# Year 6 Autumn 1

Wow! We have made a brilliant start to year 6 and we would like to share some of the learning we have completed with you.

#### <u>Maths</u>

We started autumn term with a focus on place value and our knowledge of numbers past one million. We worked hard on recognising the value of the different digits, rounding and multiplying and dividing by the powers of ten. We have also studied addition and subtraction methods and investigated factors, multiples and square numbers. We complete 10 minutes of arithmetic practice every morning, apart from during our TT Rockstars weeks when we battle with our times tables knowledge. Mrs Littlewood has discovered exactly how competitive we are.

### <u>English</u>

We started our Year 6 English work by enjoying the work of Oliver Jeffers and his book 'Stuck!' We read the story several times, wrote about the events from different points of view and produced news reports about the events in the story. We then went on to study the book 'Rose Blanche'. We have made predictions about the text, wrote setting descriptions within a narrative and considered Rose's thoughts. We have also worked hard to develop our knowledge of relative clauses and speech punctuation.

THE TREE OF TERROR! Kite stuck in a height! This strong event took phere light the boy mistary delay torer the boy wather the pose the light the lite stuck in a result oak tree in the park so to save it he came up with the "brillast" dea be the mande blowing gets, with Netwhen at 11.00 to a child talled Find got g a kill Stock in a live at a one food perk I as alternat to rescuse the ad kik, things got interesting Saturday 21st September a boy called Floyd lives in 3 Adelphis et got his kite stuck a tree. Little did anyone. It seems like the whole of Whitburn was abacted hat night batese only thing that happend was a bog named Floyd. and tagging on the string but it the not come out to be trick throwing he and stre-peoples belonging in the tree. Including independent of even a track. On Saturday people who he got lost. After a night the firmen suffered from hypothermia because of the freezing 2024 Street in a it was a disaster They start that I shart mean fing start that I shart mean for start of shart I just throught tell or word for the Bigh three shore have a the twee sail the three all may below in that there the base a mean owners at benefit as the base to deep non the cit hart he base to deep non the cit hart greach when the cit hart Know tricia about whole hed."I book my children was in a blee." Betricia d. Everyone we will be listening to Pat peoples belongings, pets, will animals and more, they were trapped for the whole night ! It turns out that uticular event started One witness said "The only thing I saw was they bog playing with that stuid Kth Crowds formed all thinking the same guestes who or what It carns out that I and hagel three several ilens of other peoples posettice in a great big out tree why get them it stuck in a creek, trial tanks of more but it Floyd got his kite He lost everything hight, he lost School d. Everyone is trong is this ch will be seen in Some givenne are still getting spilles pulled out of there hands gave and other place. You do not want to the now a cat, a paint bucket , a boat, a house fire truck. That wa the same spelks hands. e it move but it good. He tried pulling me of the items and Local poelice are shill wondering is to give the ten year old boy a punishmer the such as prison for two It is yet to be herified if Plogh will go to jull or not be will be in court 4th October 2014 That's all This made parents and so civillars blood boil yellin screening that has too you ust FLoghenjeg. any that has too your inge Nobry Rooms when we beg you goe the Kite in tree It is stuck! ment be yore disator By Amelia Gerace Patts By Coby Heron By Tomas Noting - He are the

## <u>Art</u>

We have been learning about different drawing techniques and styles of art while wondering if we can make our voices heard through art. We have used different mediums, for example charcoal and water colours, to complete our designs and worked hard to produce a final piece of work for the unit, considering audience and impact to create powerful drawings to make our voices heard.



### **Geography**

We have been studying South America and trying to find out if it is the same all over. We have investigated the climate in different locations, identified the biomes of South America and researched the physical and human features. We have enjoyed checking our knowledge using Kahoot and increasing our knowledge of the world with Globle.

## <u>PSHE</u>

As part of our PSHE work we have been learning about relationships, respect and stereotypes.

#### **Science**

In science we have been learning about light and have completed several miniinvestigations to find out about light and how we see. We need light to be able to see and we have discovered that light travels in straight lines.

Next half term, we will be studying multiplication and division in maths and electricity in science. In history, we will be finding out about the effects of World War Two and we will be planning how we could make improvements to Cornthwaite Park.