

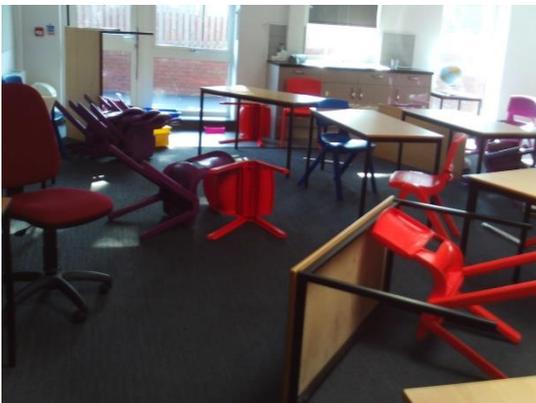
It has certainly been an energetic start to the new school year in Year 6! We have begun our new topic in a very exciting way, and are all becoming increasingly excited for the upcoming residential visit.

In maths, we have been reconnecting with our place value skills. This becomes more important than ever in Year 6, as having your numbers in the right place can make all the difference to your answer. The children have worked through this well and clearly have a firm grip.



In English, we have begun to write a recount. We have spent time learning an example, and discussing the grammatical features of a recount. We will soon begin writing our own, with as much detail as possible. We are sure that many exciting stories from the summer will be recalled!

Our Science topic has started, as we begin to learn about evolution and inheritance. We have already studied the difference between earlier forms of humans and ourselves. It has been very interesting to see the transitions over millions of years.



The first day back to school was an interesting one, with a crime scene unfolding before our eyes. Titanium Room had been completely ransacked, with a series of clues leading us to two missing children. We worked hard as a team to rescue our fellow classmates and were delighted to welcome them back to class, after solving the clues left by the sneaky kidnapper!

There has also been a lot of important historical research going on in Year 6, as we gather information from different eras from history, to find out about how crime and punishment has changed over the years.

Over the next two weeks, we will be ordering and comparing numbers of various sizes. We will continue to brush up on our recounting skills as we add as many interesting features as we can, creating some beautiful writing. We shall also be embarking on our residential visit!