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Year 6 Newsletter ~ Autumn Term

Important Reminders

10th September
Meet the
Teacher
afternoon

15th - 17th
October
Ghyll Head

Tues 11th
November
Viking visitor

11th September
High School
Application
meeting

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Our Learning this Term

Dear Parents/Carers,

This term our **History** topic will be The Vikings. This is such an exciting and interesting topic which we're sure the children will love learning about. We'll learn all about how the Viking's invaded Britain, their way of life and why they are an important aspect of British history. In **Geography**, we will be learning about deserts of the world. This is a fascinating unit of work which will explore the locations of deserts, biomes and life in these inhospitable environments.

For our **Literacy** we will be looking at writing formal application letters, diary entries and stories based on the novel The Boy at the Back of the Class. We will focus on how to use vocabulary to make the reader feel a certain emotion as well creating a beautifully descriptive narrative. We will also use a range of punctuation to expand sentences and clauses.

In **Maths**, we'll look at place value and the four operations (division, subtraction, addition and multiplication). We will also be focussing on being able to reason worded problems around our mathematical knowledge. We will also practice arithmetic every week to build up confidence with SATs style questions.

Reading is extremely important this year and children should read for **10 minutes** everyday. We have a range of books at school which children are welcome to take home. Some pupils may feel independent enough to read on their own in Year 6, if this is the case with your child, please discuss with them what they are reading. **Homework** will be set every Friday and include learning from the week and spellings.



P.E Lessons



Tuesday morning: Outdoor PE.
Children can come to school in their PE kit with uniform in their bag.

Wednesday afternoon: Indoor PE OR swimming. Children come to school in uniform and get changed at school. Children who are swimming need to bring their full swimming kit (swimming costume, hat and a towel)

We look forward to an amazing final year at Unity and we are very excited to help your children be the best they can be. If you need to talk to any of the Year 6 team, feel free to talk to us at the end of the day or message us on Class Dojo (please note we may not reply after 4:30pm).

Thank you,
Mr Cook and Miss Woodfield