



Dover St Mary's Church of England Primary School

Learning for life with God as our guide

CLASS 6 NEWSLETTER



Our Christian Values

Peace; Friendship; Respect; Trust; Perseverance



Term 2 - 2023

All children in Class 6 have made a wonderful start to their Year Six learning journey. The last two terms have been packed full of amazing work and super learning. In term 1, the children learnt all about the amazing Americas, becoming superstar geographers! They also found out about evolution in Science, making their own dinosaur fossils and practising their excavation skills! This term, the class have been transported back to stricter Victorian times, learning all about what life was like during the Victorian era. They have enjoyed constructing circuits in science, developing football skills in PE and reading our class novel; Skellig in English. With Christmas just around the corner, the class have enjoyed taking part in a range of seasonal activities such as the Christingle, carol concert and Christmas crafts! We can't wait to see what the next term has in store for us!

As always, please see our class 'Termly Curriculum Overview' on the school website to see what your child will be learning about.

Homework

Homework will continue to be set on Fridays and will need to be completed by the following Wednesday. There will be two pieces of work set, English and Maths. Homework is always appreciated and acknowledged. Children receive house points at school for each piece of homework they complete. Any outstanding pieces of homework and/or superb effort will be awarded a Homework Certificate in our celebration collective worship.



P.E.

Our class PE days are Monday (taught by our Sports Coach) and Wednesday (taught by Mrs Miles). Please ensure you bring in your PE kits in a drawstring bag on these days, remove jewellery and tie long hair back. Remember to bring in jogging bottoms and jumpers in the colder and rainy days!



Reading

The children in Key Stage 2 are all given a reading book that is matched to their Accelerated Reader level. We assess this termly and adjust the choice of books accordingly. As the books are different lengths the children can return them when they are finished and select a new book to take home. Alongside their reading book they have a purple reading record that is for you to record everytime your child reads at home. Everytime they bring their reading record back to school signed by an adult, the children receive a raffle ticket for a chance of winning the termly book prize!

The children should be reading for 5 - 10 minutes every day to ensure they are getting the practice they need to develop their reading skills further.

Contact

Please feel free to contact by email - I will always endeavour to reply as soon as possible.
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Super Learning in Class 6!



Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Miles

