Year 6 Parents Information Wednesday 13th September 2017

Welcome to Year 6 Miss Holmes Mrs Hamilton - AM Mrs Richards – AM Mrs Spencer PM

Practical Issues

- The children need three pairs of shoes in school one pair for outdoors; one pair for indoors; and trainers for outdoor sport and activities (eg science).
- PE is timetabled for Wednesdays and Fridays. (It is helpful if they have their PE kit in school as days will vary).
- Girls must either remove earrings OR bring in tape to cover them securely for PE.
- Mid-morning snack Fruit only

Pens

- Presentation is very important. All Year 6 children will use pen unless their handwriting becomes untidy.
- The school policy is for the children to use <u>blue</u> pens only in their books. Pencils for Maths.
- I would prefer children to use good quality rollerball pens (<u>not</u> the Berol pens).
- Presentation and handwriting is equally important for homework and will be marked using the same criteria as work in school.

Homework

- The children have been issued with:
- A homework diary (still in hand)
- A reading record book (still in hand)
- A Literacy homework book
- A Maths homework book
- A Learning Log homework book for RE/Science/Topic

Homework Timetable

- Monday spellings and Literacy (Test on Friday)
- Tuesday Maths (due in Thursday)
- (due on Friday)
- Thursday RE/Topic/Science (due Fri)
- Reading 20 minutes every day.
- Please could you sign their homework diary weekly.

Homework continued

- Homework should take no longer than 30 minutes a night (unless it is part of a topic) plus 20 minutes reading.
- The Homework Diary is also there as a communication link between home and school but they are not looked at daily. If you have an urgent communication for me please send in a letter or note via your child.

Important Dates

- SATs week is the week beginning May 8th 2018
- The Isle of Wight trip from 21st May

Coming up soon:

Welcome Assemblies – 11th, 18th Sept, 25th Sept

- Sept 29th Year 6 Assembly
- Dec 13th KS2 Performance

Dec 14th – Christmas Dinner and Pantomime

Any Questions?

Thank You

 Thank you for coming in today. I am very much looking forward to working with and caring for your children in Year 6 in partnership with you.