

YEAR 6

NEWSLETTER



CLASSROOM NEWS

This half-term we will be sharing the school value of Friendship

- Exploring the text Manfish: A story of Jacques Cousteau.
- In GPS, we are revising all aspects of Grammar in preparation for the End of Key Stage SATs.
- Improving our reading comprehension skills by examining different question types using VIPERS and Reading buddies.
- In maths we will be revising all four rules of number and arithmetic style questions. We will also be looking at ratio and introducing algebra.
- Introducing circulation and health in science.
- Deepening our study into the Mayan Civilisation in history and then later in the term Exploring Early Islamic Civilisation.
- Learning about food around the world.
- Sculpture and 3D modelling in art and design.
- In RE, the children will be exploring what kind of king is Jesus.
- Electronic composition of films in music.
- Striking and fielding skills in PE.
- In DT we are combining science and practical skills developing a Steady Hand game. We will also be cooking in the style of "Come dine with me."
- In Life Education we are looking apps and British Values.
- In computing we are mixing and sampling music tracks.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Please order your child's school dinner using School Grid.
- P.E is on Tuesday.
- Please can the children wear the appropriate PE Kit, comprising of white polo shirt, joggers/ leggings/shorts, and plain black trainers.
- Children should read at home for at least 15 minutes each day. They should bring their red bag and reading book into school every day.
- Additional homework tasks will be sent home as appropriate on a weekly basis.
- A water bottle should be brought into school daily.
- Please notify school in writing if you give permission for your child to walk home alone from school.
- As the weather becomes warmer please ensure that your child still brings a waterproof coat to school.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Friday 1st May - Non-uniform day
- Monday 4th May - School closed for bank holiday
- W/C 11th May- 14th May Year 6 Sats
- W/C 18th May Science Week
- Science Parental Engagement Thursday 21st May
- School Closed Half Term Monday 25th May- Friday 29th May
- Future Dates Gulliver's World Residential Thursday 4th- Friday 5th June.