



Dear Parents,

We hope you've enjoyed a wonderful holiday. We are looking forward to our new half term with our geography theme of 'Population.' Our class text is 'Goldfish Boy.' If you would like to purchase an individual copy for your child, they are welcome to use it in school.

Please continue to encourage your child to complete their homework using the online platforms on a daily basis. We want them to feel confident to shine as they approach their SATs in May.

Do remember that children need to attend school in their uniform on Thursdays and bring their PE kit to change into for their sports activities.

As we prepare the children to be 'secondary-ready' it is essential that they bring their equipment on a daily basis, ready for learning.

Please contact us if we can help your child in any way.

Miss Chant, Mrs Dalby, Mrs Halcrow and Mrs Buckle

OUR DRIVING QUESTION:

What impact do local and global events have on the population?

AS WRITERS we will be developing our range of writing inspired by the novel, Goldfish Boy. We will also be developing our retrieval skills.

AS MATHEMATICIANS we will continue to develop our understanding of fractions, decimals and percentages including the application of the four operations.

AS GEOGRAPHERS we will be developing our understanding of the world and investigating where all the people in the world are and the challenges our population is facing.

AS COMPUTER SCIENTISTS we will be looking at how websites are created before we put our own skills to the test by creating our own website.

AS CITIZENS (PSHCE/RE) we will learn more about freedom, justice and democracy. We will also cover ways of saving money and living in an environmentally sustainable way.

AS SCIENTISTS we are going to be looking at the functions of the circulatory and respiratory systems and how they work together. We will also be investigating the effects of exercise on our bodies.

AS ATHLETES, we will be building on our previous Ball Skills unit and incorporating them into sports - encouraging teamwork and individual focus.

PE day for Year 6 is on **Thursdays**. Please arrive at school in uniform with P.E kit in your bag ready to change

IN DT we will be focusing on a project based on our learning about population and how we can ensure communities in flood areas can grow crops.

IN FRENCH we will be learning the names for different fruits and using this in conversation to discuss what we do and do not like to eat.

Homework:

Every day: 20 minutes reading and maths practice booklet.

Mon: TT Rockstars set/due

Fri: Spelling Shed & SENECA set/due