

13 December 2022

Christmas Holidays!

Dear Parents/Carers

First of all, we want to thank you for your continued support, patience and kindness this term. It has been an absolute joy to work with both you and your children. We are incredibly proud of how they've tackled the challenges of Year 6 and we look forward to the next term and part of the journey.

As we go into the Christmas break, we want to keep the children's minds active so have outlined homework activities below. We realise that the children are absolutely exhausted from the term and we also appreciate that family time is precious. Therefore, the work is not mandatory but greatly encouraged as any research they do at home will help them with the following term.

Our topic next term will be 'POWER and CORRUPTION'. Within this topic we will be learning about the Tudors, British monarchs, electricity, diary writing and examining language for effect.

If you and your child wishes to do any research, art work or presentations on these areas, then that would be wonderful.

Some ideas, should you want them, are outlined below:

- Research into the Tudors
- Create a Tudor style portrait of a family member
- Write in role as a figure from history
- Research into the Royal family tree
- Biographies of key figures
- Research circuits and how electricity works
- Art work inspired by their research
- Tudor baking and recipes

Spelling is still a focus for the children. Below is a word list, which covers some spelling rules and some Statutory words, for them to practise:

considerable	impossible	terrible	sensible	advisable
important	innocent	distant	frequent	confident
guest	past	missed	aloud	effect
definite	desperate	develop	dictionary	disastrous
embarrass	environment	equipment	excellent	explanation

We wish you a restful, safe Christmas break and look forward to welcoming the children back in the new year.

The Year 6 Team