



Year 6 Newsletter

November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

No one can quite believe that we are in our second half term already. All the children are settled into their classes and routines and made a really great start.

Trips

This term, we have already seen our Year 6 classes visit the cinema to see Nativity. It was a great film - and enjoyed by all. In addition to this, Year 6 have already taken part in the successful Bikeability Fix course where they learned how to fix bikes in preparation for bike riding that will take place in the Summer Term. Thanks to those children who brought their own bikes - we hope this was a useful session!

Homework

Your child should be in the routine of receiving English and Maths homework every week. This needs to be completed in their homework books and returned to school by Thursday. We know that time is precious so we try to keep it to the minimum amount but please try to help your children when needed. It really does enhance their progression.

In addition, reading is homework! In Key Stage 2 children should be reading for at least 15 minutes every day. This does not have to be the school reading book; it could be comics, newspapers etc. Please sign their Raving Readers journal - help your child earn rewards for reading. Most children in Year 6 have already earned their first rewards. Thank you for supporting this.

Christmas is coming!

How is it nearly Christmas already? Staff are working hard to prepare for Christmas in school so this term will be extremely busy. Please keep reading the school newsletter for further dates and information.

Friday 14th December - Christmas jumper day

Tuesday 18th December - Cinderella pantomime (in school)

Wednesday 19th December - School breaks up

Monday 7th January - School starts again



May thanks for all your support so far this year!

6E Reminders



Every day

- Home reading books to be brought to school
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Monday

- Swimming
- Afternoon with Miss Richardson
- Homework handed out

Tuesday & Wednesday

- Instrument lesson and orchestra

Thursday

- Homework to be returned
- Choir

Friday

- PE



6G Reminders

Every day

- Home reading books to be brought to school

Monday

- Swimming
- Afternoon with Mrs Wiffen

Tuesday & Wednesday

- Instrument lesson and orchestra

Thursday

- Homework to be returned
- Choir

Friday

- Morning session with Mrs Milligan
- PE

Key Topics this term

<p><u>English</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poety • Narrative • Non-narrative (non-chronological reports) 	<p><u>Numeracy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Position, direction and movement • Measures 		<p><u>Science</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electricity
<p><u>I.C.T</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making a film (iVideo) 	<p><u>French</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School life 	<p><u>Music</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opera North Tuition 	<p><u>History</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World War 2
<p><u>Art</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawing (linked to World War 2) 	<p><u>P.E.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real P.E. • Swimming 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>P.H.S.E</u> • Human rights