

### Reading: Essential (30+ mins each day)

Free resources to have fun with books

#### Free read alouds for you to enjoy

[Elen's Island](#) a chapter book read by author Eloise Williams

[Bodyguard: Target](#) read by author Chris Bradford

[The Creakers](#) read by author Tom Fletcher

[Draw with](#) wonderful illustrator Emily Gravett

#### Non-fiction

Enjoy [Q-files](#) The Online Library of knowledge on every subject

#### Comprehension

Please read at least the 2 pages about William Harvey mentioned in the topic box and write 5 facts that you discovered about him. Include at least 2 scientific facts.

### English (PLEASE DO THIS ACTIVITY)

This work is to prepare for what we will be doing in school in purple and orange bubbles. It will form part of our Leavers assembly (although we are not quite sure what form this will take yet) so even if you are not returning to school, please have a go at this as we hope to include all Y6 children. I have recorded a short introduction to the activity which you should find on our homework page.

**Please bring your typed or written responses to school on the first day that you return as we will be using them in class.**

### Spellings (Y5/6 list)

language  
occur  
conscience  
dictionary  
correspond  
accommodate  
programme  
individual  
frequently  
thorough

#### Game

#### Activity

REMEMBER you will need to email me for your user name and password if you haven't already done so.

### Maths:

I know some of you have been practising your arithmetic skills during lockdown, but if you haven't you might want to have a go at this to refresh your memory and get your brain buzzing again ready for your return to school.

[Arithmetic questions](#)

This week I would like you to recap on volume. I have included a link to some dotty paper which will be helpful to print out. The White Rose sheets are on the homework page.

If you found that straightforward, have a go at drawing using isometric paper. It is fun when you get the hang of it.

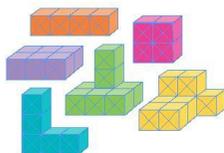
[Dotty paper](#) (Use it landscape)

[3D drawing tips](#)

[3D drawing activity](#)

[Extension](#)

Bring in your finished drawings to display in school.



### TT Rockstars :

#### [TT RockStars](#)

I have set up a tournament against Oak this week. Can Ash beat Oak? We will see who has won in the next children's newsletter.

Well done to Emily F, James, Zoe L, Jacob, Oscar, Naomi, Sam and Lily for trying to beat Rowan, sadly they didn't. We need more Y6 players! Well done for Emily F for earning the most points. Keep it up!

Can anyone in Ash feature in the weekly newsletter this week for TT Rockstars achievements? These figures are based on the last 7 days activity so can change very quickly.

### Topic: Bloodheart

Our topic for terms 5 and 6 is Blood heart. In school, we would have been reading Pig Heart Boy by Malorie Blackman as a class reader so if you can get hold of a copy you might like to read it. It is a fantastic story. There are lots of activities linked to the topic on our new homework sheet which you will find on our webpage.

Please use the links below and any others you might find to explore how William Harvey played a significant role in our understanding of blood circulation. Focus on the science rather than biographical details. Please present your findings in an interesting way and I look forward to seeing them.

[William Harvey 1](#)

[William Harvey 2](#)



### Physical Activity

Real PE [click here](#)

Home access to PE and fun movement activities we subscribe to in school)

Email: [parent@westoxford-1.com](mailto:parent@westoxford-1.com)

Password: westoxford

[Joe Wicks Daily Workout](#)  
[supermovers](#)  
[Cosmic Kids](#)  
[Go Noodle](#)



**French** – children can log in to the Pupil Games Area and access French language activities

Username: NorthLeigh  
Password: NorthLeigh



This term you might like to try any of the games based on Healthy Lifestyle (Manger et Bouger).

**Science:** Animals including humans

We will now be focussing on how nutrients and water are transported in humans and other animals.

I would like you to find out which part of the blood carries water and nutrients around the body, which 3 nutrients are most important and what enzymes do.

We will hopefully be doing some practical work (if I can get the resources) linked to this in school so it would be really useful to do this quick research first.

### Emotional Literacy Support (ELSA)

[Have You Filled A Bucket Today?](#) – Hear the American author Carol McCloud read a story about happiness and how we can help to fill our own buckets.

[Bucket Full Of Happiness](#) – What has made you happy this week? You can print this or copy the picture and make your own.



### Competition Time

[Exploration of the Day](#) provides new art project ideas each day, created by author / artist Keri Smith. Check out the Scavenger Hunt – Circles!



### Arts, Culture & Virtual Visits



[Mapcrunch](#) transports you to a random location anywhere in the world using Google street view. It promises “spectacular scenery, magical moments and the utterly unexplainable.”

[National Geographic Kids](#) provides lots of activities and quizzes

[Nature activities](#) from The Woodland Trust for families to enjoy in their homes and gardens.

[BBC Bitesize Learn and Revise KS2](#) This page will take you to a vast collection of high quality learning clips, games and quizzes from the wider curriculum.

[BBC Bitesize daily](#) Here are 3 short interactive lessons available each day: Maths, English and one other subject from the wider curriculum, all from one easy to navigate page.

[Oak National Academy](#) This new site provides 3 daily lessons: Maths, English and one other subject, including video lessons and resources.