



Year 6 Information

Spring Term - 2019



Mrs Gorman Mr Barker Miss Clement Miss Shirt Mr Bond Mrs Fisher

Dates for the diary	
Friday 15 th February	Friends of Ravenscroft School Disco
	Last day of half-term
Monday 25 th February	School is closed for INSET day
Tuesday 26 th February	Children return to school

Reading is Important

All pupils have a reading book which must be kept in their reading bag or folders and brought into school every day; it is very important that your child brings in their book every day as we often provide opportunities to read in class.

Please encourage your child to read, each day sit with them and talk to them about their book. They need to understand what they are reading – not just be able to read the words.

Try taking your child to the library – it's free to join and borrow books

Need to talk to your child's teacher?

Remember – you don't need to wait until Parents' Evenings to talk to your child's class teacher. Messages or information can be shared when you drop off /collect your child. If you need a conversation, make an appointment – your child's teacher will normally see you on the same day.

Reminders

- Pupils will be having a PE lesson on **Tuesdays and Fridays**.
- Please make sure they have their P.E. kits including trainers/plimsolls with them on these days and that it is not worn under their uniform. Jewellery must not be worn at school except for stud earrings which must be removed or covered with plasters for P.E.
- Please ensure **ALL** of your child's clothing and shoes are labelled with their name. It is your child's responsibility to keep their belongings safe.
- Remember school starts at 9.00am – don't be late!
- Pupils may bring a bottle of water to drink during the day.
- Please make sure that your child is wearing appropriate clothing for the weather conditions (hat, scarf, gloves etc.).

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club takes place every day in the Family Room from 8am to 9am at a cost of £2 per day. Call at the school office to arrange a place for your child.

And finally...

The soft start to the day has started really well. We have received positive feedback from both children and parents alike; the children are settled into school and ready to learn at 9.00am.

However, please ensure that your child does not arrive in the playground any earlier than 8.50am!

Thanks.



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RE

We are planning some exciting projects in the Summer term.

FRENCH

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HISTORY / GEOGRAPHY

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PE

Dance

Children will be able to develop imaginative dances in a specific style. They will choose their own music, style and dance to perform individually and as part of a group. They will also analyse and explain why they have used specific skills and techniques; modify their use of skills or techniques to improve their work and create their own success criteria for evaluating.

Gymnastics

Children will be able to combine their own work with that of others and link sequences to specific timings.

Hockey

Children will be able to demonstrate effective use of passing, dribbling and shooting during the pressure of a game situation; make swift and confident progress towards a goal on their own and with others.

ART / DT

The Fourth Plinth

Drawing, Design and Sculpture

Year 6 discover the historical significance of the third plinth researching its origins and the works that have called the plinth home. Students are then asked to design their own sculpture for the fourth plinth. Using their knowledge of past artworks on the plinth and the plinth's history students create an artwork that reflects the city of London and the nature of the fourth plinth competition.

COMPUTING

Spread sheets

Children are given an understanding of spread sheets and how they can be used. In the first five lessons, a different spreadsheet template is provided in which children learn skills in formatting and entering specific formulas. They will use investigative skills to solve specific problems within a spread sheet and design their own.

SCIENCE

Animals including humans

Children will identify and name the main parts of the circulatory system and recognise the impact of lifestyle on the body's function.

Children will describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.

MUSIC

Music History

Children will be learning about the history of music as well as learning to evaluate and appreciate a range of types of music.