## School Newsletter

#### Through the Ages - Across Key Stage 1 and 2

This term the children in Years 1 - 6 are travelling through the ages. Year 1 are studying the history of their time, how they change as they grow and their families. Year 2 are learning about the Victorians and after half term they will have a Victorian Day. The Year 3 class have begun investigating life as Vikings while Year 4 have already begun expeditions into the Romans times. Year 5 are travelling to Ancient Greece while Year 6 have begun to investigate the weapons they used in the Stone Age and Iron Age. Across the term the children will be learning key facts about the time period they are studying, drawing and painting portraits and making museum The children will then go on to use the historical skills that have developed to study other areas and key influences in history.

#### Celebrating Black Lives Through British History move though the ages to learn more

Across the school we are using the historical skills we are learning as we about Black British History.

phase in the school is studying the influence that the BAME community has had on different aspects of Britain. In the EYFS they are focusing on aspirations. Years 1 and 2 are studying the impact that the BAME community has had on Science for example though inventions, discoveries and medicine. Years 3 and 4 are learning about the importance of the BAME community on the Arts, with a focus on music, art and literature. Finally in Year 5 and 6 the children are investigating the influence on Politics and Religion, they are studying key events, leaders and legislation throughout history.

The work that the children are doing will be shared across the school though our displays. We will ensure that these are shared with you through photographs once they are complete. As soon as we are able to have parents back on site we are also looking forward to celebrating our diverse school community with a cultural

In school we are sharing stories and books with the children that represent our community. Some of the books can be found here if you would like to read some at

#### Home Learning Through In the event that we need to close a Google Classroom

year group or send children home due to a positive COVID test, learning can continue through the use of Google

Classroom. This will be available for all school age children in Reception, Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. Next week we will send out again the letters that were initially sent out as we went into the national lockdown. These letters will contain the information you need to log into your Childs Google Classroom account and their username and password for IXL.

### Looking for Homework? In the final section of this letter you will find details on where to find

homework on the school website. Here you will find the spelling words that the children need to learn along with the maths facts we want children to learn.

**Autumn Themes** 

Week 1 - New **Beginnings** 

Week 2 -Acceptance

Week 3 - Respect

Week 4 -**Endurance** 

Week 5 -Compassion

Week 6 -Perseverance

Week 7 -Relationships

Week 8 -Celebrating **Differences** 

Week 9 -Remembrance

Week 10 -**Friendships** 

Week 11 -Celebrations

Week 12 - Festivals

Week 13 - Light

Week 14 - Sharing

Week 15 -Thanksgiving



Click here to link to the HT YouTube Channel



#### Upcoming Parents Evening - An opportunity to check in

We are really looking forward to the parents evenings that are going to be taking place after the half term break. We are currently in the process of working out how best to run them with the COVID restrictions we have in place. It is likely that they will be online and as soon as we are able to set up the process we will be in touch with you so that you can book in advance.

Here are a few photographs from around the school of what







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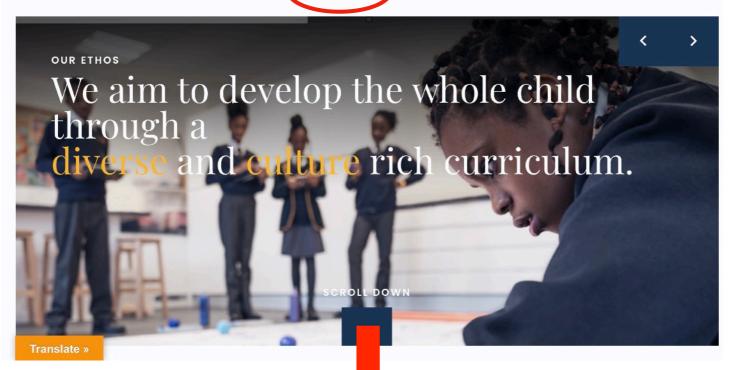
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Click here to view the Year 6 homework for the Autumn Term
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At Holy Trinity:
We are Ready
We are Respectful
We are Safe





# Want more practise for Maths, spelling, grammar and punctuation?

The school has bought into 2 packages that you can use at home with your child.

The first is IXL which can be accessed though either an app or the website. Children in Year 6 should be spending 90 minutes a week using IXL to consolidate learning in school, Year 5 - 80 minutes, Year 4 - 70 minutes, Year 3 - 60 minutes, Year 2 - 50 minutes and Year 1 - 40 minutes. If you need a reminder of your childs password please note that a letter will be coming out next week containing all the information you need.

The second is also an app called Manipulatives or can be accessed through the brainingcamp website. The app is used in school during lessons to help children understand and consolidate new concepts taught. Access to this at home means that they can use the same tools to complete tasks at home with you.

This newsletter has already been sent out digitally. If you have not received it via email please visit the school website to register for our mailing list.

This is the final paper copy of the newsletter for the year.