

Year 6 Update – Friday 17th October 2025

This week Year 6 performed at St Michael's Secondary School for the One World Festival. The theme was 'Hope' and the children sung the appropriately named song, One World'. We dedicated our song to the environment and the call during the Jubilee Year of Hope to care for our planet.

Religious Education

- This week Year 6 Padua have looked at the Christian science debate about creation.
- Year 6 Lisbon looked at God's Redemptive Plan starting from the original sin of Adam and Eve to the resurrection of Jesus.

Vocabulary: redemption, plan, creation, Christian science

Pre learning:

- Next week Year 6 Lisbon will be looking at John's Gospel and his interpretation of the creation story.
- Year 6 Padua will be completing an end of topic assessment.

Mathematics

- Year 6 have been looking at different approaches to solving word problems e.g. using a bar model, working backwards, prioritising information and have also moved onto examining factors and multiples of numbers.

Vocabulary: bar model, inverse, multi-step, factors, multiples

English

- Year 6 Padua have worked hard to finish typing up their Night of the Gargoyles stories ready for their class book; they have also started a new non-fiction unit based on the book Planetarium.
- Year 6 Lisbon have put the finishing touches to their stories and have been tying them up too.

Vocabulary: varied sentence length, repetition, show not tell

Pre-learning:

- Next week the children will be continuing with their non-fiction work on Planetarium.

Homework

- The children have an arithmetic and spelling activity this week.
- There are 36 arithmetic questions in total but the children can 'banish' 6 questions of their choice.
- If children wish to attempt all 36 instead of 30 questions they are very free to do so.
- The children also have a spelling task.
- Homework is due in on Friday.

Other Information

- A reminder that the final swimming for Year 6 Lisbon is on Monday 20th October.
- We would like to invite you to a special assembly on Friday 24th October to see our performance from the One World Festival and the Community afternoon. Parents are invited back to the classroom to complete an activity with your child.
- School will finish for half-term at 3:30pm on Friday 24th October.

We hope you have a great weekend.

Kind regards

The Year 6 Team