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Year 6 Newsletter



Spring Term

19th January 2018

Welcome back!

As I am sure you will be aware our Year 6 children will be taking their SATs very soon and as a school we take every opportunity to provide the children with the very best opportunities to achieve at the highest levels before they transfer to their Secondary School settings. This term we have organised for Year 6 children to receive free tuition sessions, known as Booster Clubs, in preparation for the SATs in May. Please make sure your child is on time to school for their clubs.

Notices

- ❖ Please send reading journals into school every day. Your child is able to change their book whenever they need to.
- ❖ Please read with your child daily, or discuss what they have read independently, as this will really support their progress. Please sign their planners to show that they have read.
- ❖ Spellings are sent out at the beginning of every term and tested on Friday.
- ❖ Mathematics tasks are set every week; please ensure that your child completes these.
- ❖ Please make sure all clothing is named including coats, hats and PE Kits.
- ❖ PE days will usually be Tuesdays but make sure that PE kits are in school every day, in case we have to make alterations or have extra coaching.

Areas of Study

Attendance:

Class assembly: Friday 19th January 2018

English: Classic narrative & oral poetry
'The Highwayman' by Alfred Noyes, Fiction –
'Short' by Kevin Crossley Holland, Non-fiction:
'Arguments for and against use of CCTV cameras'.

Maths: Place Value - Addition/Subtraction (Integers). Rounding, estimation, mental strategies, brackets. **Decimals and Fractions** - Rounding, adding, multiplying and dividing decimals. Equivalent fractions/decimals: comparing. Finding fractions of amounts. Ratio /proportion. **Multiplication and Division** - Rate, scaling and mental strategies. Long and short multiplication & division. Areas of similar shapes and scale factors. **Measures and Data** - SI & Imperial units; conversion. Areas, volumes and perimeters. Timetables and intervals. Time graphs, pie charts and averages.

Science: Evolution & Inheritance

Computing: Problem Solving

Art/Design & Technology:

Geography: Trade and Economics

Religious Education: Justice and Freedom

Languages: Latin

Physical Education: Outdoor activities