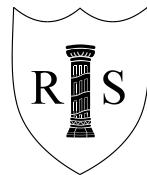


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Primary 6 Term 1 Newsletter

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Dear Parents, Carers and Pupils,

Welcome to Primary 6. I hope everyone had a restful summer and has been enjoying the start of the new school year. We have had a really busy beginning to the year and it has been great to see the children keen to engage with their learning. Homework has now started and will be issued on Monday to be returned on Friday. The children are aware that they can discuss homework throughout the week if required.

Please remember that we will try to be outside when we can so children need to make sure they are bringing a jacket or appropriate outdoor clothing, especially as we move through Autumn.

Mr Burt

Literacy

Within writing we will be looking at three main areas in Term 1. These will be Information Posters, Instruction Writing and Poetry. Our Term 1 focus in Reading will be comprehension work across a range of media texts. The children are also engaging in ERIC (Everyone Reading In Class) time each day with books they have chosen. Within Spelling we have started 'Spelling Kingdom' and the children may be keen to challenge people with spelling words at home in practice for capturing points from others in class.

Maths / Numeracy

During the first term the main numeracy focus will be on Understanding Number and Number Structures while practising key Numeracy skills through, for example, 4 a day and Ninja Maths. Within Maths we will focus on Money, encouraging the children to develop real life skills through practical activities.

Art

We will be looking at the use of shade and tone through practical exercises and developing portrait work. The class will also get the chance to make 3D masks through Paper Mache sculpting.

Social Studies

We will be looking at the lives of the Aztecs and consider how their lives were different from our own.

HWB

Our main focus will be to ensure positive mental and emotional health and wellbeing across the class through various activities. P.E. will be on Monday and Thursday morning. Our initial focus will be around teamwork and group challenges to develop support and resilience. This will be delivered within our Invasion Games topic which will see us developing skills through football, basketball, hockey and strategic games such as 'capture the flag'.

Keeping in Touch

Please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have. You can also check the school website and Twitter. I will also be posting updates of what is going on in P6 on my teacher Twitter - [@MrBurt101](#).