



ALBAN WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY

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TERMLY CURRICULUM UPDATE SPRING 2017-YEAR 6

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome back! I hope that you all had a wonderful Christmas holiday and are ready for 2017 and our Spring term.

Please could you ensure that:

- Your child arrives in time for the beginning of the school day at 8:50am
- Your child has their reading diary in school every day and their PE kit in school on Tuesdays and Fridays.
- Please ensure that their homework is completed regularly and handed in by Friday.

In addition to English and maths, the curriculum for our class this term will be as follows:-

- Science: classification and evolution/ light
- Computing: sharing information
- Topic: battleships
- Art/Design: activities linked to topic
- PE: circuits/ quicksticks hockey
- Philosophy for Children: British Values

Homework

As we are preparing for SATs, and also supporting children in preparation for the homework expectations that will exist at secondary school, Y6 children will now be required to complete daily grammar homework. These activities will be coming home in the children's new grammar books and will be due in the following day ready to be marked. In addition to this, the children will regularly receive maths homework from Miss Wells which will also be due in the following day. We are always happy to help if children find anything difficult - they or you must just ask.

Furthermore, I am requesting that the children take on a research project based on our new topic: Battleships. This is to be completed over the course of the half term and I am hoping the children will spend some time each week on it. We shall share these projects on the last Friday before half term (10th February). Their projects can involve any aspect of Battleships- a particular ship, or just battleships in general. More information will be provided to the children in class as well as any resources that they may need.

There will be additional homework clubs available to support Y6, as always. These will run throughout the week in either the classroom, Mrs Forbes's room or with Mrs Kirk/Miss Davis. Children are expected to read every day at home and practise their spellings that are in their reading records. If your child would like another copy of the spelling sheet, they can collect one from the classroom. Please encourage and support your child with their homework, but do not complete it for them!

If there are any problems or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. Either come into the classroom at the end of the day or email me at: admin@albanwood.herts.sch.uk. Thank you for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Barnes
Class Teacher

Mrs Kirk
Headteacher



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