# William Murdoch Primary School

Year 6 Staff Y6.1 - Miss G Tregellis Y6.2 - Mrs J Garcha Y6.3 - Mr V Desai (Team Leader) Year 6 Support Staff Mrs S Baker Mrs S Carter

#### <u>Holidays</u>

Half-Term Thursday 24 October 2024 Return to School Monday 4 November 2024 End of Term Friday 20 December 2024 Return to School Tuesday 7 January 2025

#### Key Events

Staff Training Days Monday 2 & Tuesday 3 September 2024 Friday 25 October 2024 Monday 6 January 2025

School Photographs Thursday 12 September 2024

Parents' Evening Wednesday 9 October 2024

Festival Assemblies Year 6 - Diwali Thursday 24 October 2024

Year 2 - Guru Nanak's Birthday Friday 15 November 2024

**Year 3 - Christmas** Friday 20 December 2024

Nursery - Nativity Tuesday 10 December 2024 Nursery AM at 9.00am Nursery PM at 2.15pm

Year 6 Good Work Assemblies Friday 20 September 2024 at 8.55am Friday 8 November 2024 at 8.55am Year 6 Class Assemblies Y6.1 - Harvest Friday 27 September 2024 at 8.55am Y6.2 - Anti-Bullying Friday 29 November 2024 at 8.55am

### Year 6 Autumn Term Newsletter 2024

<u>Welcome</u>

Welcome to the new academic year at William Murdoch Primary School. In order to strengthen the home/school partnership, this newsletter aims to inform you of the topics being covered by your child this term and of any special events taking place.

#### **Maths**

Written Problems, Revision & Application of 4 Operations Decimals, Fractions, & Percentages Data Handling, Measurements, Geometry, Arithmetic, Place Value (x and ÷ by 10, 100, 1000)

#### English

Street Child Guided Reading - VIPERS Skills Narrative Writing Rhetorical Questions Debates Character Descriptions Letter Writing

<u>Science</u> The Human Body Classification of Living Things

**History** 

The Causes of World War I The Suffragettes

<u>Geography</u> Spatial Sense British Geographical Issues

<u>Art</u> Introduction to Different Types of Printing Art in the Italian Renaissance

Computing Networking E-safety Coding Skills

RE

Islam Christianity

#### <u>PHSE</u>

Being Me in My World Celebrating Difference

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## Modern Foreign Language

#### PE

Athletics Cricket Football

Netball

Y6.1 - Mondays and Wednesdays

Y6.2 - Tuesdays and Fridays

Y6.3 - Mondays and Wednesdays

Project Topic for this Term The Victorians

#### **Homework**

English, Spellings, Maths and Science homework will be given out between Monday and Thursday depending on the class timetable.

Homework related to Knowledge Organisers will be posted on Class Dojo on Fridays.

Children should be reading 20 minutes daily to an adult. Comments should then be left in their reading journals.

<u>Trips</u> Ironbridge Gorge Museum Friday 4 October 2024

Year 6 Secondary Transfer Meeting 9.00am or 3.30pm on Thursday 3 October 2024 in the Upper School Hall.

Deadline Application Thursday 31 October 2024



#### **KNOWLEDGE LIGHTS UP THE MIND**