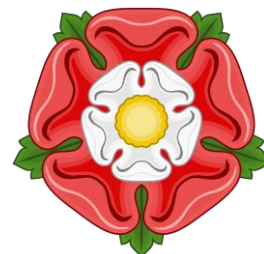


Term 2 - Newsletter

The Tudors



Dear Willow Class families,

We are looking forward to Term 2! We will be starting a new topic, The Tudors! We will be going a trip to Hever Castle later in the term, which we know lots of the children will be excited about, a letter will be sent home at the start of next term with more information!

Homework

Reading	Please read with your child at least three times a week at home and ensure that it is uploaded on Boom Reader. A member of staff will be checking this each Friday to create our reading score.
Lexia	Children are welcome to use their Lexia log ins at home at practice their reading, spelling and comprehension skills.
Times Tables	Children will learn their tables and they practise these in school. Each child has a Times Table Rockstars login and should be practising at home. For year 4 this is especially important because later in the year they will have the times table assessment.

Useful Websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zfg9bqt>

<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/primary-resource/stonehenge-stone-age-primary-resource/>

Questions you could ask your child about their learning this term:

- What were the names of King Henry VIII's wives?
- Can you tell me what happened to them?
- When was the Tudor period?
- What are the things you need to consider when drawing a portrait of someone?
- How would you set up a fair scientific experiment?


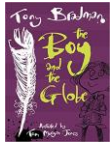





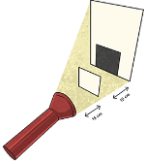
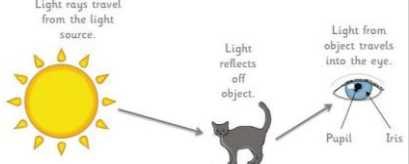


















Key Topic Vocabulary

Shakespeare	prediction	results	conclusion	Tudors	The Globe	tenth
hundredth	monarchy	tradition	algorithm	sequence	prefix	suffix
		apostrophe	contracted	form		

Reminders – Please can you make sure your child brings in a water bottle each day with fresh water; ensure all jumpers are labelled and bring a coat for any wet weather. Our PE days are Tuesday and Wednesday; on these days, the children need to come into school in their PE kit.

Many thanks for your continued support,
Miss Boswell and the Willow team

'The Tudors - Learning Map

Literacy 	Narrative- 'The Boy and the Globe' 	Writing for a tour of Hever Castle 	Diary and letter writing 
Maths 	Addition and Subtraction $\begin{array}{r} 38 \\ 93 \\ \hline 131 \\ 1 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 6712 \\ 56 \\ \hline 16 \end{array}$	Multiplication and Division 
Science 	Light 		
Art and DT 	Portraits 		
History 	Tudor Monarchy 	Tudor Lifestyles 	Significant figures of the Tudor time 
PSHE 	Celebrating Differences 		
Computing 	Online Safety 	Spread sheets 	
RE 	Using Christianity - Incarnation 		
Languages 	Christmas and Numbers 		
Music 	Appraising Tudor Music and Christmas 