



Year 6 Newsletter

Spring Term: Week 11 beginning 20^h March

The children have worked hard this week. They are continuing to develop timing techniques for the upcoming assessments and within their general work, continue to show how wonderful they are!

It was posted on social media yesterday about the re-arranged SATS meeting which we have coupled with an information meeting about Tower Wood. This will take place on Thursday 27th April at 5:45pm. If you are unable to make that, any information can be sent out after the meeting. Mrs Baron has mentioned that any outstanding Tower Wood money is due next week. Many thanks in advance.

Rev. Wood has also been in to talk to me about the children's up-coming Confirmations. He will be running our RE lessons over the coming weeks after Easter to talk to children about their Faith Journey.

English- After analysing some crime scenes within class this week, the children did some role play activities to interrogate suspects and develop questioning. This will help when writing the dialogue between characters in their story. We began to write our scaffolded story on Thursday. We looked at an action opener, similar to the text we are reading and added the descriptions of their detectives and crime scene.

Maths- Lots of revision this week, focussing on Fractions, Decimals and Percentages. The children have also been working through the CGP books purchased.

Brass- We are learning some tricky pieces of music at the moment and the more practise the better. Please ensure your child's instrument is in school every Tuesday so that they can use it in their lessons. Thank you for all your support in getting them to school when they are forgotten. There is a summer concert being planned and a chance to hear their wonderful skills.

RE- This week we have been discussing the events of Holy Week and leading up to the Easter celebrations.

TTRS- At the time of writing, Year 6 are in the lead! A final push today and tomorrow should see us keep top spot and run away with it, just like Burnley (Oh how that pains me to write!)

The children brought home their CGP books for homework this weekend. They have been asked to complete a grammar page. The answers are in the back and they can mark them (or someone can at home) once they have been completed. There is an element of trust that the children will complete them before looking at the answers. They are used to doing these this way in class.

They also brought some maths home on Wednesday or Thursday. There is quite a bit in that so we said that didn't need to be back in until next Thursday. Please could you ensure the Grammar book is back by Tuesday at the very latest.

As part of DT and art next half term, we would be very grateful if you could collect plastic milk bottle tops, plastic lids, corks, rubber washers, nuts, bolts, can ring pulls, old bits of wire. These will all be very useful for our designs. Thank you to all that have sent some things in already. An extra thank you to Mr Thomas who dropped off a large amount of Nuts and bolts on Friday. Greatly appreciated!

Next week is our final week before Easter. The School Council have organised a film afternoon for both KS1 and KS2. These will be Wednesday and Thursday afternoon respectively.

The children were informed of a Sports Council position being created for four children for the final term. This role will help organise and lead some sporting events and liaise with Mrs Burcher. The children have been encouraged to write a letter of application if they are interested in the post. These should be addressed to Mrs Burcher and Mrs Pallister and handed in no later than the first Tuesday back after the Easter holidays.

Key dates for the end of the year are: (Times still to be confirmed)

Leavers Play- Thursday 13th July

Church Service- Wednesday 19th July (this will be in the evening)

Leavers Assembly- Thursday 20th July (in the afternoon)

Have a lovely and restful weekend.

Many thanks

Mr Stell and Mrs Pallister