

YEAR 6: Spring 1 2024

The children have completed the following learning this half term

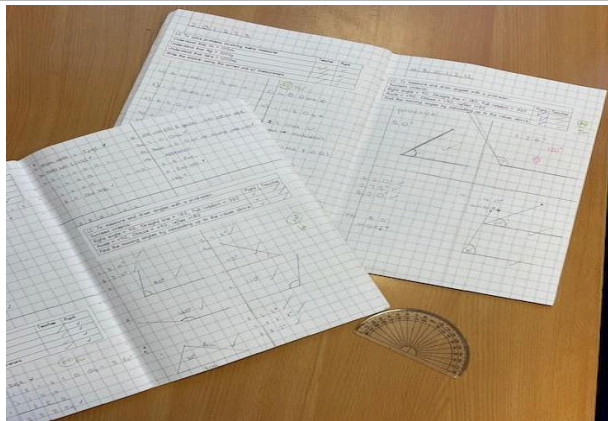
English



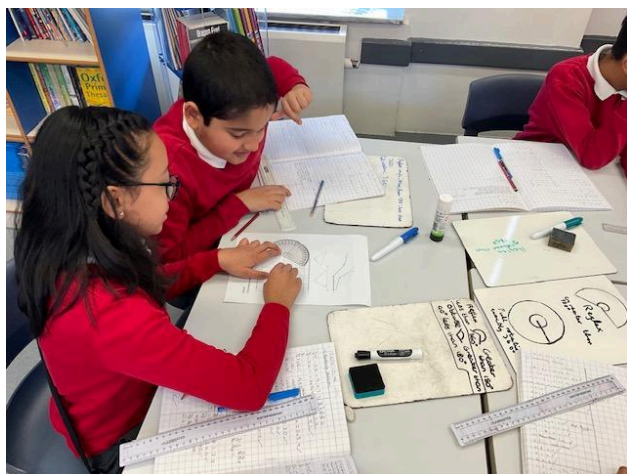
This half term in English we have been looking at contemporary fiction texts. We read books related to mental health: "My mum's from Pluto" and "My dad's a birdman". We discussed how the reader could relate to the characters and the challenges they face and wrote our own diary entry based on the main character's experiences. In our writing we used adverbs and adverbial phrases as well as dashed and semi-colons.

We have also looked at explanation, instruction and report texts. We wrote our own information text on maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

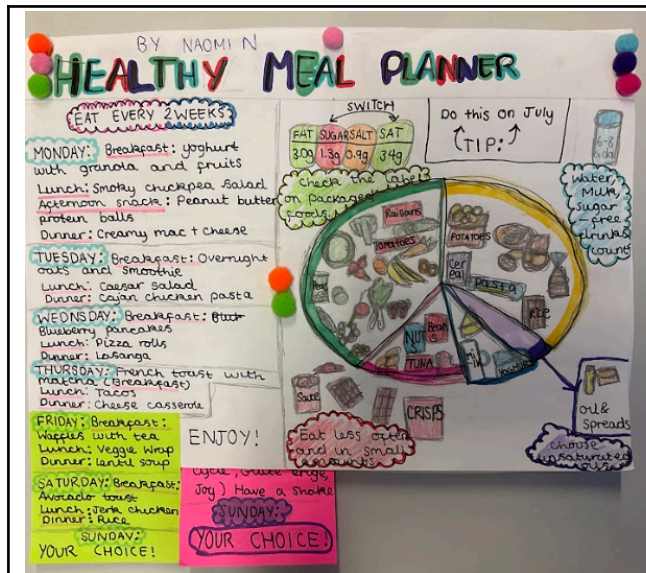
Maths



In Maths we have learnt about angles in quadrilaterals, triangles and polygons. We have learnt how to measure, draw and find missing angles. We have also learnt about properties of 2D and 3D shape, order of operations (BIDMAS) and practised calculating ratio and proportion.



Topic: Fit for Life



Our topic this half term was "Fit for life". We learned about the structure of the brain and the various functions of its different parts, as well as circulatory and respiratory system. We explored what is needed to keep our heart healthy and why are the nutrients essential for our bodies. We also looked at how to stay healthy through balanced diets and exercise. We conducted our own investigation where we measured our heart before, during and after exercise. For our Make it Real this half term we designed our own diet and exercise plan.

Make it Real



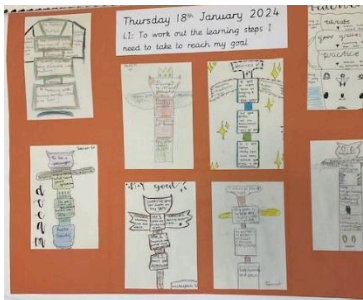
Other Subjects

PSHE

In **RE** this half term we learned all about the mosques, why they matter to Muslim community and how they reflect Muslim values. We have also explored how Muslim calligraphy, poetry and painting is inspired by Islam.

In **PE** we have practised skills needed to be a great hockey player and continued learning jumps, rolls and balances in gymnastics.

PHSE



PE



RE



In **computing**, we have been learning how to use Sketch up. We have building our healthy school and learnt how to use a variety of Sketch up tools.

We have also practised our guitar skills in small groups during **Music**.

Music



Computing

