

6AC's Class Newsletter - Spring Term 2024

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Welcome back to 6AC. We hope you had a relaxing winter break, it is wonderful to have all of the children back and we are looking forward to a really exciting Spring term!

Your class teacher is: Amy Crosthwaite

Other support staff in your classroom: Deanna Texeira

Children can come to school wearing their PE kit <u>only</u> on the days they have PE. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit – white or house colour t-shirt, navy tracksuit bottoms or shorts, black trainers or plimsolls.

PE this term is on Tuesday and Friday.

Homework is put on Google Classroom on a **Friday** and should be completed by **Wednesday**.

The homework each week is:

- Times table practise on ttrockstars for 30 minutes per week
- Maths and English tasks on Google Classroom
- Reading every night for pleasure, filling in reading record

If you are having any problems accessing Google Classroom, please let your child's class teacher know.

Our Vision and Values:

- Respect One Another
- Every Individual Matters
- Take Responsibility
- Strive for Excellence
- Try Your Best

Our School rules:

- Show Kindness
- Listen Actively
- Walk Responsibly
- Respect Our Environment

Important Dates:

Safer Internet Day - 6th February

Parent/Carer Evenings - 5th and 7th March

STEAM Exibition - 26th March

World Book Day - 7th March

More information on these events will be given closer to the time.



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Key Stage 2 SATs - Monday 12th May - Thursday 15th May

English

Focus Texts: The Invention of Hugo Cabret, The Templeton Twins have an Idea, and The Boy in the Tower.

Reading: We read our class novel every day and have a class book corner with lots of new books.

Writing: Our writing is linked to our focus texts, using a variety of

Maths

This term we will be covering ratio and algebra, and then using maths skills in shape and space to solve challenging problems.

Science:

This term our science will be focused on biology. We will be learning about evolution and inheritance, how organisms have adapted to their environments, and how scientists classify them

Spring Term Curriculum

Computing: This term, we will be using scratch to programme games, and creating spreadsheets. We will be working in collaborative pairs throughout our computing lessons, working together to develop our skills and understanding of programming.

History/Geography:

In history we are learning about the Industrial Revolution, why it began in England, and its effects on Streatham and the world today. In geography we will be looking further at the Modern Foreign Language (Spanish): We will be continuing to build sentences in Spanish, using what we have learned so far and adding vocabulary for fun activities.

PE: We will be learning and practising skills in tennis and basketball. We will be working towards mini games and competitions in both, using simple tactics.

RE: We are learning about important celebrations in Judaism and their meanings, and also Islamic beliefs in the afterlife and leading a good life.

PSHE: The themes of our lessons this term are 'Dreams and Goals' and 'Healthy Me'

Art/DT:

In art we will be studying how art can influence people, looking at images from environmental photographer of the year as well as exploring drawing perspective inspired by LS Lowry..

Music:

MX Strings - violin and cello

We will also be learning songs four our assembly.