

# YEAR 6 SPRING 2 NEWSLETTER



## What can we look forward to this half term?

This half term, we will be diving into a whole school Local History study, where we will focus on Bury and Manchester. Our core text is 'Peterloo Imagine a World', supporting reading comprehension and discussion. In science, we will be learning about Animals including Humans.

Please take a look at your child's Block of Learning for this half term – this explains the objectives which will be covered throughout.

Please also encourage your child to read regularly at home, complete Accelerated Reader quizzes and engage with Century Learning tasks and 'nuggets' set for home practice.

## A Note From Miss Scott

Welcome back! We hope you have had a lovely break. We have had a fantastic Spring term so far, with Year 6 working incredibly hard across all subjects.

Pupils enjoyed a brilliant visit to Unsworth Academy to watch their production. We also celebrated a range of themed days, including Number Day, which brought maths to life through puzzles, challenges and practical activities.

As we head into Spring 2, we are beginning the countdown to SATs and are proud of the determination and maturity Year 6 continue to show! We are excited to continue supporting them as they enjoy more learning and experiences this term.



## Supporting Your Child at Home



- Encourage your child to read regularly and quiz at home and in school.
- Encourage and support your child in completing tasks from this half term's learning log, linked to our topic.
- Encourage your child to access Century Learning.
- Spelling Frame – a resource to develop confidence in spelling. All pupils now have their own login to access from home. Pupils can focus on a key spelling rule, test themselves and engage in spelling-focused games.

## Reminders

- PE sessions are delivered every Thursday – correct PE kit must be worn.
- If your child has a sports club after school, he/ she can wear their PE kit to school.
- We ask that children bring their reading books and records to school every day.

## Diary Dates

Please see our SBS Calendar Dates which is sent out with our weekly newsletter.

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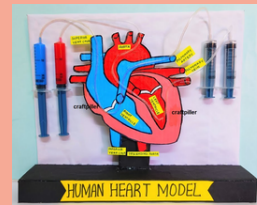
# LEARNING LOG



Using what you have learnt so far, write a descriptive setting about Manchester on the day of Peterloo OR Bury during the Industrial Revolution.



Use any materials you like to make a model which demonstrates how the heart works. Your model should include the heart as a pump and vessels to transport the 'blood'.



Research foods that are healthy for your heart. Use this information to plan a weekly menu of foods your heart would love.



Create a storyboard or comic strip showing the build-up, main events and aftermath of the Peterloo Massacre.



Design a poster encouraging peaceful protest or campaigning for fairness in 1819.



Songwriters, authors and artists are often inspired by the heart. Use the heart as inspiration for your own piece of art. You could write a song, rap, create a dance or image.

