



<p>Message from Class Teacher Welcome back. I hope you have all had a lovely, restful holiday. Our learning this half-term will be based around the Titanic and <i>The Titanic Detective Agency</i> by Lindsay Littelson. Our whole school 'Value for Life' this half-term is going to be 'Forgiveness'. Most of our Collective Worship will be around this theme.</p>		 <p>BADSWORTH CofE School</p>		<p>Attendance Your child's attendance is so crucial to their progress, especially with this year being their SATs year. Year 6's attendance for last half-term was 94%. This was the lowest in school for the half-term and the only class below 'good'. Can parents and children please make a conscious effort to improve that this half-term before SATs.</p>	
<p>Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The four operations • Fractions, Decimals and Percentages • Algebra • Shape, space and measure • Reasoning and arithmetic paper practise 		<h1>Year 6</h1> <h2>Spring 2</h2>		<p>English</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigate characters, settings and techniques used in the story • Write newspaper reports and diary entries • Use punctuation accurately when reading and writing • GPS and reading paper practice 	
<p>R.E. – What difference does the resurrection make for Christians?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revisit the Easter story and explore how Christians must have felt during the different stages of this. • To analyse different Biblical sources to understand its importance to Christians linking to salvation. • To understand more about what Christians believe about life after death. 				<p>Science – Animals Including Humans</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To develop our understanding of the human body • To learn more about the respiratory system • To learn about the heart's chambers and their functions • Explanation texts linking to the chambers of the heart and their functions. 	
<p>PSHE – The Wider World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Media • Photoshop on social media and in advertising • Mental well-being • Economics 	<p>P.E. – Tag Rugby</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invasion • Tactics • Speed and agility • Rules • Y5 Vs Y6! 	<h1>The Titanic</h1>		<p>Computing – Programming</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Variables in Scratch • Use-Modify-Create • Game design and evaluation • Children will create a game 	<p>Art – Printing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Build up drawings and images of whole or parts of items using various techniques • Explore printing techniques used by various artists • Screen print for purpose
<p>History – Not taught this half-term</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<p>Geography – Not taught this half-term</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<p>Our Value for Life this half-term is...</p> <h1>Forgiveness</h1>		<p>Key Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thursday 5th March – World Book Day • Monday 9th – 12th March – MOCK SATs Year 6 • Thursday 19th March – Science Day • Tuesday 24th & Wednesday 25th March – Parents' Evening • Thursday 26th March – Easter Service – 2pm • Friday 27th March – Last day of term 	
<p>Music – Arctic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical elements • Harmonising • Composing • Improvisation 	<p>D.T. – Games</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Researching toys and games • Circuits • Steady-hand game • Joining 	<p>French</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tradition and celebrations • Alphabet • Recap of prior learning 		<p>More dates may follow so please read newsletters and Google Classroom!</p>	