

# Home Learning SPRING 2018



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This week in Year 6 we have been ...

- Engaged in learning experiences associated with our new topic Gallery Rebels , giving classes the opportunity to explore, create and interpret a variety of art and techniques. We looked at the colourful artwork of Welsh Valleys artist Martyn Evans, creating our own pieces of art using oil pastels.. Monet's Waterlillies were the focus of another art session and the classes used 'tache' brush strokes and colour mixing to produce beautiful paintings in an Impressionist style. The final art technique practised this week was the use of pencil to create lines and shading to complete a self portrait, using half of a black and white image of themselves. We also applied these skills to creating Royal portraits . All of the children's work will form part of a Year 6 Gallery that will be on show next half term.
- Learning and using the language of probability - certain, likely, even chance, unlikely and impossible to discuss events in our own lives and using the probability of .... to calculate the probability of events such as numbers rolled on a dice.
- Devising our own data investigation on pocket money for children in the class. We also discussed and debated whether children should be given pocket money, exploring both sides of the debate.
- Our P.E lessons this week with Mr Nurton took place once again on the 3G pitch at Llantwit Major School. As a result of the Year 6 campaign and Pupil Parliament literacy work, the year group were able to gain access to the astro turf pitch and now have once a fortnight sessions - well done Year 6. This was a great learning opportunity on democracy and gaining an understanding of how the Parliament process works.



Painting the Waterlillies was relaxing and I am really pleased with my work.

Lyla

This week was a great introduction to Gallery Rebels and I enjoyed all the art we have done.

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Once again, we are seeing some absolutely fantastic home learning for our new topic this term. Many thanks for all the home support, the children are very proud of their efforts - rightly so and their work will be displayed in classrooms. Don't forget that the home learning grid is available on our website.

Working with oil pastels, paint and pencil has been fun!

Ruby

