



Year 6 Summer Term News



Welcome back to the Summer Term, we hope you had a good Easter break.

Children have a busy term ahead which kicks off with Statutory Assessments which will take place the week beginning **14th** May. Children should not be stressed over these assessments. They have worked extremely hard, revised thoroughly and this is their chance to display their knowledge and they are ready to do their best. We are sure they will do well. We encourage them to drink plenty of water (which we will supply), have a good breakfast and lastly lots of early nights. The Friday of this week should feature no tests, therefore it is our plan to take both classes to the park for a P.E. morning. We will return for lunch at school as usual.

On **Thursday 24th (6BH) and Friday 25th May (6W)** we have arranged a visit to the Old Royal Naval College in Greenwich for the children to see the famous Painted Ceiling from the special observation deck. We will picnic in Greenwich Park after the visit so the children will need to bring a packed lunch. We will be travelling to Greenwich by bus.

The children will soon be preparing to leave our school and move on to secondary school. On **Wednesday 4th July**, most Greenwich schools will be having an **Induction Day** for new students; other schools may have different days, and some more than one. Please drop a line to the School Office to let them know when your child will be visiting and for how long. Thank you for your support.

In recognition of all the hard work children put into their assessments, and to mark the end our children's educational journey at Deansfield we hope to organise a visit to take both classes to **the Kent seaside**. We will be writing to you with news nearer the time.

In **Science**, our topics are Living things and Animals including Humans. We will also be looking at drugs and sex education and we will be holding a parents meeting on **Wednesday 6th June at 3pm**; please come along if you would like to learn more about this programme. To support our science topics we will be visiting the Science Museum, Class 6BH on **Friday 22nd June** and 6W on **Friday 29th June**. So if you still have to make your contribution towards the cost of these visits, please do so as soon as you can! Termly payment is £13 and annual payment is £39. You can pay using our online payment system AGORA or by cheque or cash.

Immediately after SATs, children will learn what they will be performing for the **school production**. Week beginning Monday 21st May, children will be given scripts and invited to audition for parts during the following week. There will be acting, singing and dancing, something for everybody. The production will take place during the evening of **Tuesday 17th July**. Thank you to the parents and carers who have come forward to help ensure that this year's leaver's party will be spectacular. The date has been confirmed as **Friday 13th July**.

Our **History** topic will be the Ancient Greeks and in **Geography** we will be learning more about rivers. **PE Days:** Please ensure your child has a named PE kit in school Monday to Friday, comprising white T Shirt, black Shorts and trainers. We sometimes have opportunities to participate in sporting activities other than the designated PE days; please arrange for the kit to be brought into school on Monday and left here through the week. It can then be taken home on Friday for washing.

Thank you for your support.

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