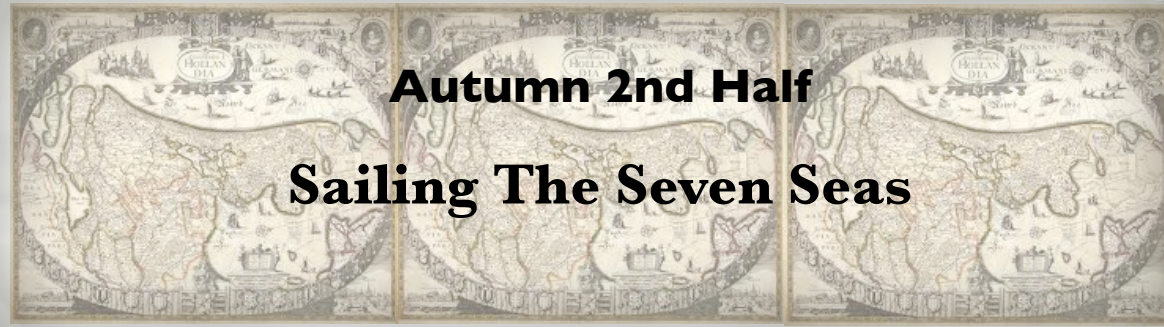


Dear Parents,

Please see below a summary of what Year 6 will be studying during the next half term.

We hope you find this information useful. If you have any queries, please let me know.

Best wishes,
Mrs Paula Kitson-Moore and the
Year 6 Team



Maths will focus on developing a secure understanding of fractions and calculations involving fractions. This will include children applying their understanding within problem solving contexts. Please encourage your child to practise their times tables and number bonds.

In Literacy, the children will be developing diary writing skills by writing about some of the dramatic experiences they have explored through role play as a pirate at sea, such as surviving a storm; they will also complete a newspaper article about the defeat of The Spanish Armada.



In PHSE, we will be covering similarities and differences through the exploration of themes around race, ethnicity and stereotypes.



Local History Project:

We will be exploring the locality of Deptford and its links to Britain's National Maritime past. This will involve some local walk trips.



In Geography, children will develop an understanding of the significance of exploration during the Tudor period and what life was like at sea.

This will include learning about Navigation, the development of maps, and the role of pirate ships and privateers played during this period.

In Science, we will be learning about light and shadows, including developing some pirate themed shadow puppet displays.



In music, the children will be creating their own madrigals and developing their general musicianship skills of reading and writing music notation.

Other useful information:

Homework will be set on Google Classroom and with a given for its submission. If your child does not have access to a computer or internet, a paper copy will be provided.

Occasionally, I will be asking your child to revise areas we have covered for mid term quizzes and assessments; this will help with the better recall of your child's learning. Please ensure your child is reading a range of book as regularly as possible.

PE will take place on Mondays and Thursdays. Your child will need to come to school in their PE kits on those days.

