

**Year 6 Newsletter**

 **Summer 2**

 Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you all enjoyed the half term break- I can’t wait to hear all about what the children have been getting up to over the holidays. I can’t believe this is the last half term of the year! Although this half term is a fulfilled one, it is still so busy with transition to high school, performances, enterprise, sport activities and leavers.

There will still be a continued focus on reading, so we are kindly asking you to support children with this as much as possible at home. **All** children need to be reading for minimum of 30 minutes per day, at least 4 times a week. I will be checking the children’s reading diaries every Monday to see if their reading target has been met. If they do this for half of the weeks in a half-term, the children will receive a class reading treat (e.g. in a 6 week half term, they are expected to read 4 times for at least 3 weeks). If they do not read for half of the weeks, they will **not** take part in the reading treat.

Within PSHE, a focus on social media will continue to be taught throughout the rest of the year. We will also be looking a lot into transitioning to high school and SRE lessons.

Our English lessons will predominantly be the Year 5 & Year 6 production, looking at performance, playscript and drama. I am very excited for this one- the children are working so hard already.

In Science, we will be continuing our topic- light!

Each day at lunchtime, Mrs Kirk will be running PE clubs on the playground or field. These will change on a weekly basis and there will be no need to sign up in advance. Children will be able to join in as and when they would like to. To take part children will need their trainers only, but you may prefer to send your child into school in their PE kit on those days.  EYFS club will be on a Monday, Tuesday and Thursday will be KS1 and Wednesday and Friday will be KS2.  New guidance for any sport and physical activities requires earrings to be removed completely.  Not only is this for the safety of your child but also the other children in their class.

Please support us in this and remove earrings before children come into school on their PE days. Please also ensure hair is tied back. Year 6 P.E days are Thursdays and Fridays.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to email me and I will do my best to reply as soon as I can. Thank you for continued support.

Kind Regards,

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