

Newsletter

Year 6 Term 2



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Term 2

Welcome back to a new term. We hope you had a nice half term break. Where did Term 1 go? Before you know it, we'll be in Term 6. The children are working hard and showing maturity, independence and resilience. Qualities we will continue to enhance as the year goes on.

Maths

We are regularly focusing on the children's arithmetic and we will continue to do this, this term. They will be focusing on fractions as well as position and direction. They have access to sumdog on their iPads, which we encourage they use on a daily basis at home.

English

This term, the children will be focusing on their ability to engage the reader. They will be learning how to describe vivid settings, show characterisation through characters words and actions and finally they'll learn to weave suspense into their narratives. In reading, they will continue to focus on the range of reading skills with a big focus on inference- reading between the lines and putting themselves in the characters shoes.

Curriculum

This term we will be focusing on:

- **Science:** Living Things
- **History:** Industrial Revolution
- **RE:** Buddhism (yearly focus) – Leaders and Teachers. Who can I learn from?
- **Art & DT:** Painting Reflection and Texture
- **Computing:** Coding and E-Safety
- **Music:** Rhythm and Notations – Music to express yourself
- **MFL:** French (yearly focus)
- **PSHE:** British Values

PE Day

PE lessons will take place on Fridays (students to wear Oasis Academy PE kits to school) This term the children will be learning about tactics through playing invasion games

Key Dates & Information

Friday 18 th November	Children in Need
Wednesday 23rd November	Parents Evening
Saturday 10 th December	Christmas Fair
Wednesday 14 th December	Christmas Dinner
Tuesday 20 th December	Winter Performance
Wednesday 21 st December	Last day of Term 2

Homework

Starting this term, each week, the children will receive a maths, reading and spellings piece of homework. These will go out on Friday and returned the following Wednesday. We encourage the children to speak to us if they aren't sure about a piece of homework but this cannot be on the Wednesday.

Showbie

As mentioned at our Year 6 Parent's meeting, we want you to be fully aware of your child's strengths and areas of improvements. We also want you to see the amazing work they are producing on a daily basis. The more the children get to share and explain their work, the more they'll improve.

Therefore, you'll be receiving a letter, explaining how you will be able to view your child's work on a daily basis. You need to download the Showbie app first.