

Primary 7/6 Class Newsletter

**September
2021**

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Oh it's good to be back! I hope this newsletter finds you and your family well. The children are settled and working very well and are looking forward to the year ahead.

Interdisciplinary Study

Our topic this term is Cop26. The children will engage in research, science, literacy and art activities. Discussions will focus on climate change and what urgent action is needed. As a class and school we will consider what we can do and take action to make important changes to our daily lives.

Things to remember

Children should come dressed for PE on a Tuesday and Friday. All pupils have a school rain jacket. Pupils are encouraged to drink plain water throughout the day in class in reusable bottles. Healthy snacks are encouraged.

Upcoming events:

Maths week – W/B 27th Sep
September Holiday – 25th – 28th Sept
October Week – 11th – 15th Oct

Literacy

Throughout the course of this term, we will read a variety of texts both fiction and non-fiction. We will be working hard to improve the quality of our written work, practising our spelling strategies and focusing on handwriting. Our comprehension strategies will be consolidated through the reading of quality texts. Our two genres for writing this term will be Narrative and Information.

Numeracy

In Numeracy P7/6 will be working on Whole Number, Estimating and Rounding and aiming to consolidate their learning through meaningful contexts. Our outer maths topic will be Money and Finance, in real life contexts. We will continue to engage in daily Number Talks to improve our mental maths strategies.

Some useful websites:

www.topmarks.com

www.sumdog.com

www.doorwayonline.com

Health and Wellbeing

As we all come back together, the children will have opportunities to talk about emotions and how to manage them. They will learn about the importance of staying safe on line as part of our Healthy Schools Programme.