

This week in Year 6:

### English

- 'The Walrus and the Carpenter' was analysed and used as inspiration for a newspaper article, recording the murders of oysters at the beach by mysterious criminals.

### Maths

- Simplifying fractions.
- Comparing and ordering fractions.
- Vocabulary used: numerator, denominator, simplify, greater than, less than.

### SPAG

- The active and passive voice.
- Formal and informal language.
- Spelling rules for words with double letters.

### Topic

- 'Changing the Monarchy' started.
- The Battle of Hastings, 1066- a turning point in British history and our starting point.
- Replicating the Bayeux Tapestry using cross-stitch.
- Practising archery like a Norman knight.

Next week...

- Starting to learn about the importance of the Magna Carta.
- Remembrance Day, WWI poetry.
- Adding and subtracting fractions.
- Spelling rules for words with the 'sh' sound.

### Homework

The children have a spag.com exercise to complete about hyphens, as well as a worksheet about ordering fractions with different denominators.

Homework club is available on Mondays at lunchtime.

**The Year 6 team**