

Shobnall Primary School



Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 6 Curriculum Letter

Welcome back - we hope that you have all had an enjoyable Easter and well-deserved break. As we are sure you will appreciate, with SATs fast approaching, we will be very busy preparing for the tests which begin on **8th May 2017**. It would be extremely helpful to both us and your child if you could offer as much support as possible with homework, reading, tables practice and any other activities your child is required to complete. After SATs, we will be preparing the children for their transition to secondary school and welcoming lots of visitors who will ensure that the children are able to ask questions to reduce any anxieties they may have about their transition. We will also be preparing for the Year 6 Enterprise Fair, having a class trip to Warwick Castle (more details to follow) and compiling our Leavers' Assembly. This letter also outlines the topics that the children will be covering throughout the Summer Term

This term our topic is **MEET THE GREEKS**.

PE Kits

P.E. activities may be indoors or outdoors, depending on the weather, so children need an indoor kit (black shorts and a plain white T-shirt) and an outdoor kit (jogging bottoms and a sweatshirt/tracksuit) as well as pumps or trainers.

P.E. kits are kept in school until the end of half term, as P.E. times may vary throughout the year. For health and safety, children who wear earrings should have these removed on P.E. days, if they are not removed your child will be unable to take part in the P.E. lesson (teachers are not permitted to remove or tape up earrings).

P.E. days remain as **Tuesdays** and **Wednesdays**.

Homework

For homework, we ask that the children read for at least 10 minutes every night, and talk about the books they are reading as this will support enjoyment, fluency and understanding. Their reading diaries will be monitored daily. The children will also receive practice SATs papers and questions during the build up to SATs. It is important that they complete as many of these activities as possible to help fully prepare them for the tests. After SATs, homework requirements will be a little more relaxed due to the children preparing for their transition to secondary school but, from time-to-time, there may be some project-based work to complete. Many thanks for your support with this.

May I take this opportunity to remind you that if you have any questions, queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to speak to me. We hope that the children have an enjoyable last term at primary school!

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'D. J. Adams'.

Mr Adams

Deputy Head Teacher/Year 6 Class Teacher



ENGLISH

- Story Writing
- Y6 – 7 Transition: **Kensuke's Kingdom**
- SATS**

MATHEMATICS

- Y6 – 7 Transition: **Problem Solving & Calculator Skills**
- SATS**
- Year 6 Enterprise Fair

HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY

- Ancient Greece
- Sustainable Development

SCIENCE

- Animals, Including Humans
- All Living Things: Micro-organisms
- Changes & Puberty

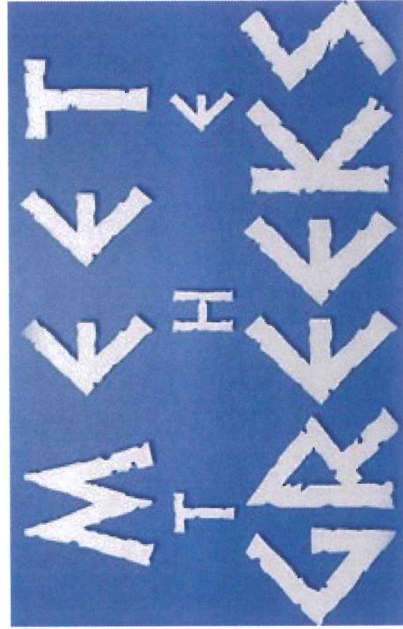
R.E

- Faith Stories & Moral Faith Stories
- Islam

P.S.H.E

- Physical & Emotional Changes**
- Puberty
- Social Media
- Drugs (Solvents & Alcohol)
- Strategies For Making Decisions & Saying No

YEAR 6



DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

- Strengthening & Reinforcing Structures

ART

- Study of a Modern Artist

FRENCH

- On Mange!
- Le Cirque
- Salut Gustave
- A L'école

P.E

- Invasion Games:** Netball/Basketball
- Striking & Fielding Games:** Rounders/Cricket
- Athletics
- Forest School

COMPUTING

- We Are APP Developers
- We Are Marketers