

# **WELCOME TO MEET THE TEACHER**

2025-2026

Year 6



# Y6 EXPECTATIONS

- Preparation for secondary school
- High expectations of behaviour and learning – following our values, being good role models
- Responsibilities around school – all children have these opportunities (e.g. supporting younger children, Collective Worship duties, open morning show rounds)
- More independence

# HOME LEARNING

- Children should be reading at home daily (recorded in reading record)
- Home learning will be set on a Thursday and due in on the following Wednesday
- Can access via Seesaw or school website
- One piece of English (SPaG or reading comprehension), Maths (new booklets), spellings (test will be on a Wednesday)
- Spellings – can use Spelling Shed (online log in) to practice, or children will bring home a list
- Brain builder – 1 per half term (timetable on school website) – these will be on Seesaw as well as school website

# TRIPS

- White Waltham Church Christmas and Easter - TBC
- British Film Institute January TBC – train from Ascot to London
- Post – SATs bowling trip Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May TBC
- Residential trip PGL Liddington June 24<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>
- Will be other local trips TBC



# TIMETABLE

- PE Tuesdays and Fridays – come in in PE kit
- (For clubs, children change into PE kit after school)
- Generally, English and Maths in the mornings and other subjects in the afternoons
- Gates open at 8.35 and it is important that children are in school as promptly as possible as we begin our learning during morning motivation



# INTERVENTIONS

- Most children will be in a group at some point – we run them at different abilities
- They run at different times of the day
- Sometimes they start at 8.30 – you will receive a letter in this case
- Nothing to be concerned about



# RSE

- Relationships and sex education
- Policy and coverage on school website
- A letter will go home before we teach this as parents have the legal right to withdraw children if they would like

# KS2 SATS

- 11<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> May 2026
- End of KS2 assessments Y6s across the country take to assess progress in KS2
- GPS, Maths and reading. Writing is assessed by me and can be externally moderated
- No extra work is needed at home – we prepare them throughout KS2 as they cover the curriculum
- Will do a bit of extra practice in the spring/summer term, as well as sending home resources if you would like to do extra at home
- No pressure!



# ASSESSMENT

- We carry out assessments in school at the end of Autumn, Spring and Summer Terms (SATs for Y6)
- We will report to parents after Christmas, after Easter and in the summer term
- After Christmas and Easter, this will just be a printout of where your child is in relation to age-related expectations:
  - WTS – working towards the expected standard
  - EXS – working at the age-related expected standard
  - GDS – working at greater depth
- In the summer term, this will be a full written report
- Children start a new set of objectives each year, so they won't necessarily be achieving EXS in the autumn – this doesn't mean they aren't on track for achieving EXS in the summer
- Individual parent meetings in January and April to discuss these reports and children's progress



# OTHER

- Please return walking/ phone slips before the end of term if you wish for your child to walk to/ from school and/or bring their phone in
- See school website for any important info, including dates and this Power Point
- Please contact me via the school office if you ever need to

**THANK YOU!**