

THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL  
Year 6  
Learning Diary

Week beginning: 10/9/18

### **Literacy**

In Literacy this week, we will be focussing on constructing varied sentences and know the effectiveness of using these in our writing. This will work towards providing a solid foundation for our writing. We will then use these skills to produce a descriptive piece.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (SPaG) will be practiced throughout every week.

### **Maths**

In Maths this week, we will concentrate on Number and Place Value. We will be reading and writing numbers to 10 million, comparing and ordering numbers as well as rounding. Times tables will be practiced throughout the week.

### **Science**

We will be starting our 'Light up Our World' topic, where we will learn that a light source, an object and our eyes are needed to see. Key vocabulary to be learned is: transparent, translucent and opaque.

### **Topic**

Our new topic is called 'Exploring the Maya' an ancient civilisation. We will be discovering facts about the Maya and know when and where they lived in the world.

## **INFORMATION**

It is important for all children to be in school uniform at all times. Our PE days are on Wednesday and Thursday. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit as we are not able to provide spares. Any children without a PE kit will be given a lunchtime detention.

## **HOMEWORK**

Homework will be given out twice a week. See below:

Given out: Friday                      Returned: Tuesday

Given out: Wednesday              Returned: Friday

Please ensure all homework is completed and returned on time. Any children who do not complete their homework (without a valid reason) will be given a lunchtime detention and will be expected to complete it then.