



## Old Palace Year 6 Newsletter Summer 2

Year Lead: Ms Matin Teachers: Ms Ali (6A) and Ms Wróbel (6W) Support Staff: Ms Quah and Mr White

### Maths

Please see below the order of the topics the children will be focusing on this half term:

- 1. Problem solving-** Solving different NRich problems involving all areas of maths the children have been working on.
- 2. Investigations** – Applying their mathematical knowledge to real life investigations where they have to use a range of skills.

### English

Please see below the order of topics the children will be focusing on this half term:

- 1. Contemporary Fiction** – The children will be reading different versions of well-known fairy tales, set in different eras. Through description of characters and setting, they will write their own version of a fairy tale, with a twist.
- 2. Shakespeare** – To support the preparation for their leaver's Assemblies, the children will be studying Shakespearean plays and analysing the language features.

### Other Subjects

- Art-** Islamic Art
- Music** – Guitars and Keyboards
- Computing-** Word Processing
- Geography-** Communication and Collaboration
- DT-** Structures and Food Tech
- PE-** Athletics and Fitness
- PSHCE-** Changing Me

### Summer Fete

The annual Summer Fete will be Tuesday 16th July. We will be accepting donations to sell at our annual summer fete. We will be accepting food and baked items to sell at our food stalls as well as other items, (like books and toys) to sell. Please do not send any electrical items or items of clothing. Parents will be invited to join us at our Summer Fete from 3:40pm. Admission is £1 per adult.

### Key dates

- Eid Closure:** Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2024
- Inset day:** Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2024
- Leaver's Performance:**
- 6A** - 10 am on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July
- 6W** – 11: 30 am on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July
- Leaver's Celebration:** Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 3.30pm
- Last Day of school:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024 2pm finish

### Trips

Year 6 will join the Healthy Lives team, London Marathon team and Team GB athletes for a fantastic summer day out to celebrate physical activity.

**Date:** Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024

**Time:** 9:30 – 12 pm

**Cost of the trip:** Free

Year 6 will be visiting Adventure Island for their end of year trip.

**Date:** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024

**Time:** Leaving at 9:00 am and return to school for 5pm.

**Cost of the trip: TBC (around £20)**

Some Year 6's will have the opportunity to attend:

**Cricket Event:** Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July from 12pm – 2pm

**RichMix Cinema:** Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July from 10 am – 1 pm



### Vocabulary

Word of the day: here are the new vocabulary words we will be introducing to the children this half term. You may wish to practice these words at home!

Week 1	fundamental	dubious	inconspicuous	arduous
Week 2	perspective	surreptitious	innocuous	assiduous
Week 3	discretion	telepathic	latter	assunder
Week 4	acknowledge	whimsical	liable	belligerent
Week 5	incorporate	ascertain	liberty	brusque
Week 6	abstract	bombard	malady	comrade

### Sports Morning

UKS2's annual sports morning will be held on **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July** from **9:30 – 11:30am**. In order to prepare for the day, we ask that you ensure your child wears a T-shirt with shorts or tracksuit bottoms, trainers (no plimsolls) and a water bottle, which is clearly labelled. Due to the warm weather, we ask that they wear a hat and apply sunscreen before they come to school. A letter will be sent out with more information on the location and to inform you what colour t-shirt your child should wear.

### Eid

Eid al-Adha is due to be celebrated on Sunday 16th June. The **school will be closed for Eid on Monday 17th June** and Eid parties will take place on Tuesday 18th June. For class parties, the school will be providing some food, we also welcome food donations from our parents - please label the food clearly with the ingredients as some pupils have allergies.

### Parent Consultation

Parent consultations will take place on Wednesday 10th July after school between 3:30 and 6:00pm. Parents will be allocated a 5-minute slot to meet with the teacher to collect the end of year report. Please ensure you attend at your given time or rearrange with the class teacher in advance. We look forward to seeing you!

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