



Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2019.

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to Year 6. We hope you had a lovely summer break and that you are ready for all the fun and excitement of your child starting a new year at school. As you are aware, this is a very important year for the pupils as they develop the skills and understanding they will need to be successful at secondary school, but there will also be lots of interesting, fun opportunities for your child along the way.

Straight after our meet the teacher evening on **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September at 7:00**, we will be holding a short meeting regarding our Summer residential trip to Wales.

For this term, we will be looking at World War II and to support our learning, we will be going on a trip to The RAF museum. The date, will be after half term, but is still to be confirmed. You will receive further details nearer the time. This will be an all day trip and everyone will need a packed lunch.

Some of the other topics and activities that the pupils will undertake are: -

Literacy:	Historical fiction, Historical Diary Writing and Poetry.
Numeracy:	Place Value, Algebraic Problems, Measures, Arithmetic, Fractions, Decimals and Percentages, and Problem Solving.
Science:	Circuits and Light
History:	World War II
Geography:	Europe during World War II
ICT:	Wikis and Blogs
D&T:	Controllable Vehicles
Art:	Figures in motion
R.E:	World views, Buddhism and Christianity
P.E:	Football, Basketball, Gymnastics, Netball
Music:	Singing and Composing Music around WWII
PSHE:	New Beginnings, Learning Behaviours, eSafety

On **Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October at 6.00pm** we will be holding a SAT's meeting to give parents and guardians more details regarding the national statutory tests and updating you on how these will affect your child.

We are also continuing with our CHILL OUT sessions. Our dates this term are **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September** (whole day – packed lunch required) and **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November** (half day only – no packed lunch required).

Later in the term your child will be taking part in the Year 6 assembly which you are also invited to attend. This will be held at **9.10am on Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> December**.

Our Parent Partner morning will be held at **9.05am on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**. We do hope that many of you can join us for this.

We look forward to working together with you to help your child have a happy and productive year.

Yours sincerely,

Cat Shennan and Sarah Fox