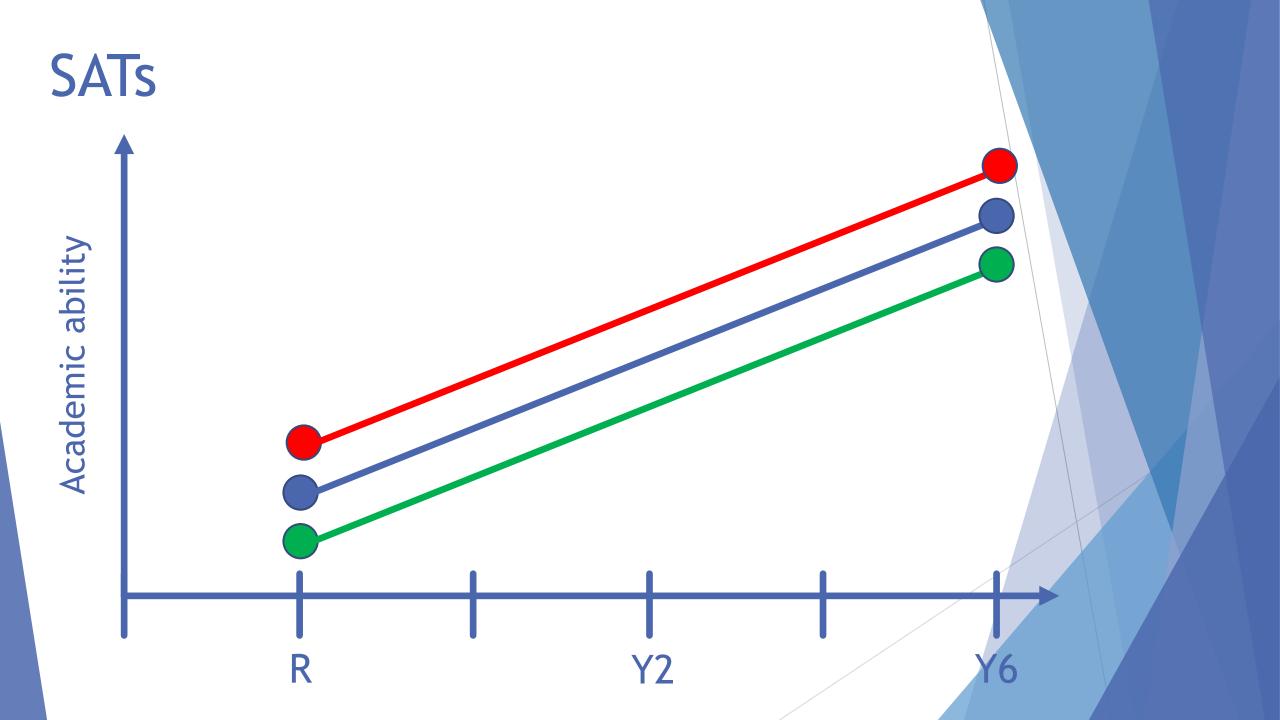


Year 6 Curriculum Meeting 2025-2026



SATs - Assessment Weeks (these might change)

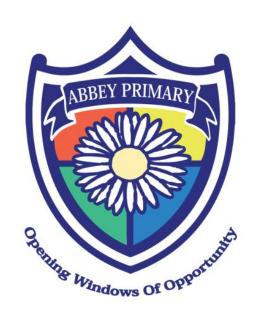
- Week beginning Monday 15th September
- Week beginning Monday 1st December

- Spring 1
- Spring 2

SATs Week - Monday 11th May 2026

The Year 6 Team

- ► Miss Walker 6W
- ► Miss Doody 6D



► Miss Yuksel, Miss Watt, Mrs Bedforth

Mrs Dilley and Mrs Keirnan

► Señora Burge

Timetable



Abbey Primary School Class 6W Timetable

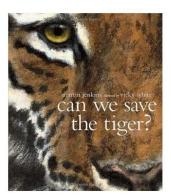


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Monday	Registration	Assembly	English	Break	Maths			Lunch			Spellings 1-1.15 WCR 1.15-1.45	Art/DT	Home
Tuesday	Registration	Whole Class Reading	English	Break		Maths		Lunch	Handwriting		Humanities	Music	Home
Wednesda	Registration	Maths 8:40 - 10:00	English/WCR/I 10:00 – 10	VCR/Library 0 – 10:30		English Library/V 10:45 – 11:30 – 1			Lunch	Handwriting Spanish		RE	Home
Thursday	Registration	Whole Class Reading	Maths		Break	Science			Lunch	Handwriting	PE	Spelling	Home
Friday	Registration	Assembly	English		Break	Maths			Lunch	Handwriting bSHE		Computing	Home

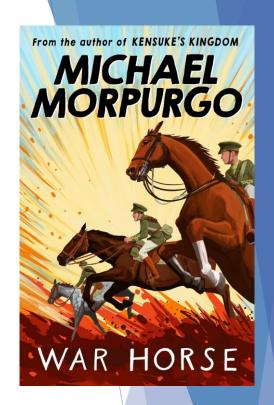
English

- Writing focus
- Broken down into units
- Use a range of stimuli including texts and clips
- ▶ Range of genres covered fictions and non-fiction e.g. diary entries, narratives, biographies etc.
- Cross-curricular links Circulatory system, World War I and II.
- War Horse, Alma, The Lost Words The Three Brothers, Can we Save the Tiger?











Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (GPS)

- Every English lesson has a grammar focus.
- ▶ By the end of Year 6, children should be using .?! and (),and :;
- ► The children will be exposed to a lot of grammatical terminology that they need to know and use.
- Grammar and punctuation is woven into English lessons.
- Spellings are taught weekly and followed up as homework

Word level → Sentence level → Text level



Reading Vipers

Vocabulary

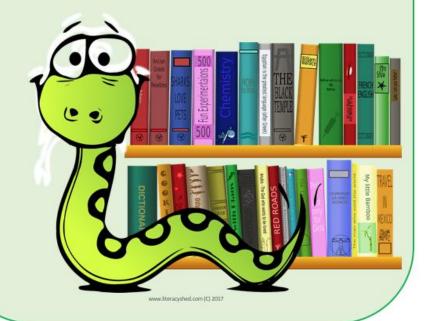
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Predict

Explain

Retrieve

Sequence or Summarise



Whole Class Reading

Read a whole text as a whole class.

Answer comprehension questions each session focusing on different reading skills.

► Follow the VIPERS approach.

► 6W - Darwin's Voyage of Discovery

► 6YW - Once

► 6D - Skellig

► Coming up...

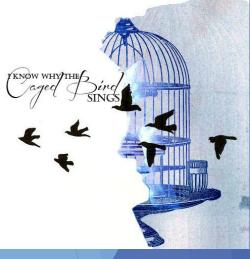
- The Infinite Lives of Maisie Day

Poems about Freedom

The Final Year

- Shackleton's Journey







Oracy at Abbey

Why teach it?

- Build on ideas
- Question others' thinking
- Acquire more vocab
- Boost confidence
- Participate more

What is Oracy?

"The ability to articulate ideas, develop understanding and engage with others through speaking, listening and communication."

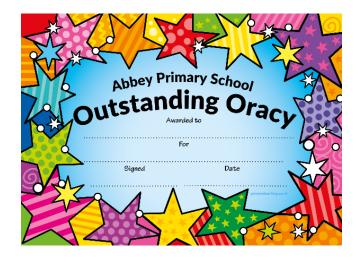
Oracy Education Commission, 2024.

Find out more about ...

- Talk rules
- Talk moves
- Talk groups
- Talk roles



Friday 19th September 8:30 – 9:30 Library





Guided Practice

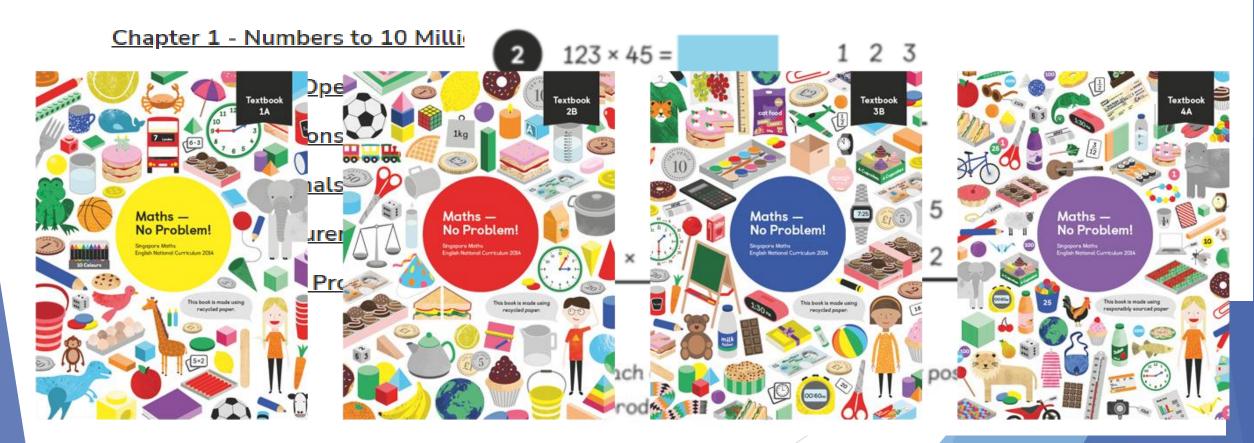
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Chapters in Textbook 6A



