



# Bevendean Primary School and Nursery

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## A place for everyone to succeed and thrive

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### YEAR 6 SPRING NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents / Carers,

Welcome Back to Bevendean – we hope that you all had a good Christmas. It has been great to see the children returning to school ready to continue working hard.

#### What we are learning this term

Our History topic this term is World War 2 and this will be the basis for much of the work that we do. This includes learning about the experience of living through a war and how it impacted on many people's lives. In English, we will be writing newspaper reports, diaries and biographies about key figures involved in the war, which we will learn about in our History lessons. For Maths, we will be learning about fractions, decimals, percentages, measure, algebra and statistics. In Art, we are focussing on Henry Moore as well as some Design & Technology where we will make bunting. In Science, we will be learning about Evolution and Electricity.

#### Interventions

**We will begin morning interventions focusing on SATs preparation. These interventions will begin on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January from 8.15am, Monday to Thursday, and will focus on both English and Maths. We feel these will be beneficial to all students, as they will be targeted for pupil's individual needs. Pupils should arrive at the Community Door.**

**If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak with us.**

#### Broadstone Warren

We are very pleased that so many children have signed up to come to Broadstone Warren. We are so excited about it and are looking forward to going. Please make sure payments continue to be paid via ParentPay. If you haven't signed up, there is still time yet so come and speak to Miss Miller or Miss O'Neill.

#### Expectations

Year 6 have been good role models for the rest of the school and it is important for them to continue with this. This includes following instructions given by adults, moving around school sensibly and quietly, showing good learning behaviour and showing respect to others. The school's Golden Rules are there to remind children of our expectations of them.

#### Uniform & Jewellery

It has been great to see almost all of the children in the correct school uniform and shoes (**black only please**) this term. Please ensure that your child has the correct uniform every day of the school year. In addition, rings, bracelets and necklaces are not allowed. Earrings should be studs or hoops, but no bigger than a 5p piece.

## **Attendance**

As you know, much of the work we do in class is built on day by day; therefore it is vital that the children are in school as much as possible and on time for the start of the school day (8.55am). \* Or 8:15am if your child attends the morning interventions.

## **Dates for the Diary**

Half Term Holidays: 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> February

World Book Day: Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March

Class Photos: Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March

Parent / Teacher Consultation: Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> March and Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March

WW2 Parents' Tea Party: Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> March 2.30pm

Easter Holidays: 11<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> April

We will be in the playground every morning at 8.45am and at the end of the day at 3.15pm. Please come and talk to us should you have any questions or need to pass any information onto us.

Yours faithfully

Miss Miller, Miss O'Neill and the Year 6 Team