



PUTTING THE FUN BACK
INTO LEARNING!

Dear Parents and guardians,

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Monthly Focus:

Grade	Geography Focus	History Focus
6 Geography: Rivers History: What is History?	Processes of the river Features in each stage of the river	Road Map – discovering their own personal history using evidence. Tollund Man – using evidence to help solve a history mystery.
7 Geography: Rivers History: The Renaissance	Processes of the river Features each stage of the river – long answer questions	Leonardo di Vinci – finding out about his inventions and creating a business pitch in teams. Marco Polo –where did he travel and how did he influence the Renaissance?
8 Geography: Population History: World War 1	Population Key Terms Population Pyramids Overpopulation	World War 1 – How were people recruited to join the army? What was it like to fight in WW1?

How Can You Support Your Child's Learning?

- Ensure you check that your child's books are clearly highlighted and labelled. Children need one History copybook and one Geography.
- Ensure your child has all necessary lesson equipment, such as glue sticks and scissors, in class to avoid wasting time during lessons.
- Practice key words and long answer questions with your child for all topics covered in class. Challenge your child and give them a written quiz at home.
- Check your child's organiser and homework every evening in order to reinforce concepts covered in class.
- Revising and researching topics on the internet will aid their learning. Refer to useful websites e.g. BBC Bitesize.
- Watch YouTube videos related to relevant topics for further understanding.



Upcoming Events

- Grade Six to Ten Parents' Evening will take place on Sunday 5th November.
- Reviews will take place during lessons the week commencing 19th November.

Kind regards,

The Humanities Team