

## Year 6 Summer 1

### Maths

This half term we have studied the properties of shapes. We learned about the parts of a circle before moving on to all aspects of angles. We practised drawing and measuring angles using a protractor and then found out about how to calculate angles on a straight line, as a part of a whole and in vertically opposite angles.

### English

We were incredibly lucky to be offered the chance to work with the National Theatre Group this half term. This involved taking part in a drama workshop based on the play Hamlet by William Shakespeare. We did freeze frames, improvisations and identified the themes from the play. We then went to Whitburn Academy to watch Hamlet being performed. The actors used Shakespearean language but because of the workshop, we were all able to understand what was happening. We all thoroughly enjoyed this work.



### Nissan Visit

We also had an amazing day out at Nissan, finding out all about Nissan, Japanese culture and most importantly, learning to work with each other as a team. We completed various challenges as part of the day, including building Lego cars, working as part of the production line and performing the Pivo dance.



## Art

We have completed further work on collages by studying the work of Joseph Cornell. We designed, produced and evaluated our own collages based on his. We think we did an amazing job.



Next half term, we are looking forward to finding out all about the insides of our bodies in science. We will be consolidating all of our maths skills with some special projects and we have our residential visit to Bushcraft booked. We will also be doing lots of work to prepare us for the transition to our new schools in September.