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Year 6 curriculum information

PE /Sports News

It has been encouraging to see more children remembering to wear their PE kits for each session. This term we have worked on our gymnastic skills in a series of lessons, including apparatus work. We are also working on invasion games, using basketball to improve our skills.

Curriculum Focus

Reading: The Wolves of Willoughby Chase

Boy - Roald Dahl

Writing: Setting descriptions

Letter Writing

Maths: Measures, fractions, decimals & percentages & Ratio

RE: Local Church –
Community & Eucharist Relating

Geography: Brazil

Science- Animals, including humans, Light

Geography. Brazil

Lenten Giving

As part of our Lenten promise, pupils in Year 6 will be designing and decorating cakes and biscuits which will be available for sale during the week of **27th March**. All money raised will be donated to a good cause. This will help our children to have a deeper understanding of how a community can work together to help others. More information about this event will follow soon.

Homework Support

We are continuing to provide homework each week based on our learning in class and to prepare the children for SATs in May. Homework is handed out each Friday, expected to be returned by the following Wednesday. SATs booster sessions also occur every Wednesday, 3:20pm-4:20pm, and we encourage all children to attend these invaluable sessions. A snack and drink will be provided.

Reading

We would urge parents to encourage their child to read every night, for at least 15-20 minutes. We would also like children to try to vary the literature they read, to include: fiction and non-fiction; classic novels and information texts.

Can parents/carers ensure their child is wearing the correct school uniform, including footwear, as we feel it plays a key role in promoting pride, self-confidence and a feeling of belonging.





Mrs Sergeants Desk Spring 2023

Staff news

Mrs Thomas who works in year 3 and breakfast club, will be leaving us on 10th March to begin a new career supporting adults in the community. We wish her all the best in the future and we thank her for all of her work with the children over the last 13 years in school.

E safety parent and child workshops

On Wednesday 8th March at 9.15am, parents are invited to come into their child's class. You will be able to work with your child and their class to explore how to keep themselves safe when online or when using social media.

I know this is a concern for many parents so we are look forward to working together to keep our children safe online.

Mothers day celebrations. Date for your diary

On Monday 20th March we will be inviting mums, nans, aunties into school to celebrate mothers day with the children. More information will follow

Spring term parents evening - Monday 3rd April

Parents will be able to book to see their child's teacher to discuss their progress so far this year. Information will follow through our school APP nearer the time.





Attendance Newsletter

Spring 2023

Welcome to our Attendance Newsletter, we wanted to share with you all our achievements and thank you for your continual support as we focus on aiming for 100% attendance every day!

Who's Who?

Our attendance team are made up of

Mrs Partington—Designated Attendance Lead & Deputy Headteacher

Mrs Finnigan—Learning Mentor

Miss H Chute — Administration
Assistant

Mrs Foulkes — Educational Welfare Officer

Mrs Beattie & Mrs Howarth -Governors responsible for attendance

School Council—children elected by their class to represent their class

OLI Attendance Yr1-6 94.1%

City Attendance Yr1-6 93.8%

National Attendance Yr1-6 93.7%

Whole School Attendance

94.1% on 23/2/23

Our school target 97%

The local authority are monitoring attendance across all schools in the city.

In September 2021 we were ranked **96** out of **118** primary schools.

Due to all your hard work and commitment we are now ranked

45!

Thank you



Class attendance from

1st September to 24th February

2 Year Old Room - 87.4%

Nursery AM - 94.8%

Nursery PM -86.6%

Miss Davies -91.9%

Mrs Stalker –94.15

Mrs Bowcock -94.1%

Mrs Bradley -93.6%

Mrs Rimmer -93.3%

Mrs Garrity -92.4%

Miss Hughes -93.3%

Miss Gallagher -95.3%

Mrs Brown/Mrs Partington -95.2%

Mrs Fairclough -95.5%

Mrs Thoroughgood -94.8%

Mrs Bird -96.5%

Mr Cotton -92.7%

Mrs Coulson -93.9%