

Humanities Spring Term Newsletter 2018

Significant People Through History

Key Stage One classes have been researching significant people through History such as explorers, kings and queens and inventors. The **Year Two** class have enjoyed learning more about Mary Seacole through research and craft work.

Thursday 8th March marks international Womens' Day. The children in **Key Stage Two** marked this special day through researching special people in history during their Humanities work that week. The children constructed timelines, completed research using books and through use of online resources. The children then created a picture of their inspirational figure and produced a piece of creative writing. The classes shared some fabulous books on women that marked history.



Civilisation Study

Year Three have completed a study about the Ancient Egyptian's and made comparisons between other civilisations of that time period. The Romans, their settlement, impact and legacy that they had on Britain has been explored by our **Year Four** Historians.

Year Five have analysed the fight between Anglo Saxons and Celts and the struggle between the Anglo Saxons and Vikings. The classes have become more confident in using sources to develop their skills and ability to make links.

Local History

Year Six have researched what life was like in Manchester during the Second World War. They have used primary sources such as photos, letters and broadcasts to develop their knowledge and skills of interpretation and evaluation.



Putting 'story' back into History

Competition details have been given out to each class. Hand in date 31st May. The children are encouraged to write a short story set in a particular time period. This can be one in which the children have studied recently or simply an area that they have a passion towards. Mrs Johnson and Mrs Kirkup look forward to reading your story.

