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Friday 6th January

Dear Parents & Carers,

Welcome back to the Spring term! We wish you all a very happy new year and a warm welcome back to school for the first term of 2023! It will be another busy and exciting term for all our Year 6 children.

Curriculum

This half term's focus is **World War 2**.

Attached is our Spring 1 Curriculum overview with more information.

Reading

We will continue with The Reading Challenge in Y6. The children choose novels in class from a special selection of classic literature and other well written books. It is essential that they keep up with their reading partners and bring in their books **every day**. We also visit the library weekly so that the children can choose from our extensive collection and choose non fiction books too. If your child has unreturned books, please resolve this so they can borrow from the library as the selection in class is limited. Please contact Nabila or Lucy for more information.

Home Learning

Home learning will go out every Friday and should be returned the following Wednesday. In Y6 all pupils are **expected** to complete their home learning. If your child is absent, they can find the home learning on the google classroom. In addition to this, the children also have access to Reading Eggs, which we will use to set independent reading as part of their home learning.

Classroom Drop In

This half term, every year group will be hosting a Parents and Carers morning. Year 6's drop-in will take place on Friday 20th January at 8:50-9:10am. It would be great to have you join us in class for a chance to play Maths logic games with your child.

PE & Music

Your child's PE & Music session will be every **Thursday**. Children need to come into school in their PE kits on this day. PE will be held outside where possible so please make sure your child wears their PE jumper.

Head Teacher: Harsha Patel

Punctuality & Attendance

It continues to be really important that children arrive and are collected promptly.

START OF THE DAY - It continues to be really important that children arrive before 9am, as the first lesson of the day is an important one. **Our 'soft start' continues between 8:45 - 9:00 am each morning.** After 9:00 am the gate will be closed and any latecomers will need to come through the main school gate.

END OF THE DAY - Children will be in the playground when the gates open at **3:25 pm.**

Attendance is compulsory for all children, but we understand that some absences may occur. Regular contact and communication to our office about illness and medical appointments is crucial.

The Office:

Please call the school office if you have any questions. If you do need to come *into* the office you must use the gate entrance from the street and not come in through the school.

Office: [0207 772 8500](tel:02077728500) or email admin@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk

Additional Key Teaching Staff:

PE Team - Jordan

Music - Tom

Higher Level Teaching Assistants - Heather Healy, Isabel Murphy, Sandra Grogan & Maggie Muir

Water & Dressing for school

Please remember to send your child into school with a bottle of water.

We encourage you to dress your child in clothes that are practical for the classroom and ensure your child's clothing is named. As we are now into Winter, please make sure that your child comes to school with a long sleeved coat, preferably with a hood or hat.

For further information, please make sure you regularly check the school website www.primrosehill.sch.uk

We look forward to the exciting term ahead and seeing you all in the playground, where you can find the Y6 adults at the end of the day.

Many Thanks,

Nabila and Lucy
The Year 6 Team

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