

Year 6 Curriculum update – Autumn 1**Welcome back Year 6!**

We hope you have all had a fantastic summer break. It has been lovely to welcome the children back to school—they are raring to go! We have lots of fun and exciting things to look forward to in Year 6: Crucial Crew, SATs, Robinwood residential, our end of year production and many more.

We will begin the year getting to know one another and have a whole school focus theme, 'All are welcome'. We will look forward to sharing our work around this theme with you via a **marketplace** in the classrooms on **Monday 16th November**. For the rest of this half term, our topic is 'Bombs and Blackouts', with an exciting trip to the Imperial War Museum to look forward to.

In English, we will be reading *Once* by Morris Gleitzman with lots of opportunities for creative writing. In Maths, we will develop our understanding of place value for numbers as well as calculation skills practising both formal and mental strategies. During Science, we will be learning all about light and how we see things.

For PE, we are looking forward to participating in Gymnastics and Football. Please make sure children arrive to school in the correct PE kits on their PE days.

6JB and 6H: Thursday and Friday**6R: Tuesday and Wednesday**

We are very excited for the return of the Chameleon project. Every Monday, the children will develop their PSHE skills through developing important life skills such as decision making, teamwork and emotional wellbeing.

We are thoroughly looking forward to the year ahead as the children embark on their final year at Primary School. If you have any questions or concerns, please message one of the team via class dojo.

Important dates

Thursday 10th September – Crucial Crew (9am – 12pm)
Friday 11th September – Head boy/head girl speeches (for the children)
Tuesday 6th October - Transition to high school meeting (4–4:30pm online)
Wednesday 30th September - KS2 Maths parent workshop (9am school hall)
Monday 12th October - School photographs (individual)
Tuesday 13th October – Teapot Talk (9am school hall)
Tuesday 13th October – Parents evening (online)
Thursday 15th October – Parents evening (online)
Friday 16th October – Parent book look (Yr 6 classrooms)
Tuesday 20th October – Year 6 parent showcase (Yr6 classrooms)
Wednesday 21st October - Halloween Disco (6:45pm-7:30pm)
Thursday 22nd October – Own Clothes Day (Air Ambulance donations)
Thursday 22nd October – Great Broadheath Bake Off
Thursday 22nd October - Finish for half term
Friday 23rd October - INSET DAY

