



## Year 6 Newsletter - Term 2



### Welcome to Term 2!

We hope that everyone had a lovely half term. It has been a great first week back at school with lots of learning taking place.

#### Curriculum

We are looking forward to teaching the children about the following areas this term:

- Maths - place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication and division
- Literacy - Holes (diary), Christmas narrative
- Reading - Holes
- Science - Energy, circuits, batteries and switches
- Geography - Why does population change?
- DT - Electrical systems: Doodlers
- PSHE - Celebrating difference
- Music - Jazz
- Computing - Animation
- RE - Why does religion look different around the world? Part 2
- PE - Tag-rugby and Handball
- French - Homes and houses

#### Uniform

As we would like to encourage the children to be actively responsible for looking after their own property, please can you ensure all uniform and property is named clearly. Well done to those children who are wearing the correct uniform. Please can we remind all students that only stud earrings can be worn.

#### PE

Our PE days are on Mondays and Thursdays, so come to school wearing your PE kit on these days.

#### Contact

As always, if you need to contact your child's class teacher, the best way is to use Class Dojo, we are available on Class Dojo from 8.30am-4.30pm. If you send a message during school hours, we will respond as soon as we are available to do so. Therefore, if it is urgent, please contact the school office. If you need to speak to your child's class teacher over the phone, then please contact the school office or catch us at the end of the day!



#### Homework

Each week we expect the children to be reading at least 4 times for 10 minutes, practise their times tables, and practice their spellings, ready for their weekly spelling test, which is on Thursdays. More information about spelling shed will be sent out over the next couple of weeks which will include their login details.

#### Upcoming Events

##### November

- 6<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> Bikeability
- 8<sup>th</sup> Fireworks
- 15<sup>th</sup> - Children in Need
- 18<sup>th</sup> - Friendship & Anti-bullying week
- 20<sup>th</sup> - Parent consultations 3.30-5pm
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Parent consultations 3.30-5pm
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Parent consultations 3.30-6.45pm
- 29<sup>th</sup> - Christmas dinner letter due in

##### December

- 7<sup>th</sup> - Winter Wonderland 11-2.30
- 9<sup>th</sup> - Last week of clubs
- 12<sup>th</sup> - National Christmas Jumper Day
- 16<sup>th</sup> - Club sign up live
- 18<sup>th</sup> - Year 5 & 6 Carol Service
- 20<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Party Day and End of term 2