



Year 6 Newsletter

Autumn 2

Welcome back Year 6 to a new half term at Norwich Road Academy! We are so **proud** of the hard work you all put into our first half term; we look forward to seeing your progress over the coming weeks.

Thank you to everyone who got involved with the science homework projects. It was amazing to see all the hard work and time that was spent on them. We can't wait to see what you produce this half term!

We hope you enjoy looking through this newsletter to find out what we are learning about in Year 6 this half term.

Miss Hannah Archibald and Miss Leah Barber

Dates for your diary

Odd Socks Day—10th
November

Parents evening—10th/11th
November

Non school uniform—28th
November

Christmas movie night—8th
December

Christmas lunch, Christmas
jumpers and carols on the
playground—17th December

Home Learning

At Norwich Road Academy we believe in working in partnership with our families. Parents often ask how they can support their child. Regular reading and supporting your child with their home learning, is a great way to do this.

Please ask your children what they have learnt and enjoyed during the day. If you have any questions about your child's learning please speak with your child's class teacher. If you would like any further information about our Curriculum, our website is packed full of learning links and ideas for every subject.

www.norwichroadacademy.co.uk/the-norwich-road-way

We teach children that 'bullying' is repetitive and intentional and can be done in different ways. We teach the children.



We can tackle this by using
STOP

Start Telling Other People

Our Value this half term is 'Connect'



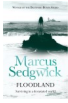
Connect – A Norwich Road Academy Super Learner makes links and connections in their learning, between all aspects of the wider curriculum.

This half term we will be focusing on politeness, manners and kindness to others, as we connect with children and staff. The children will continue to develop their ability to share ideas and answers in full sentences, as they connect with others in school. The children know that their conduct around school is important and can impact on others. These important life skills help us connect with others beyond the school day.

Curriculum Focus

English

We are reading 'Floodland' by Marcus Sedgwick this half term and focusing on persuasive writing. Floodland is set in Norwich but in this story, the East of England has been covered in water and Norwich is an island...



Maths

In maths, we are continuing to work on fractions. This is what a large proportion of the SATs questions will be focused on. We are learning to add and subtract any fraction or mixed number, as well as multiplying and dividing them.

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Science

Our topic in science is 'Materials'. We will be learning about the different properties of materials through practical investigations.



French

We are learning to name places around a town in French and how to locate them. This will be handy for any future trips to the country!



DT

Our Design and Technology project this half term is connected with toy-building. We will be creating toys with moving parts!



Life Skills

This term's themes are:

Family and Relationships;
Health and Wellbeing.

All of this will come after:

Anti-Bullying Week which is from Monday 10th November!



RE

Our key question in RE is: 'Does everyone believe in a God?'. We will look at the difference between theism, atheism and agnosticism.



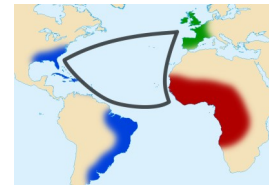
Geography

Our topic is 'Mountains, Earthquakes and Volcanoes' and looks at the Alps, where earthquakes may occur, and the structure of a volcano.



History

We are learning about the 'Transatlantic Slave Trade' this half term. We will learn about the origins of this as well as how it was abolished.



For further information on our curriculum please visit our website at: www.norwichroadacademy.co.uk

Further information about Eastern Multi Academy Trust can be found here: www.eastern-mat.co.uk

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