



YEAR 6 SUMMER TERM NEWSLETTER.



Welcome back from Easter; we hope you all had a wonderful break.

Although this term looks a little different to how previous Summer terms have been for Y6, we still hope to have a lot of fun whilst working hard to prepare you for Year 7.

Traditional Y6 activities such as our residential trip and production are still dependent on the government roadmap going to plan, although we will ensure that we mark the end of your time at Holy Trinity in as spectacular a way as possible.

EQUIPMENT - A reminder that all children need a suitable bag that will fit on their peg and securely carry their chromebook to and from school.

Chromebooks will be required in school on a daily basis (fully charged). In school, they will remain in their trays when not in use.

We will be using chromebooks for spelling and maths activities as well as exploring our foundation subjects in different ways.

All children need to wear the correct PE kit to school on Wednesday and Thursdays. This should be black or grey in colour as well as a red or white T-shirt. No hoodies should be worn to school for health and safety reasons.

Black school shoes should be worn to and from school every day - not trainers - and long hair should be tied up. No nail polish or jewellery should be worn with the exception of stud earrings.

MATHEMATICS: This term in maths we will be consolidating and revising the Key Stage 2 curriculum and later, embedding the skills which can be transferred to high school. It is more important than ever for your child to be encouraged to complete and hand in homework. This gives us a better idea of where they are needing more help and can help address the gaps in class.

R.E.: We will be looking at Rules and Responsibility within the Christian faith and the Christian story of creation.

R.H.E.: We will look at transition into high school; managing workload; anxiety and friendships. We will also be looking at the physical and emotional changes children will be going through at this time.

COMPUTING: This term in Computing the children will be focusing on Scratch and coding skills.

ART and D.T.: In D.T. we will be designing and making cam toys. In Art we will be looking at the Pop Art movement.

P.E./GAMES: For P.E. we will be working on ball skills and relating them to rounders.

ENGLISH: We will be writing our stories about Chaperon Rouge and another narrative as well as looking at the features of newspaper reports. As with Maths, we will be ensuring children have all the skills needed to transition into Year 7. We will be continuing to use Spellzone and Epic Reading.

HISTORY: We will be learning about the Ancient Maya civilisation.

SCIENCE: We will be learning about Evolution and Inheritance and Electricity.

READING: Please ensure that you hear your child read, or discuss your child's reading, every day for at least 10 minutes as it is incredibly important in aiding their learning in all areas of the curriculum. Please ensure you note down what they have read in your child's homework diary so that this can be recorded for our reading reward.

HOMEWORK: Maths and English homework will be set once a week but as two separate tasks. Maths is set on Friday and will consist of revision tasks.

Spellings is set on Monday and involves writing sentences based on the spelling words with a specific grammar focus that needs to be included in each sentence.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to send an email to the school office.

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