

St. Teresa's Catholic Primary School

Class Six - Summer Term 2017 Newsletter

Welcome to the summer term. This is a busy one with SATS week starting on Monday May 8th. We will also be taking part in our own Race for Life 5k run on Friday 12th May followed by a picnic in the park.

English

Reading – we are revising test technique and time management skills in the lead up to SATs. After SATs we will continue to develop our skills of understanding, skim reading and note taking.

Writing – We will be focusing on different aspects of the 1950's, children will be exploring a range of genres from this decade.

Speaking and Listening – As well as Speakers Cup in June, the children will be developing their confidence in public speaking through our end of year production. They will be thinking about the volume, pitch and expression when speaking and also facial expression and gestures to enhance the message of the spoken word.

Mathematics

The class will be revising topics and looking at test technique in the lead up to SATs then we will focus on Maths investigations and problems.

Religious Education

We will be studying from our RE scheme "The Way, the Truth and the Life" looking at Chapter 4 - Jesus, the son of God.

Other Subjects

In the past two terms much of our emphasis was on English, Maths, Science and R.E. In order to address the balance, Class Six will be involved in producing a show this term. This will be the basis of their Art, PE, Music and D&T.

They will make backdrops for scenery, develop dance routines, sing and perform.

PE

The children will be covering Tag rugby, Gaelic football and athletics. We will also be taking part in running or walking the Daily Mile.

General

In June we will take part in the Elstree & Borehamwood Performing Arts Festival at Hertswood School.

Also in June / July Year 7 tutors / head teachers from the secondary schools will visit St Teresa's to meet the children. The children will also visit their new schools.

Please ensure that PE kits are brought into school on a Monday and left in school.

Home Learning

Please encourage your child to use the BBC Bite Size and other learning websites. Also revise from the booklets we have photocopied and provided in the run up to their SATs. If you do not have internet access at home then please speak to me (Remember that the Borehamwood Library has free access to the internet!)

We look forward to a happy and successful final term at St Teresa's.

If you would like any further information about this term, please do not hesitate to come and speak to me.

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Class Teacher**

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Headteacher**