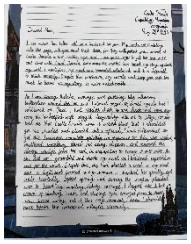
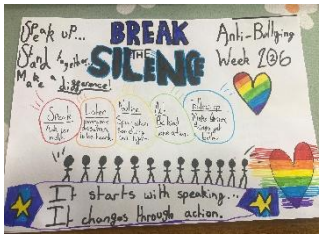
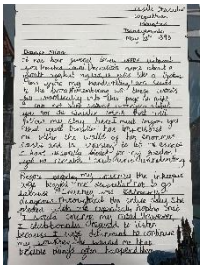
Year 6 News
20th November 2026









What we've been learning recently

English – In English, we have completed our Gothic-style recount letters. The children have worked hard to incorporate a range of grammatical techniques and carefully considered the key features needed to make their writing effective. We have now moved on to our new unit on setting descriptions, which will provide plenty of opportunities for the children's creativity and imagination to shine!

Maths – In maths, we are moving on to our second unit on fractions, where the children will continue to develop and deepen their mathematical skills and understanding, building on the knowledge they have gained so far.

Wider Curriculum – In our wider curriculum, we have successfully completed our science unit on electricity. We will now be putting this knowledge into practice during our Design and Technology unit. The children will explore existing products, carry out research, develop their own designs and, finally, make their very own handheld buzzer games. We also dedicated some time to talk about Anti-Bullying Week; the children created some fantastic posters about 'breaking the silence.'

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Over the next two weeks, we will be starting an exciting new observational art project where children will use their prior English learning to create impressive 3D versions of their animal genus. We will also continue our PSHE unit, *Celebrating Differences*, exploring what makes each of us unique and special. Finally, we will embark on an electrifying DT unit as we design and build our own handheld buzzer games. It's sure to be a shockingly good project that will really spark the children's creativity and problem-solving skills!

Important Notices

PE Kit – A reminder that our PE day is on Monday. Please ensure your child wears their full PE kit on these days.

Stay and Learn – 27th November - Doors open at 08:30 for a 09:00 start. We would love to invite parents and carers to join us for a special *Gothic Writing* Stay and Learn session!

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Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

6B – Tom, Dolcie, Leo D, Lewis

6W – Taylor, Archie, Lucas, Emily