

Class Six Newsletter Autumn 1 2018

Welcome to Class Six, this is our first newsletter of the year.
The children of Class Six have made a great start to the new school year.
Mrs Grant and Miss Settle

Dear Parents/Carers,

In Literacy we will be looking at fiction stories and character development. Poems, Report writing, story development and autobiographies. We are basing the majority of work around "Street Child" by Berlie Doherty. Ask your child to tell you all about Purple Polishing Pens. WILF checkers in writing have been sent home so that you can see the type of work we are expecting your child to complete.

In Maths we will be looking at number, position and direction, shape and problem solving. Set your own problems when out shopping and see if your child can answer them. It is also expected that Year 6 know their times tables up to 12 x 12. Having a quick recall for times table facts makes maths much easier for the children when completing work in class.

In Religion we will be looking at the Kingdom of God and Justice.

Our topic work is called "Revolution" and is based on changes during the Victorian era - the children will be looking at the inventions that occurred during this time and how this affected society. In Geography, we will be looking at the local area during the Victorian era. If you have any information from your family members who were in the Victorian era then please send it in. Artefacts for our class museum would also be welcome. The art work will include drawing and painting Victorian people in their everyday lives and the work of William Morris. In design and technology we will be looking at Victorian styles of sewing, making soap and traditional recipes from the era. In Computing the children will be developing 2D animation skills and developing programming skills. In Music the children will be studying and performing on-going skills. The French focus will be on school activities. The PE focus will be on Basketball, Send and Receive skills.



Positive behaviour rewards include: stickers, raffle tickets, house points, class rewards, choose time and Golden time. For Golden time, the children need to bring in small toys, drawing pads and games.
No electrical or battery toys are allowed.

Homework has been handed out via the topic sheet. Maths and SPAG may also be handed out on a Thursday and due in on a Monday morning.

The children will take part in P.E lessons on a Tuesday and a Thursday. Track suits may be worn when PE sessions are outside.

The children have a reading book in class. They are allowed to take this home as well as a library book. They can change this on a daily basis. Every time you listen to your child read please record a comment in their reading record.

