



Year 6 Newsletter

As we begin the second half of the autumn term we would like to inform you that we had a great start to the year; during the first half of this term pupils worked very well across the whole curriculum including:

- Canaries and Robins taking part in Premier Sport weekly GOALS sessions (Game of Life). Doves and Eagles will have their weekly sessions this half term
- Our science unit on the Circulatory System which gave children the hands-on experience of dissecting a pig heart
- Immersing ourselves in the World War 2 topic and learning about the experiences of those that were affected by it

P.E

During the winter months, it is important to ensure your child has warm clothing – jogging bottoms and a sweatshirt are appropriate. We hope that all are into the swing of the PE timetables for each year 6 class!

Games and PE Timetable- every Monday afternoon is GAMES for the whole year group			
<i>Doves PE</i>	<i>Robins PE</i>	<i>Eagles PE</i>	<i>Canaries PE</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Every Friday</i>
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PE takes place on alternating weeks for Doves, Robins and Eagles.			

Home Learning

For any child having to isolate, a remote learning classroom has been set up for them to access at home. Expectations are that, unless children are ill, remote learning should take place with online lessons reflecting the learning in the classroom where possible. We want to limit any further loss to children's learning and education and children will be added to the online classroom, receiving directions from their teacher, when required.

We appreciate the support you are providing your children regarding homework. It is an important way of reinforcing and deepening the learning that has taken place in school. It also teaches the children to be responsible and encourages them to be independent learners, which is especially important as your child approaches secondary school. It should **NOT** cause a child (or parent!) anxiety or stress so please come to talk to us if your child needs support with completing the tasks set.

All home works are posted on the Google Classroom.

Monday- Friday is English

Friday- Tuesday is Maths

Reading records are also posted, to be completed and returned on Mondays for the previous week.

We recommend that children spend 30 minutes on each subject for the Maths and English (as per government guidance) and children should read at home, to an adult if possible, for a minimum of 3 x 20 minute sessions. Team points are awarded for effort.

Our Autumn 2 curriculum map is on our Falcon website for you to view.

Key dates –

- Thursday 12th November – Flu Vaccinations
- Friday 11th December – Christmas Jumper Day
- Friday 18th December – Break up for half term

We look forward to a busy half term.

The Year 6 team