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# Year 6 News

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## What a day!

### Christmas RE Week

Year 6 thoroughly enjoyed our Christmas RE week where we looked at the key question: 'Was Jesus the Messiah?' Staff were really impressed by their mature and thoughtful responses throughout the week and in particular, how Year 6 worked in various small groups to evaluate texts and collate ideas.

What a day! We are pleased to report that Year 6 had a fantastic day in London. They were a real credit to the school and themselves; well done!

From taking in the iconic, must-see sights, to touching and experiencing science first-hand in the Science Museum's Wonderlab, there was lots to talk about on their return to school.

As a result, they have already started explanations about some of the experiments that they got to experience and will soon be producing a leaflet persuading families to visit London.

#### An outline of what's to come this half term:

- ◆ Persuasive Leaflet on London in English
- ◆ A gripping multi-linear quest story in English
- ◆ Algebra and Units of Measure in Maths
- ◆ Researching and creating a presentation on a chosen area of history; learning how to use QR codes
- ◆ Studying architecture of the past and how it has influenced architecture today.



#### Upcoming Dates:

Y6 SATs Parents Meeting (6-7pm) 22/1/20

Parent Consultation Evenings. 4/2/20  
6/2/20

Details to follow.

Safer Internet Day 11/2/20

#### Reminders:

Please remember to:

- Read regularly at home.
- Complete and hand in your homework on time.
- Do some Mathematics.
- Practise Spellings.

Outdoor PE continues into the cold months so please make sure children have warm clothing for their sessions.



## WOW Work!



When in the Wonderlab the children were able to take part in lots of experiments and challenges.

#### Overhang Challenge

The longer your overhang gets, the more counterweights you will need.



What is the longest overhang you can make?

