

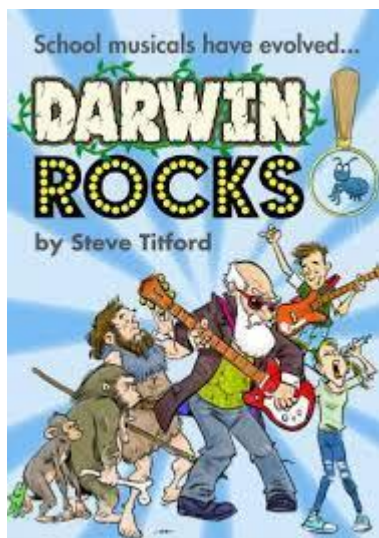
Year 6 Gorillas Newsletter: June 2021



It seems everyone had an enjoyable half term break. Particularly since the weather returned to more familiar May and June weather. Once more, all pupils have been a real credit to themselves with the way that they have returned to school: positive about their learning, ready to work hard and making good choices.



This half term is the final half term at primary school for all of the pupils in Year 6. By the time this academic year finishes, the children will have: completed their end of year tests; rehearsed and performed their end of year play; prepared for secondary school; and participated in some fun end of year activities.

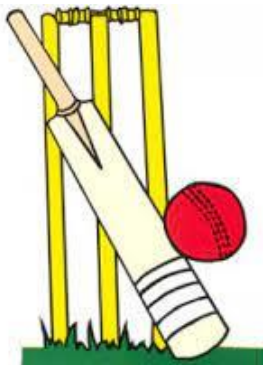


Some pupils may have already brought home their scripts to learn their lines for the part (or parts) that they have been assigned for the school play. More information about the play - Darwin Rocks - will be sent out in due course. In the meantime, please encourage your child to learn his/her lines and to read them clearly and loudly enough so that they can be heard clearly.

Before half term, we had Olympics Week. In Year 6, we completed a range of work linked to the Olympics such as: locating host cities in an atlas, creating our own designs of the logo for each Olympic sport, researching facts about athletes that are likely to participate in the Tokyo 2020 Games, and writing about memorable Olympic moments. To end the week, we had a colour run on the field which the whole class (including the adults) really enjoyed.



This half term, we will continue to complete work linked to our topic (ID). We will also complete a range of activities that will help pupils to be better prepared for secondary school.



Our PE days will continue to be Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Pupils will also need to wear the correct PE kit on Friday if they wish to do PE for reward time. Mr White will be teaching tennis and our Wednesday lesson will be athletics.

Finally, please remember to encourage your child to complete their homework to the best of their ability as this is good preparation for secondary school. If your child is unsure about how to complete a piece of homework, then encourage them to speak to an adult at school before it's due in. Homework is due in on Tuesday, every week.

I'm very much looking forward to our final half term together.

Dates for the Diary

Friday 18th June: Superhero Day

Tuesday 6th July: Move up Morning

Thursday 22nd July: Final day of the Summer Term

Kind regards,

Mr Cunningham and the Year 6 team