

Year 6 Newsletter

Spring 2

W e l c o m e

Welcome back! We hope the children have had a lovely half term break and are ready for another exciting half term in year 6. The children have been working so hard this year and we are delighted with their progress!

This half term we will be covering a range of topics such as electricity in science, keeping ourselves healthy in PSHE and even having a go at baking our own savoury loaf. As well as this, the children will be taking part in music lessons, outdoor activities and continuing to practice for the school production.

During Spring 2, your child will be taught by class teachers (Miss Brennan and Miss Holmes) alongside our teaching assistants - Mrs Stevens and Mr Robins. As well as this, Miss Webster (art teacher) and Mrs Clark (PE teacher) will be covering some lessons.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us on our school email or ring the school office.



This half term we will:

- Investigate how electricity works and how it impacts our daily life.
- Become photographers - taking pictures of the great outdoors!
- Continue to go back in time to look at how crime and punishment has changed.
- Learn how to use spreadsheets to organise information.
- Read *Blitzed* by Robert Swindells which is our class novel.
- Learn and perform the *Jabberwocky* poem by Lewis Carroll.
- Put ourselves into the role of King Arthur and write letters, stories and job adverts.
- Measure angles and solve problems.
- Read and analyse a variety of rich texts in our guided reading lessons.
- Continue to be safe online and find out what our "Online Reputation" is.
- Learn and play new notes in our string and brass lessons.
- Be inspired by Andy Warhol and create lino prints.

You can support your child by:

- Encouraging them to go on apps such as Times Table Rock Stars and Rollama.
- Reminding them to read for at least 1 hour across the week.
- Ensuring they complete their SATS revision and if they are struggling encourage them to speak to their teacher.
- Making sure the children understand the positive impact of being at school, on time every day!

Key Information

- Book bags, containing their reading records and SATS revision books, must be in every Thursday.
- P.E is on Thursday for 6LB and Monday for 6NH. Please make sure your child is wearing correct P.E kit (please see uniform policy).
- **SATS Week will be: Monday 13th May until Friday 17th May.**