

This half term our topic is ...
Democracy
Spring 2 – Ancient Greece

Year 6 Newsletter Spring Term 2025



HAPPY NEW YEAR

I hope you all had a wonderful festive period and enjoyed a restful break with your families. It has been fantastic to see the children return to school full of enthusiasm and energy, ready to tackle the exciting challenges ahead. This term promises to be a hardworking one as we focus on preparing the children for their SATs tests in the summer as well as enjoying a range of creative writing and engaging topic lessons.

Mobile Phones and Apps



Children are not permitted to bring mobile phones to school.

All apps including TikTok, Whatsapp and Snapchat offer access to inappropriate content and therefore have age limits of 13+. The use of mobile phones also results in a negative impact on young people's wellbeing.

We thank you for your support with online safety.



Reading

Reading regularly is essential in making progress and achieving well this year.

Last half term, 70% of Y6 pupils managed to earn a golden ticket to the movie treat for reading 4 times at home every week. This term we are aiming for 90%.

Please ensure your child reads at least 4 times a week at home and has their diary signed.

This term we have a new reward to work towards. Children can earn a visit to the park and a delicious hot chocolate.

SATs Preparation

Homework

Homework this term will form part of children's SATs preparation. Please encourage your child to complete their homework on time, to a high standard. There will be a Year 6 homework club every Monday. Please ensure your child's attendance if they are invited.

Booster

Children are attending booster sessions for reading, maths and SPaG every Monday afternoon.

Spellings

Spellings will be handed out every Monday to

Reminders

After School Clubs

If your child wishes to attend an after school club, you will need to sign up for a place on Arbor.

- Netball club- Monday
- Girl's Football club- Tuesday
- Boy's Football club- Wednesday
- Drama club- Thursday
- Street Dance- Thursday

PE - This half term PE will be on a Tuesday and Thursday. Please ensure your child brings a sports kit suitable for the colder weather.

★ DATES FOR YOUR DIARY ★

* Friday 31st January- INSET Day (school closed)

* HALF TERM

Last day – Friday 14th February

Return to school – Monday 24th February

* March 1st - Secondary School places emailed to parents

* Parents Open Evening – Tuesday 18th

Bluesky

Please follow us on Bluesky to receive regular updates about the wonderful things your child is doing at school.

Our username is: @welbeckps.bsky.social



If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to see me at the end of the school day.

Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Wildman