

# Class Newsletter

Term 5 2010

Class Newsletter: Year 6

Title of topic B.I.R.P

Dear Parent/Carers

This is the work that the children will be covering over the following term in Y6

<p>English B.I.R.P</p> <p>The writing units which will be revised over the next few weeks are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recount- Diary and letters</li><li>• Report writing</li><li>• Instructional text</li><li>• Explanation text</li><li>• Persuasive text-letters and adverts</li><li>• Discussions</li></ul>	<p>Maths B.I.R.P</p> <p>These are the following areas of mathematics which we will be revising between now and the SATs tests.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Perimeter and Area</li><li>• Drawing and measuring angles</li><li>• Triangles</li><li>• Mean, mode and median</li><li>• Data handling</li><li>• Word problems</li></ul> <p>Each week the children will continue to practice their mental maths skills and techniques.</p>
<p>Science</p> <p>These are the topics that we will revise over the next term.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Forces- Gravity, air resistance, friction and magnets.</b></li><li>• <b>Light, sound and electricity</b></li><li>• <b>Separating mixtures</b></li></ul>	<p>Science vocabulary</p> <p>Push, pull, attract, repel, poles, gravity, air resistance, surface area, rub, smooth, shadow, opaque, vibrate, travel, battery, bulb, buzzer, sieve, filter, funnel</p>
<p>PE</p> <p>Net and Wall games</p> <p>Striking and fielding - Baseball</p>	<p>Home Learning</p> <p>How you can help at home</p> <p>The children will continue to have a piece of homework each day which is to be returned the following day. 5 bucks will be awarded for each completed piece of home work.</p> <p>Any additional revision through revision books or sites on the internet would be of a benefit. Try to encourage your child to revise areas which they have found tricky and need that little bit of practice.</p>
<p>Message from the Classroom</p> <p>After SATs the children will complete their Sex Education unit. Parents and carers will be invited to watch the videos before the children complete the unit of work.</p> <p>The children have shown great commitment and dedication throughout the B.I.R.P programme and we are very proud of them. Keep up the good work!</p>	