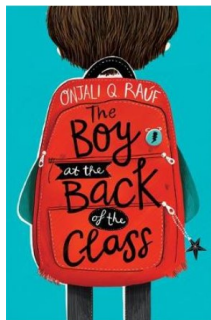




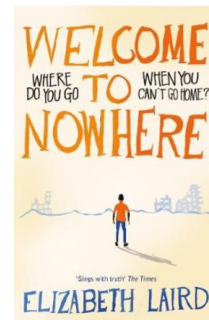
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Above and Beyond!

We are delighted to announce our topic this term is 'Above and Beyond' focusing on Refugees!

Reading

Here at Skegness Junior Academy, we have a strong belief that reading is the key to a successful future. Please ensure that your child is reading at home at least 4 times per week. Please record home reading using Boom Reader. Homework and spellings will be sent out each Monday. We ask that it is returned on a Friday. A reminder that if your child is struggling to complete work at home they can attend 'homework club' on a Wednesday lunchtime. Thank you for your continued support.

- In English, we will be producing narratives involving refugee journeys and poetry based on these. During this topic, we will be reading a range of texts including: *The Boy At the Back of the Class* by Onjali Q. Rauf, *Wisp A Story of Hope* by Zana Fraillon and *A story like the Wind* by Gill Lewis.
- Our 'Above and Beyond' theme continues through Science, where we will be investigating electricity and creating our own electrical circuits. We are also excited to be mapping our own refugee journey by comparing human and physical characteristics of LEDCs and MEDCs. We will continue to learn about the Christian faith in RE. In computing, we will be using a range of digital technology to create algorithms.
- In addition to this, we will be learning French, Music and studying the works of Norman Foster.
- Furthermore, we will be creating our own wreaths and poetry to remember life during WW1 and WW2 for remembrance week.

Also happening.....

Maths

In Maths, children will continue to work on their number skills for the mathematical operations, building further on their mental and written methods. Children will also continue to develop their reasoning skills and widen their mathematical vocabulary. They will continue to focus on problem solving and SATs style questions in preparation for these in May.

Please watch out for news on how to sign up for afterschool clubs in Term 2.

SATS club—Monday
Sports Club—Thursday
Football Club—Thursday.



Things to remember:

PE- this term PE days are Mondays and Thursday. Children must come to school in their PE kit on these days. Year 6 sports club will continue this term on a Thursday.

Remember to keep update with all of the fantastic things your children have been doing by checking the website, following us on Twitter.

Have a happy half term and we look forward to welcoming you back in term 2.