

## A week in the life of a Year 6!

Having only been a Year 6 for approximately a week, we have already changed our role in school. No longer are we just pupils here to learn, we are now super role models and invaluable helpers across the school. Did you know we give up our time to help the little ones eat their lunch (with good table manners!) and take them safely back to their playground? Not only that, each Friday some of us gather up all the team points from each classroom, ready to present on a Friday afternoon in the celebration assembly!

In class, we have been busy learning about Michael Morpurgo's, *Kensuke's Kingdom*. On Thursday, we just finished our balanced argument on whether Michael should travel around the globe. We all enjoyed working on this debate and we think we have improved our writing skills already! They will soon be up on display for everyone to enjoy reading.

Also, if you ever visit Y6, you will see our creative art work in our reading corner inspired by Hokusai's great wave (the artist who inspired the front cover of *Kensuke's Kingdom*). We created a multi-media picture using paint, tissue paper and fabric. We are really proud them! Adding to our classroom environment, we also have our self-portraits (and accompanying poetry) up on display. We started them on our transition day in July and completed on the first day of Y6.



We are looking forward to all Y6 has to offer. We are especially loving the tricky maths, even though it makes our brain's hurt sometimes!

Recently, in science, we have been learning about Carl Linnaeus and how he classified living things. We grouped and drew diagrams of different leaves and animals into branching databases. We are looking forward to conducting an experiment next!

