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"Be 'Be the best that you can be"

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Year 6 Newsletter Summer 1 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to Spring 2 in Year 6. We are looking forward to the half term ahead and all of the exciting things that are happening.

This half term our topic is: 'World War 2: what was the impact?'

PE:

During this half term, children will take part in PE on Tuesday. Children will have a session of athletics and lacrosse during the afternoon.

SATS:

Children will take part in their SATS assessments in week 6 (the week beginning 13th May), so this half term, along with continuing our WW2 topic, we will be revising and focussing on any gaps in learning from the entire KS2 curriculum

Points to remember regarding home learning:

- **Reading:** Children will have an Accelerated Reader book and they will be expected to quiz in school on this book. Please set aside time for your child to read each night (minimum of 3 times per week) so that they continue their lifelong love of reading. When reading, it is vitally important that we focus on the skills of fluency and understanding the text. The children are aspiring to get 100 percent in their quizzes to gain a chance "to crack the code".
- **Spellings:** Spelling Shed every Friday for your child to practise at home. They will be monitored the following Friday to allow us to keep a record of engagement. These need to be practised for a spelling quiz on these words every Friday. Your child is expected to complete at least 10 games per week. They are aspiring to achieve Royal Bee status which is displayed as a yellow crown next to the assignment.
- **Maths:** Children are expected to complete a Freckle activity each week; this will provide learning that is personal to your child (or that is related to in class learning). From Christmas, Year 6 will also be provided with a Maths Home Learning book to help recap different concepts.
- **PE:** Please ensure that PE kits are in school. No jewellery is to be worn for PE; Earrings should be removed if possible, if not they should be covered with plasters that are provided by home. Please ensure that plasters are kept in your child's PE bag.



Important dates for your diary:

- Parents evening 16th and 17th April
- SATS week 13th May
- Alton Towers 17th May

If you have any questions please come and speak to us or send a Dojo message before or after school. If you have any urgent messages such as a change to the person collecting your child, please contact the office. All absences should be reported through the Study Bug App and not through a Dojo message.

Thank you for your continued support

