

Dates for your Diary

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| 5.9.16 | New term commences |
| 7.9.16 | Reception children start |
| 14.9.16 | NSPCC PANTS assemblies KS1/KS2 |
| 14.9.16 | Photographer in school for Reception, KS1 and KS2 children |
| 15.9.16 | Year 5 Bikeability Training Session 1 |
| 19.9.16 | Roald Dahl week |
| 21.9.16 | Year 5+6 NSPCC workshops |
| 22.9.16 | Year 6 play in a day |
| 22.9.16 | Year 5 Bikeability Training Session 2 |
| 23.9.16 | Years 1+2 Roald Dahl workshop |
| 26.9.16 | International Language Day |
| 29.9.16 | Year 6 Height and Weight screening |
| 29.9.16 | Year 2 museum visit |
| 7.10.16 | INSET Day – SCHOOL CLOSED |
| 11.10.16 | 10am Full Governing Body Meeting |
| 11.10.16 | Year 5 Soccer Academy |
| 12.10.16 | Harvest Service – Donations to Food Bank |
| 19.10.16 | 1.45pm Parents Afternoon KS1 + KS2 |
| 21.10.16 | 2pm Finish for half term holiday |
| 31.10.16 | 8.55am return to school |
| 7.11.16 | INSET Day – SCHOOL CLOSED |
| 9.11.16 | Chinese Culture Day – Year 5 |
| 5.12.16 | Winter Fayre |
| 6.12.16 | RG Nativity 1.30-2.30 |
| 6.12.16 | KS2 Nativities 10am and 2pm |
| 7.12.16 | RH Nativity 1.30-2.30 |
| 8.12.16 | RR Nativity 1.30-2.30 |
| 12.12.16 | KS1 – Dick Wittington Panto in school |
| 13.12.16 | KS2 – Pantomime at Everyman Theatre |
| 13.12.16 | 7pm Choir to sing at Millenium Centre – West Derby Village |
| 13.12.16 | 10am and 1.30pm – KS1 Nativities |
| 15.12.16 | Grotto Day |
| 9.12.16 | 10am Morning Nursery Nativity |
| 9.12.16 | 1.30pm Afternoon Nursery Nativity |
| 20.12.16 | Nursery Party Day |

Homework

In order for our children to achieve their full potential please ensure that reading occurs every night and all homework tasks are completed

Emergency Contact Numbers


Recently, several children have become ill in school and we have not been able to contact anyone to come and collect them. This is very distressing for the pupil involved, and should an emergency occur the situation could be potentially dangerous.

Please keep the school informed of any change of address but most importantly, any change of phone number.

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Year: 6

Autumn Term 2016



Literacy

Fiction -

The children will study stories with flashbacks and time slips.

Poetry -

We will be reading and writing poems featuring imagery.

Non Fiction -

Focus will be on the language needed for formal writing and the skills associated with this genre.

Maths

The maths focus this term is around number. We will be looking at all aspects of number including problem solving, reasoning and algebra.

Time will also be a focus so please encourage children to use time as much as possible, converting from the 12 to 24 hour clock, including the lengths taken to perform activities and also of TV programmes.

Children are now expected to know times tables to 12x12 by the end of Year 4. Please ensure your children can do this as they are now in Year 6.

Topics

History

We will be learning about the Mayan Civilisation. The children will learn about the Mayan's religious beliefs, everyday life, writing, calendars and the decline of the empire. They will also be examining Mayan art.

Geography

We will be using maps, globes and digital mapping to locate countries in South America and describe their features.

ICT

The children will be designing their own APP.

PSHE and RE

PSHE will be woven into the fabric of our education. Issues such as bullying, respect and prejudice will be discussed throughout the year.

RE - children will study authority figures and sacred texts which are important to major world faiths.

Science

This term we will focus on planning scientific investigations based on energy and sound. Children will learn about different energy types and discuss what energy is by planning and carrying out a series of investigations and experiments.

PE

PE will be on Thursdays this term.

We will be developing existing and learning new athletics skills. We will also take part in invasion games.

Please leave PE kits in school and take them home during holidays to be cleaned.

Our school library is open from 3-3.30pm every day

