



Term 6 Newsletter

Dear Parents,

I can't believe that we are nearing the end of the school year with such a full and busy term ahead including transitions, sport week, secondary school visits and forest school to name but a few!

Please can I politely request that if you wish to take your child out of school for an open day visit to a secondary school this term, that you copy me in on the class email when notifying the office. This makes things a lot easier when planning lessons and activities so that I can try and minimise disruption to your child's learning, ensuring they don't miss out on too much.

As always, please contact me via the class email if you have any questions or concerns about your child.

Kind regards

Miss Chaplin

This term we still have a lot of curriculum to cover. This includes weekly Forest School as well as an interesting and unusual History topic about the Kingdom of Benin. To support this topic we have an exciting African drumming workshop for the year 5's with a visiting drummer.

We will also be learning more French to accompany our French cooking theme in D.T and working on Poetry as well as a fiction text 'Kick' in English.

Details of all our learning can be found on the curriculum overview on our class page of the website.

Home Learning

White Rose worksheets will be sent home following each unit of work.

White Rose Maths App to continue Arithmetic and times tables practice.

Mathsframe.co.uk for all areas of Maths.

Reading Comprehension and short written tasks.

Read, read and read more! Spend five minutes, 10 minutes or an hour...it all helps and it all counts towards being a better reader and it also helps to improve other subjects too.

Ted Ed talks for general interest and knowledge.

This term PE will mostly take place on a **Wednesday**. The children will be learning **Athletics**.

In addition, **Forest School** will take place on a Friday and the children must bring all their clothing in a named bag on a **Friday** morning.

Please ensure children's PE kits are in school every day, **including trainers or plimsolls**.

If your child does not have the correct P.E kit in school then unfortunately they cannot take part in the practical part of the lesson. Instead they will choose a coaching or observation task to complete during the lesson.

Reminders!

- Please ensure red contact books and colour band reading books are in school every day.
- No rucksacks in school please...a book bag or drawstring bag only.
- Fresh fruit/ vegetable snacks for break time are encouraged.
- Shoulder length hair or longer should be tied back every day for health and safety reasons.
- Please ensure all items of clothing are labelled.

Dates to remember:

Tuesday 9th June - Year 5 Cherishing Churchyards visit at St James'

15th - 19th June - Sports Week

Wednesday 17th June - Sports Day KS2 (am)

Friday 19th June - Father's day Market & Sports wear day.

Thursday 25th June - Road Safety Talks - Y5

Monday 6th July - African Drumming Workshop - Year 5 class event

Tuesday 21st July - Last day of term