



# Year 6

## Summer 2017 (2<sup>nd</sup> half)

### Welcome back!

Our topic for the coming half-term is:

### *Lights, camera, action!*

The grand finale for this theme will be our eagerly-awaited KS2 production in July! The build-up will include thinking about the memories the children have of their time at primary school, opportunities to consider about 'Moving on up!' to their secondary school and also enjoying the beautiful coastline of North Yorkshire for our residential visit – still so much to do!

### WEEKLY HOMEWORK

Homework will not be set on specific days but rather as follow-up to work completed in class to practice and extend their learning. However, weekly expectations are:

- 10 minutes each night reading their reading book, a newspaper, a magazine or Kindle;
- 10 minutes on spellings (3 times per week);
- 10 minutes each night on Learn Its - times tables up to 12 x 12 for multiplication and division;
- research as part of our topic.

### BOGGLE HOLE

The visit will take place on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June for two nights, returning on Friday 30<sup>th</sup>. We anticipate leaving at 10.30pm on Wednesday and will return for approximately 3pm on the Friday. Kit lists and medical forms have been sent this week so please ask your child if you haven't seen these yet!

### TRANSITION TO SECONDARY SCHOOL

A 2-day visit has been arranged for the Y6 pupils on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June where they will attend The Wensleydale School. There is an open evening to discuss transition arrangements on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 6pm at The Wensleydale School site.

### THINGS TO REMEMBER

Monday: 3-minute challenge  
Tuesday: PE kit  
Wednesday: PE kit  
Thursday:  
Friday: Big Maths

**Children should always have their homework diaries and reading records with them.**

### CLOTHING

It would be very helpful if any items of clothing brought into school are labelled with the child's name wherever possible, so they can be returned to their owners as soon as possible.

### WATER BOTTLES

Please would you ensure that your son / daughter has a water bottle in school. It is important that they drink regularly and a bottle is easy to carry outside for PE and other outdoor learning. Many thanks.