Welcome to Year 6

Goldfinch Class - Mrs Simpson, Mrs Meseg and Mrs McLoughlin Woodpecker Class - Mr Fincham and Mrs Fry





Uniform

- Green jumper
- Tartan tie
- Tartan kilt
- Dark trousers/tights
- Black school shoes

Year 1-3



Please put your child's name in every item of uniform.

P.E.

- In Year Two, PE is on Mondays.
- PE kit should be brought in and left at school until the end of half term.
- PE kit should include, dark shorts and the school green t-shirt.
- For outdoor PE, children should have plimsolls or trainers and dark jogging bottoms.



PE T-Shirt prices from £3.50



Shadow Stripe Shorts prices from £4.30

Swimming

- Swimming is also on Mondays.
- Children need a swimming costume and a towel.
- All children are expected to swim because it is part of the curriculum.
- Swimming will end after October half term.



Food and Drink

Children are provided with water bottles in school.

All children are provided with a school lunch free of charge.

Children **do not** need to bring in a home packed lunch.



Topics in Year 2

Autumn Term: Ripples and Waves

Spring Term: Castles and Crowns

Summer Term: Wild World







Learning in Year 2

- Topic based curriculum
- Topic encompasses English, Geography, History, Art, Design Technology, Science and P.E.
- •Reading and Writing Read Write Inc. or Literacy and Language
- Maths is a stand alone subject but sometimes linked if relevant Maths Mastery.
- Within the topic there are WOW days, trips, visitors and whole school themes which may link, but this year this is dependent on COVID restrictions.

Reading

- In school children will complete a reading task every day during phonics. Depending on the group that they are in, they will take home a new reading book regularly.
- Parents are encouraged to listen to their child read and check understanding with questions.
- Due to COVID we are putting a system in place where children are given two books. One book to stay in school and one book to be taken home. The book taken home needs to be returned when finished and put in the 'Returns Bin' at the school office.

Worship

Every day the children join in with three prayers – at the beginning of the day, before lunch and at the end of the day.

Every day, the children take part in an assembly or a time of whole class worship.

Children also have two hours of R.E. learning a week.



Homework

Homework will be set on Purple Mash and Spelling Shed, every Friday.

It is recommended that KS1 children complete 60 minutes of homework each week.

Children should read or should be read to for five minutes every evening.

Children should spend at least 15 minutes a week practising their spellings on Spelling Shed.

Children will be set a topic task on Purple Mash and children should spend at least 20 minutes completing this.

Later on in the year children will be expected to practise their times tables on Times Table Rock Stars.







SATs

Children take Government required tests in May. Reading, Spelling, Grammar and Maths.

Later on in the year we will provide you with more information. Extra Reading, Writing and Number work is encouraged at home.

Please look at the Top Tips on the term's Curriculum Map for ideas.