

Year 6

In English, we complete a three-week writing cycle that incorporates everything we need in order to complete a 'Big Write' in the specific genre that we learn in that cycle. This term we wrote a setting description on the Blitz, a chronological timeline of WW2, a character description of Scrooge, a poem about the Grinch and we are currently writing a personal recount of Floella Benjamin during the Windrush movement.



In mathematics we develop both our mental and our written calculation strategies, and have the opportunity to apply our understanding through a range of reasoning/ problem-solving activities. We have currently covered the four operations and fractions. We are now working hard on decimals!



We have looked at electricity and light in our science topics and completed many experiments. This term we are focusing on the circulatory system and we are looking forward to our trip to Phillips High School where we get to look at the organs in real life!



During our topic units of History and Geography, year 6 learned all about World War 1 and 2 and South America. We got to taste South American food, look at evidence from the War and look at what happened to Whitefield and Manchester during the war. This term we will be learning about the Windrush Generation.



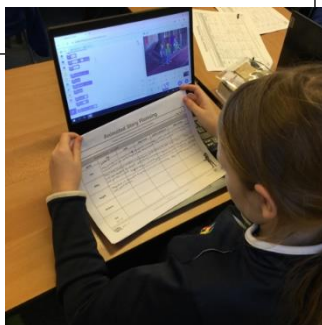
Year 6 loved their dance and football lessons for PE last term. This term we are doing gymnastics and hockey.



During our art and DT lessons we practiced the sketching techniques of Henry Moore and designed and built our own moving vehicles. This term we are looking at the artist Georgia O'Keeffe.



In our RE lessons last term we looked at Why do people believe in God and then we focused in on the big debate of science vs. God. The children came up with so many interesting arguments for this debate. We are currently learning about Hinduism and why it is important to be good.



For more information and pictures about our class, please head to our school website page <https://www.allsaintscoepswhitefield.co.uk/year-6/>