

YEAR 6 – SUMMER 1

CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER 2021

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back after the holidays! I hope you had a relaxing and enjoyable couple of weeks off and enjoyed the slight relaxation in the rules and the lovely sunny weather. As usual, we have a busy half term ahead of us. As you are aware, the Year 6 SATs have been cancelled which gives us more time to go through all of the Year 6 curriculum as well as any Year 5 content that the children may have missed. The catch-up sessions will start up again this half term with a focus on writing. We are also very lucky to be joined by Miss Ivory this half term who, through our teaching school, will be completing her final teaching placement in Year 6.

In English this half term, we will be looking at some books and film clips in connection to our history topic; World War 2. We will write narratives, poetry, letters and diary entries through this topic. We will also have a specific grammar focus each week where we will look at the different areas of year 6 grammar. We will also continue to practise the Year 5/6 spelling words, spelling patterns and homophones.

In maths this half term, we will first be looking at statistics: graphs, pie charts and circles. Then we will move on to angles towards the end of the half term, looking at measuring, calculating and problem solving with angles and finally, looking at 3D nets of shapes. We will also have a short session each week working on arithmetic skills, mental maths and times tables up to 12 x 12.

To find out more about the other curriculum areas we will be studying this half term, please visit our website to see our knowledge organisers.

Please don't hesitate to come and see me if you have any questions or concerns.

Many thanks,

Miss Pearson

It was so great to be all back together in school!



Important Days

Monday: Reading books changed (if applicable)

Friday: PE lesson (come in PE kit) and spelling test.

Important Dates

19th April

Back to School

Friday 23rd April

Whole School Mass – 9:30 am

Tuesday 27th and Thursday 29th April

Parents' Evening 4 - 6:30 pm

Monday 3rd May

Bank Holiday

Tuesday 4th May

English Parents' Meeting – 4pm

Friday 7th May

Number Day

Thursday 13th May

Whole School Mass – 9:30 am

Friday 14th May

Bring a flower for Mary

WC 24th May

STEM Week

Monday 24th May

Pentecost Picnic

Thursday 27th May

Break up for May half term