

Oak Class Newsletter –Summer Term 1

Welcome back to Oak Class. The Y5/6 team hopes that you had a restful and relaxing Easter holiday. Sending our heartfelt wishes to Miss Ordidge as she begins her maternity leave journey. Wishing her happiness, health, and wonderful moments ahead! Please keep your eye on Tapestry for any updates.

Please remember if you have any queries please do not hesitate to come and speak to me on the gate or classroom door.

Miss Betts

PE and Forest School

PE –Wed and Thurs. Please ensure indoor and outdoor kit is in school on both days. P.E. top/white t shirt, blue shorts or trousers, trainers all named.

Forest – Friday Again, please ensure full kit (including waterproofs and wellies) are in school on that day. Also make sure you child has long sleeves.

Both PE and Forest form essential parts of our school curriculum in the same way that maths and art do, so please help with the organisation of kit to make sure pupils can get the most out of all these sessions.

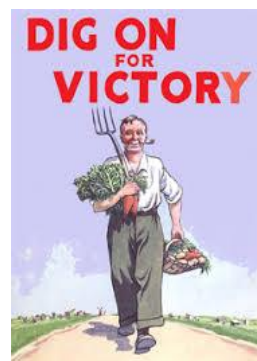
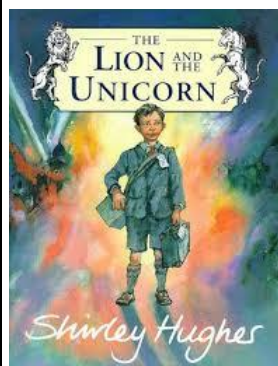
Reading and home learning

Please try to read daily and fill in planners as often as possible- it makes so, so much difference to learning in class! Try to aim for 3-5 reads per week. They don't need to be long: 15 minutes each time is enough to make a huge difference. Children will read regularly with adults in school also.

Home learning is one activity of the CPG books due in every **Friday. There are also spellings every week.** The spelling lists for the half term will be provided in your planners in the coming

Key Dates:

Tuesday 30th April – Trip to Theatre Severn for Book Fest Award Ceremony
Tuesday 30th April – Basketball Tournament at Oldbury Wells.
Monday 13th – 16th May – SATS Week
Tuesday 21st May – WW2 Trip to Weston Park
Thursday 23rd May – Parent Lunch and Showcase (Blackwell Adventure Meeting for Residential)



Our topic this term:

Axis vs Allies



This half term our class are going to be...

Writers (Literacy): This term we will be reading 'The Lion and the Unicorn' and 'Letters from the Lighthouse'. We will be focusing on letters, and narrative writing (flashbacks) and poetry.

Mathematicians (Maths): This half term we will be looking at geometry and position and direction. In the second half of the half term, we will be looking at decimals.

Historians (History): We will be looking at World War Two and the impact of this on the people of Britain.

Scientists (Science): We will focus on light and how we see.

Techies (Computing): This half term, we will be looking at 3D modelling.

Athletes (PE): We will be focusing on Rounders and Cricket. Mr Bennett and Alveley Cricket Club will be in to lead some of our PE lessons.

Theologians (RE): We will be looking at why do some people believe in God and some people don't.

Good citizens (PSHE): We will be looking at economic wellbeing and budgeting.

Artists (Art and Design): We will be making memory boxes linking to sculpture and 3D.

Linguists (French): This term we will be focusing on different French speaking countries

Musicians (Music): We will be exploring songs from World War 2.

Bookfest
Shropshire

