

# Year 6 Newsletter

Spring Term January 2026



Happy New Year 2026!

We are excited to start back at school with some exciting new topics.  
Please remember to bring your child's water bottle to school every day.

## PE days

PE Days - PLEASE SEE CHANGES TO  
ELPHINSTONE PE DAYS  
Elphinstone - Monday & Thursday  
Hardy - Monday & Thursday

## Upcoming events & other news

February - KS2 Poetry slam performance -  
please encourage your child to practice  
the poem at home.

## What we're learning this half term

### English

In reading we are really looking forward to starting a new class novel called 'When the sky falls' by Phil Earle. In writing we will use digital literacy and picture books to explore our creative writing expression. We will link this to our learning on World War II.

### Maths

In maths we are consolidating fractions, decimals and interpreting worded reasoning problems.

### History

Year 6 will enquire as historians all about World War II - why did Britain go to war and what was evacuation like?  
Our writing will really help us immerse ourselves further.

### Art

Sculpture and 3D: Making memories.  
We will be making a memory box (linked to evacuee and World War II learning)

### PSHE

During our PSHEE lessons each Monday we will explore the book 'Mary Earps' which looks at what a stereotype is, physical exercise importance and career choices.