

Year 6 Compassionate Cheetahs Class Newsletter!



Welcome to Year 6

Year 6 class Teacher: Mrs Simpson
Teaching Assistant: Mrs Bishop and Alison Williams

Important class dates:

Monday 1st September 2025 - Inset day.

Wednesday 3rd—Friday 5th September - PGL Camp!!

Thursday 18th September 9am - Class Assembly

Tuesday and Wednesday 14th and 15th October - Parents Evening

Friday 17th October - Inset day

Wednesday 22nd October - Halloween Disco

Friday 24th October - Last day of Term 1



9 Habits

This term we are thinking about "Who am I?" and "Who am I becoming?"

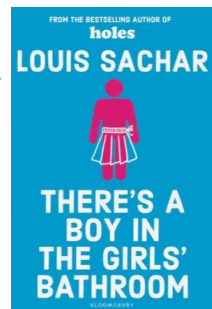
We are thinking about how we can understand our identity—the things we are good at and the things we want to get better at. Then we will think about how we are going to achieve our goals for this year and who we want to be.

We will also start to think about the habit of Hopeful. We will think about what we are looking forward to this year and how we can make a better tomorrow.



Books we are reading:

This term year 5 will be reading *There's a Boy in the Girls Bathroom* by Louis Sachar. This is the story of how Bradley learns to make friends with other children and most importantly, with himself. We will also explore a biography of David Attenborough.



Topic: This term our topic question is: I wonder how early Islamic civilisation changed the world?

History- In history we will be learning what happened during the early Islamic civilisation. We will explore the new ideas it brought to the world and look at real artefacts to help inspire our enquiry!

Geography- In geography our focus will be on understanding our world, learning about natural resources and different topographical features. We will use maps to secure our knowledge of the different continents and oceans and think about how we use resources carefully to meet our needs while protecting the environment.

Science- In science we will be learning about electricity. We will get buzz from exploring circuits, identifying the key components and learning to draw them scientifically. We will investigate how to change the brightness of a bulb by changing different parts of the



PGL!! We were so proud of all the children on PGL for challenging themselves to try new activities and having lots of fun! We can't wait to tell you about it in our class assembly.

PE In year 6, P.E. will take place for the children on alternate Tuesdays with Miss Parsons and Wednesdays with Mrs Simpson. Children will be reminded to come to school in PE kit on these days. House coloured T shirt, blue hoody, black joggers, leggings or shorts and trainers. There will also be outdoor learning sessions on Wednesdays so make sure children have coats in school as it gets colder.



Times tables and homework:

Every Monday, children will be tested in school on times tables using TT Rockstars, which should also be used for practice at home.

Weekly homework will be set on Sumdog to help secure our maths learning in class.

Spellings will be set on Spelling Shed for practice at home.

