

# UKS2 Summer 2 News!



## Summer 2!

Daffodils, cherry-blossom trees and the early smell of freshly cut grass: all tell-tale signs that summer is now here. The summer 1 term certainly did not disappoint as the children's learning outcomes were incredible – long may it continue.

The second half of the upcoming summer term sees the return of some curriculum subject favourites. In writing, the children will be publishing a variety of writes: travel guides, fantasy stories and video recounts will be the highlights. In topic, we will be learning all about the Seven Wonders of the World. We will explore where these wonders are. The children will also get an opportunity to think about their own futures and if they would like to visit them later in life.

Thank you very much to all parents and carers for ensuring your child/ren is/are coming to school each day – it has been noticeable how much progress these amazing young people are making, yet now more than ever (particularly with SATs looming for our Y6's).

## Important dates

**3-5<sup>th</sup> June – Y6 Cycling**  
**7<sup>th</sup> June – Y6 Hollywood Bowl**  
**5<sup>th</sup> (5OM/ 6RGM) and 12<sup>th</sup> (5SW/6LB)**  
**Yorkshire Sculpture Park.**  
**26<sup>th</sup> June – Sports Day!**  
**12<sup>th</sup> July – Big Talk**  
**17<sup>th</sup> July – Y6 Prom**  
**18<sup>th</sup> – Y6 leavers assembly.**

## P.E

The children will learn how to play Rounders. They will begin by learning the rules, practising the relevant skills and implementing them in a game situation.

**P.E KIT** – please ensure your child is wearing suitable clothing for indoor and outdoor P.E sessions (black shorts/trousers, a plain black/blue top and suitable footwear)

**P.E days**  
Y5 – Tuesday and Wednesday  
(5OM have swimming on Tuesdays for Spring 1 and 2)  
Y6 – Tuesdays and Thursdays

**Swimming**  
5OM will continue their swimming in Summer 2. Please send your child in their swimming kit underneath their uniform and a bag with a towel and spare underwear in.

## Art

This half term, Y5 and 6 will visit the Yorkshire Sculpture Park before having a go at creating their own sculptures in class. This will all be completed through the aspiring Henri Moore.



## Early Bird

Arrive in school as soon as you so can so we can do our early morning activities together. Doors open at 8:30. Breakfast club continues to be available from 7.30am.

## Reading books

Each morning, your child has a chance to show off the reading they've been doing at home to their teachers. Remember to bring in your reading diary and earn those dojos!

## Reading

In Reading, our class novels include the books, 'The Tulip Touch' and 'Room 13', short novels that will deliver in supporting children with their inference skills and developing empathy towards characters. This term, we will also increase our guided reading sessions, focusing more around the VIPERS: retrieval, inference and explanation

## PSHE

In PSHE, the children will be thinking about their body image and self-esteem. These are really important areas of our PSHE curriculum that will support our Year 6 children transitioning to High School.