setting descriptions, we will improve our knowledge of the use of parentheses (brackets, dashes, commas).</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Numeracy</b></p> <p>In Place Value Year 6 will be identifying, reading and writing numbers to 10,000,000, understanding powers of 10, using number lines to and rounding. In addition, subtraction and multiplication they will cover: adding and subtracting integers, common factors and common multiples, rules of divisibility, primes to 100, square and cube numbers, multiplying up to a 4-digit number by a 2-digit number, solving problems with multiplication.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Topic</b></p> <p>In <b>Geography</b> this half term Year 6 will study The Seven Continents with a focus on Antarctica. The class will focus in the physical geography of Antarctica as a polar region and use map skills for a geographical investigation. Finally, the class will study the Human Geography of the region (daily life in Antarctica environments) with a focus on Shackleton's expedition and its challenges.</p>
<p><b>Literacy texts will include:</b> Shackleton's Journey, A Trip to the Bottom of the World, The Emperor's Egg, Mega Meltdown</p>	<h2>Antarctic Exploration</h2> <h3>Year 6</h3> <p>Term 1A: 2023-2024</p> <p>Rachel Mirfin/ Rosco Dredge</p> <p><a href="mailto:rmirfin@visp-sey.com">rmirfin@visp-sey.com</a></p> <p><a href="mailto:rdredge@visp-sey.com">rdredge@visp-sey.com</a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Digital Literacy / Computing</b></p> <p>The class will become familiar with Word and editing a document. They will use Google as a search engine. Year 6 will also cover E-safety too.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Science</b></p> <p>We will be studying Living Things and Their Habitats, with a focus on classification and microorganisms. We will classify organisms using the Linnaean system alongside identifying variables and coming to conclusions in an experiment.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>French</b></p> <p>Mr Victor will teaching French to Y6 and through the secondary phase. Y6 will be focusing on students being able to introduce themselves, give their opinions and hobbies.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>P.E.</b></p> <p>This will be with Mr Davidson on Thursday. This half term we will be working on fitness. We will be developing an understanding of what fitness is as well as identifying and improving on various different components of fitness, such as speed and stamina. This will be achieved through team games and individual work.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Art</b></p> <p>Learners will be creating landscapes based on polar scenes along with illustrating a scene from Shackleton's Journey. They will use the skills of sketching, alongside using paint and chalk to create different effects.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Useful Websites</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button</a> - fab for prating division and multiplication facts.</p> <p><a href="https://rossa.blogs.com/weblog/files/sats_spelling_practise.pdf">https://rossa.blogs.com/weblog/files/sats_spelling_practise.pdf</a> Online list of common spellings and spelling rules to practice</p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary#">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary#</a> BBC bitesize revision for Y6</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Reminders / Suggestions</b></p> <p>Spellings and times tables will be set and tested on a Friday.</p> <p>Homework will be set on Wednesdays. It will be alternating English and maths task.</p> <p>Remember to read at least 3. Times per week and fill in the reading record.</p>