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Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to provide you with an overview of what your child will be learning about this term:

Curriculum Overview

There will be a specific focus on developing the children's skills in both English and Maths, in preparation for their upcoming SATs tests and to ensure that they are fully prepared for the transition to secondary school. Therefore, I am pleased to inform you that a new member of staff has joined our team. Mrs Sweeney will be working closely alongside me, to support the children to achieve their full potential in both English and Maths.

In other subjects, the topics for this term are:

- Science: Electricity
- Topic (Geography/History/ICT): Extreme Weather
- RE: Islam
- French: All About Me
- Music: Brass instruments (trumpets and trombones)
- Art: Landscapes

PE

We are privileged to have Coach Chris delivering his expertise in athletics this term. Year 6 will have PE on a Thursday afternoon, as well as swimming on a Monday afternoon.

Homework

I would like to thank you for your support in ensuring that children are completing their homework tasks. The children will continue to receive their homework every Friday, which will be due to be handed in on the following Friday. They will receive regular spellings, along with SPaG (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and maths tasks.

Reading at home is essential and comments in the reading diary relating to this are very useful. It is also important that the children become secure in their times table knowledge up to their 12 times table. Regular practise in both reading and times tables at home is crucial.

We value the role that parents play in education and by working in partnership with you, we are able to fully support your child's learning. Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Faithfully,

Miss F Mitchell













