

Welcome to Year 6

**Class teachers: Mrs. Crabb & Ms. Gough**

**Higher Level Teaching Assistant: Mrs. Langner**

**Teaching Assistants: Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. White**

**Group and intervention teacher: Mrs. Day**

## Resources needed for this year...

A pencil case with the following items: pencils, ruler (folding is better), rubber, whiteboard pen, glue stick, sharpener, protractor, HW pen Berol blue, colouring pencils (optional).

Chrome book compatible head phones

Art apron or old shirt

A reading book for pleasure

## ART AND D&T projects and resources

Slippers (old fleece or blanket to cut up)

Hot Cross Buns

Fairground Rides (Shoe box)

T-shirt printing (old plain T-shirt white or any other light colour)

# Trips and visitors

Young Shakespeare Company to perform Macbeth.



Bikeability



Junior Citizens



France residential (HT or DHT usually lead the trip)



# France

## Boulogne-sur-Mer





# France

## Accomodation







Bagatelle Theme Park



# France

## Days out...



Boulogne-sur-Mer Commonwealth  
War Cemetery



We will be studying the following books and so ask that the children do not pre-read these:

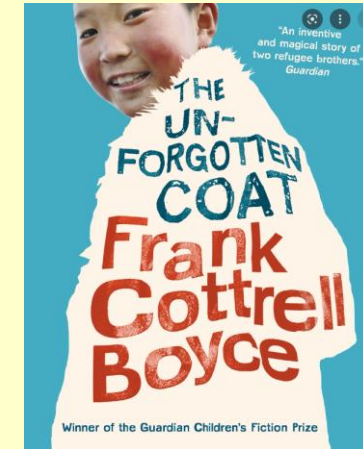
**The Explorer** – Katherine Rundell

Macbeth - Shakespeare

**Rose Blanche** (picture book)

**The Unforgotten Coat** – Frank Cottrell-Boyce

**Windrush Child** – Benjamin Zephaniah



We will also be trying to read a book in class to the children and it would be great if they also had a copy to follow.

# Year 6 Responsibilities

Prefects, Head teacher/Deputy head helpers, Peer Mentors, House captains, Lunchtime monitors, librarians.

**Life beyond WALLACE FIELDS JUNIOR...**

Emails – please encourage children to speak to a teacher if they have any sort of problem in school:

- Mood box
- Peer Mentors
- Adults

Because of the limitations of the teacher working day and having to go via the office email, we would prefer an arranged telephone call rather than an email if possible! However, if you do email, please be precise with your wording, what is it that you need to address – teacher time is precious and to make sure we have the information you need, it is better for us to know what the discussion will be about beforehand!☺

School open days and entrance exams: please ensure the office is notified of any absences



# Homework

Monday: English homework – every week

Wednesday: Maths homework – every week

Friday: Topic/Foundation homework – 3 times per half term

*Often (but not always) additional information, dates and/or resources for the topic homework will be added to Google Classroom. If your child has forgotten what they need to do or their hand-in date – please check there first – if it is not there, your **child** should check with the teacher who set the homework as soon as they can!*

# SATS – in brief!

WB 13<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Written tests for Reading Comprehension

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar

Maths Arithmetic and 2 Reasoning papers

Writing is Teacher Assessed through the year

During the Spring term and early summer, children will be given the opportunity to practise past papers in school. It would greatly help us if they did not practise these at home or use them for revision. The papers do not cover the whole curriculum – they are a snapshot and therefore the revision we do in lessons is far more valuable than previous papers.

# Volunteering as a Parent

- Trips
- Reading
- SATs as invigilators
- Leavers' hoodies
- Year 6 Production
- Disco
- Year book

