



Last term, we enjoyed all of our fantastic learning surrounding the classic fiction novel and film of Alice in Wonderland. We have particularly loved acting out the scene as Alice enters Wonderland for the first time. Great expression was used by all! To finish this unit, we each wrote a fantastic ending - and we are so proud of our work. It was lovely to receive leavers' hoodies too!

As part of our geography topic about climate change and sustainability, we loved discussing Freiburg, a city in Germany, that uses sustainable practices and began thinking about how Lancaster could learn from them.

We have thoroughly enjoyed the trips: to see Mother Goose pantomime, to watch Moana 2 at the cinema and to the Maritime Museum to do a Viking workshop.

Our artwork, based on Van Gogh, has been a class favourite as well. Our sunflower calendars should make your smile!

This half-term, we are looking forward to our fantastic performance at Manchester's Young Voices concert. We have been learning the lyrics and are very excited to visit Co-op Live Arena to perform for a huge audience.

In English, we will be performing a scene from Macbeth and writing a scene from the story.

Our geography and art focus will be 'Mountains, Earthquakes and Volcanoes', where we look at the structure of the Earth, how mountains are formed as well as the impact of natural disasters.

Key Vocabulary

- volcano
- erupt
- earthquake
- tremor
- tectonic plate
- crust
- mantle
- core
- lava
- magma
- active
- dormant
- extinct
- infrastructure
- evacuation
- montage
- mosaic
- mono-printing

Important days and dates

Homework is given out each Monday. This is made up of one double-sided sheet of maths and English and one double-sided sheet of weekly spelling practice. It is due in the following Friday.

PE is each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon. Comfortable, weather-appropriate kit should be worn.

Young Voices

Year 6 are doing a performance at Co-op Arena, Manchester on Friday 7th February. This will be a long day – we are leaving school just before lunch time and will only be returning quite late at night.