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YEAR 6 NEWSLETTER

6th November 2017

Dear Parents / Carers

Welcome back to Bevendean. We hope the children have enjoyed the first half term of year 6. It has been great to see the children returning to school so excited about their learning.

What we are learning this term

We will be continuing with our History topic this term (Ancient Greece) and this will be the basis for much of the work that we do. This includes learning about the various Gods and Goddesses; examining how different people lived in ancient Greece; learning about the origin of the Olympics and looking in depth at some myths and legends. In English, we will be doing some writing based around description and writing in role. For Maths, we will begin working on a variety of projects using the mathematical skills they have developed throughout the year. We will also be doing some Maths linked to our topic where possible. In Art, we will be looking at the work of Giacometti. In Science, we will continue to learn about the human body and how it works.

Expectations

Year 6 are used as role models for the rest of the school so it is important for them to set a good example. This may include following instructions given by adults; moving around school sensibly and quietly; showing good learning behaviour; wearing full school uniform 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 so many children in the correct school uniform and shoes (plain 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 permitted. 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).

Dates for the Diary

Parent's Evening – Tuesday 7th November 3:30pm - 6:40pm

Parent's Evening – Thursday 9th November 3:30 pm - 5:30pm

6M IntoUniversity Focus Week – Monday 13th – Friday 17th December

Wind in the Willows Performance – Friday 1st December

FABS Christmas Fair – Friday 1st December 3:30pm

Reindeer Run – Tuesday 5th December

Christmas Dinner – Thursday 14th December

Christmas Performance – Friday 15th December 2:00pm

Last Day of Term (Non-uniform) – Wednesday 20th December

We will be in the playground every morning at 8.50am 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,

Mr Dabell

Miss Miller

Mrs Vaughan

Mrs Young