#### Science

#### Living things and habitats



We will explore the process of reproduction in some plants and animals. We will also learn about the process od classification for plants. The scientific skill we will focus on is sorting and clas-

#### PE

Please ensure that your child comes to school dressed in their PE kit on these days.



Class PE days: Thursday

#### Rights Respecting Schools

We are a rights respecting school which means we place the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child at the heart of our ethos and curriculum. This half term we are focusing on:

Article 14 Every child has the right to choose their own religion and beliefs.

Article 29 We have the right to be the best we can be. Your education should help you use and develop your talents.

# Reading Logs and Homework

Homework is handed out each week on a Friday and must be returned to school by Tuesday. Children will be given spelling, maths and a piece of literacy homework. Please remember to read daily with your child at home and encourage your child to summarise what they have read in their reading log (reading logs must be brought to school everyday). Books will be changed every week; if your child needs to change their book more frequently remind them to speak to their class teacher.



# Gainsborough Primary School Year 6 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers of children in Year 6, welcome back to Gainsborough!

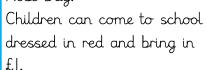
We hope you had a wonderful break.

# Adults Working in Year 6

Class teacher: Liz Muganga Intervention Teacher - Mrs Bilgetay

## Red Nose Day

On Friday 18th March we will raise money on Red Nose Day.







# Gainsborough Keeps

Excellence in learning. Always striving.

Keep Kind

Keep Green

Keep Healthy

Keep Connected

Keep Safe

Keep Giving





This half term we are focusing on Keep Connected.

Follow the school's Instagram page to keep connected

#### Writing

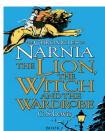
Our writing units this half term are again linked to our class reader 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe'. We will write in role as Lucy Persuading the Queen of Narnia to let her brother free.

We will also retell the story from 2 different views. I addition, we will write a comparative, a diary entry and a non-

chronological report linked to our topic-the Maya Civilization

In order to support you child/children with their writing, please help them with their year 5/6 spellings as these are a big focus this half term. If you are unsure of what these are, please speak to the class teachers. These spellings are in addition to the weekly spell-

ings homework.

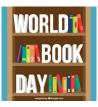


### Reading

- This half term we will continue to enjoy the story "The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe" our class readers.
- We will be practising our summarising skills by regularly completing summaries in our reading logs.
- To support your child at home please read with them everyday.
- Children can also access Reading Plus at home.
- Reading lessons will continue to focus on answering a range of question types, based on the book that they are reading.

#### World Book day

We are celebrating World Books Day on Thursday 3rd March 2022. Children can come in dressed as their favourite character from a book,



#### Maths

This half term we will focus on algebra, measurements, area, perimeter and volume. We will continue to find ways to develop our understanding and use of the 4 operations and fluency within all areas of Maths.

Please support your child's learning at home by continuing to practice their times tables using Times. Table Rockstars and complete tasks set on Mathletics using the following websites.

The username and password will be found on the inside cover of the homework book. <a href="https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/">https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth/school/</a>

## Topic

This half term we will continue to learn about the Maya Civilisation and compare and contrast with other civilisations.

### <u>Art</u>

The children will complete a drawing unit this half term in their art lessons. They will focus on different drawing techniques and drawing from observations.

Look out for our fabulous artists on the school's Instagram page.

# Computing

We will
build on our
knowledge of coding using
Scratch. Also, Year 6 will
discuss how we can support each other online and
strategies to keep ourselves safe.