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The Wider Curriculum

Science

Electricity

Light

Animals

Evolution and Inheritance

Scientists and Inventors

History

Ancient Greeks

WWI

WWII

Geography

Natural Disasters

Local Geography

All Around the World

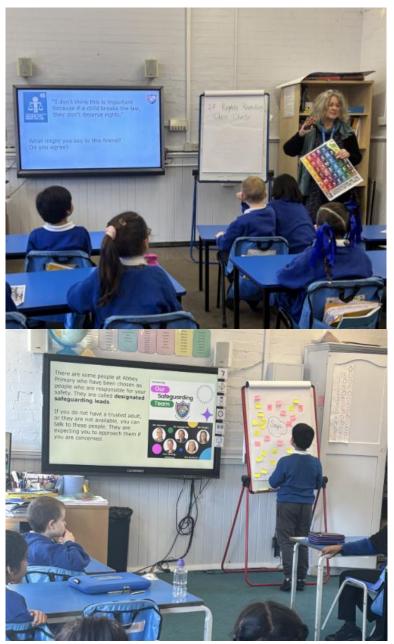
PSHE RE Computing

DT Art PE

Music

Spanish

We are proud to share that our school has achieved the Silver Rights Respecting Schools Award, recognising the way we place children's rights at the heart of our policies, curriculum, and daily practice. Pupils learn about the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child and, more importantly, how to respect and value those rights for themselves and others. Achieving Silver shows that our whole school community is committed to creating a safe, inclusive, and respectful environment where every child's voice is heard and celebrated and we are now working towards our Gold Award.













We're excited to launch the OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) programme this year! OPAL helps children learn through outdoor play that builds creativity, confidence, and strong social skills. Children will be outside in all kinds of weather, so please check the forecast and make sure they come to school with suitable clothing—raincoats, sunhats, or warm layers as needed. Being prepared means they can enjoy every moment of play, whatever the weather!







Homework

- ► At the moment the children have:
 - ✓ Daily reading
 - ✓ Weekly spelling
 - ✓ Weekly arithmetic

- ▶ We will then add:
 - Maths reasoning homework
 - ✓ Grammar homework
 - ✓ Weekly topic homework

Day Given	Subject	Day Due			
Monday	Spelling	Tuesday			
Tuesday	Grammar	Wednesday			
Wednesday	Arithmetic	Thursday			
Thursday	Reasoning	Friday			
Friday	Theme/Spanish	Monday			





Our Behaviour Ethos: Ready, Respectful & Safe

At Abbey, our ethos is for our children will be Ready, Respectful & Safe.









Bronze 100 points
Silver 200 points
Gold 300 points
Platinum 500 points



MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Why does it matter?

- Children who attend regularly, keep up with lessons
- Regular attendance is linked to higher achievement
- Helps build and maintain friendships
- Boosts self-esteem and a sense of belonging
- Teaches the importance of punctuality and commitment
- Helps teachers plan to meet the needs of your child
- Helps us identify and address learning needs or emotional challenges
- Legally responsibility
- Poor attendance can lead to warnings, fines and other legal consequences
- We are all ready, respectful and safe



0 days off in a year 0 lessons missed

2 days off in a year 10 lessons missed

5 days off in a year 25 lessons missed

10 days off in a year 50 lessons missed

14 days off in a year 70 lessons missed

20 days off in a year 100 lessons missed

100%

99%

97%

95%

93%

90%



Your child's attendance available on:

- Arbor App
- Newsletters
- Parents' evening
- End of year report

How can you help?

- Make sure your child is on time.
- Ring/email the office if your child is unwell.
- Dentist/doctors bring your child back.
- Below 92% (Arbor) you must provide medical evidence.
- Ask for help.
- Leave of absence request. No holidays in term time will be authorised except in exceptional circumstances.



Poor attendance

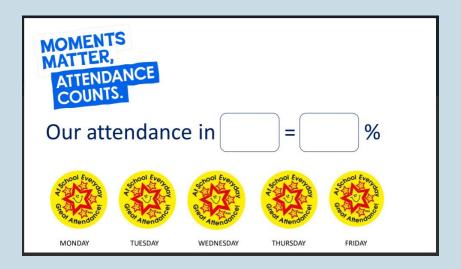
absent 5 days = £160 fixed penalty fine per parent, per child.

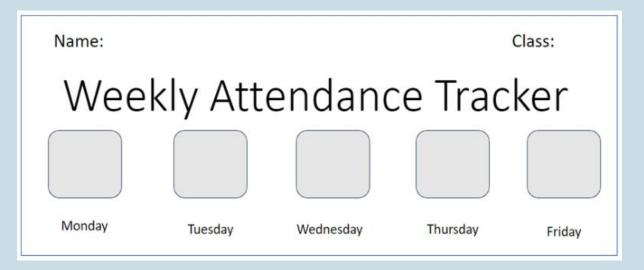
- MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.
- irregular attendance (miss 10 sessions within 10 weeks) = £160 fixed penalty fine per parent, per child.
- if repeat within 3 years = £160 fine with no reduction for early payment.
- if further repeat within 3 years = prosecution, magistrate court, £2500 fine.





How can we help?















MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Community

Teaching &



Curriculum

Wellbeing

Questions - if you have any questions, please feel free to catch one of us at the end ©