

# **Primary Six Term Three**

As a way of keeping you informed about what we are planning to do in Term Three of Primary 6, we have put together a list of some of the topics we will be covering and the activities in which the children will be engaged. There are too many to list, but we hope that this information sheet will help you when you are talking to your child about what he or she is doing in school.

#### **Mathematics**

- complex area and perimeter involving problem-solving
- area of triangles
- volume
- capacity
- multiplying decimals by decimals
- ordering decimals
- improper fractions
- addition and subtraction of fractions
- percentages (including reduction and increase)
- investigating the relationship between fractions, decimals and percentages
- extending average and range
- missing number sums
- measuring
- Pie Charts; Venn and Carroll Diagrams

#### Literacy

- grammar topics suffixes, independent & subordinate clauses, commas, semi-colons & colons, diminutives, tenses, punctuation and continuation of revising previously learned topics.
- persuasive Writing -advertisements
- creative Writing linked to novel work topics
- thinking and talking about the vocabulary, plot, setting, characters and message of our class novel
- reading and discussing different forms of poetry
- extending our talking and listening skills through debating and discussing relevant topics from the Schools Council, news, novel work and PDMU themes
- learning about and identifying literary devices eg: similes, personification, alliteration, onomatopoeia
- continuing to explore spelling patterns and extend vocabulary through the reading of a wide variety of texts

## The World Around Us

- Vikings including Viking Day costume required. (see attached info)
- Properties of materials
- The Earth (rocks and volcanoes)

### We will also:

- listen to and appreciate a variety of musical genre
- recorder
- practise tennis/athletics/cricket skills
- find out what the Bible says about the Early Church
- develop ICT skills
- various craft activities associated with WAU topics

..... and much, much more!!!

We would appreciate it if you would check that your child's homework is complete and as neat as it ought to be. Please sign all written homework. Learning homework is of particular importance in P6 and is essential to enhance their learning. A fully equipped pencil case is essential, along with a 30cm ruler, red pen, glue, scissors and a small dictionary. Please email your child's class teacher if there is anything you would like to discuss before then.

Many thanks for your help and support throughout the year.

Yours sincerely,

<mark>Mrs J. Hart</mark> Mrs A. Riddall

Viking Day

Date - Thursday 30th May 2024 Wear - Dress up as a Viking (no school uniform required)

Please let us know if your child has a food allergy as they will be partaking in a Viking breakfast. They will still need their break and lunch sent into school with them.

