Reading

Children in Year 6 will make good to outstanding progress in reading if they:

- read regularly for 25-30 minutes each night, 5 to 6 times a week independently or to an adult
- read with intonation using the punctuation to add expression
- read a range of texts such as non-fiction, fiction, magazines, information on screen, poetry
- are able to discuss in detail what they have learnt from a book and review the book for others
- have a preferred author or set of authors that they enjoy reading
- read for sustained period of time in an environment that is comfortable and with few distractions
- read for pleasure and to extend their knowledge & understanding of things which interest them
- carry out their research through reading, either from books or on screen
- use the computer in ways which will support their learning and understanding.

By the end of Year 6 children will be reading fluently and competently and have an established reading routine and more importantly have a love of reading!