



# Uphall

Year 6

Year 6 Summer Term 3.1 Newsletter

## Handball champions



Standout Handball champions. (LR): Mohamed - 6MO, Elena- 6MO, Aroosh - 6MO, Rion - 6MO, Hadija - 6RA, Kaden - 6HE, Rion - 6MO

Most improved sportsperson for each class. (L -R):Dani-6DE, Dirdar-6DE, Rabia-6RA, Mohammad.G-6HE, Mousab-6MO



Well done and thank you to all the children who put in effort and extra practice working towards our PE Handball tournament. Even though there was only one winning class (6MO) the year 6 teachers and Mr Kingsley were extremely proud of each and every child and their maturity in the competition.

## Calendar Dates

- 15<sup>th</sup> April- Return to School
- 22<sup>nd</sup> April- Parents Meeting
- 6<sup>th</sup> May- Bank Holiday
- 13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> May- SATs Week
- 17<sup>th</sup> May- SATs Reward TBC
- 27<sup>th</sup> May- 31<sup>st</sup> May- End of term

## Dear Families

Welcome back! We hope you all had a great rest.

As you may be aware, the Standard Assessment Tests (SATs) will be taking place this term, please do not worry as your child has worked exceptionally hard and should be well prepared. We ask that you encourage them to revise any areas they are unsure of. Please ensure your child is punctual and appointments are not booked for these days.

During the week of SATs children will be expected to come in early as they did for their mocks at 8am for pre-teach sessions in order to prepare them for the relevant tests.

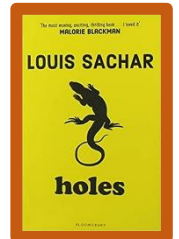
Regards,

The year 6 team: Ms Demirbey, Ms Hera, Mr Mogul, Mr Rahman



## English

We will be reading Holes by Louis Sachar. Children will be taught how to use features to write a narrative and create a persuasive leaflet with powerful persuasive features. They will apply neat and legible cursive handwriting as well as grammar and punctuation taught throughout the year.



## Maths

Children will review their understanding of arithmetic and reasoning topics taught over the year. They will hone in their reasoning skills and demonstrate a secure knowledge of maths.



## History



Children will be learning about Islamic civilization- Baghdad C.AD 900. Children will explore the life of Muhammad (pbuh) and his significance in the origins of the early Islamic civilisation. They will explore why the civilization spread so widely. Children will further develop their understanding of the reliability of different historical sources by using a varied range.

## Homework Expectations

Homework will be given out on Wednesday and be expected back by Tuesday at the latest. This will include spellings, maths, and English tasks.

### PE Days

Please ensure children wear their PE kit to school on the following days:

Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri
6DE & 6HE Indoors	6MO Indoors	6DE Outdoors 6RA Indoors	All Outdoors



## Design and technology

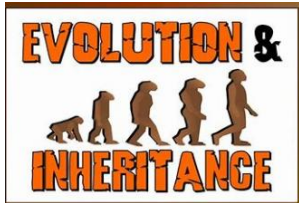


Children will be using textiles to make a pencil case. They will design and make products that have a combination of working functions and aesthetic qualities. They will be using stitchwork to combine materials together.



## Science

The children will discover the scientific views on how different species have changed over time. They will explore what characteristics offspring can inherit from their parents and make hypotheses based on their learning.



## RHE



The topic focus for 'Relationship, Health Education (RHE)' sessions is **Health and Prevention and Internet Safety and Harm**. The aim of this topic is to provide information about basic first aid and knowing when to seek support about their physical and mental health.



Please ensure your child attends school on time every day. If s/he has a mild cough/cold or a blocked nose or feels tired, this is not a reason to stay at home.

If your child is too unwell to come to school you must call us on the first day of absence as soon as possible – ideally before 9am. on 0208 478 2993, choosing Option 1, and leaving a clear message with your child's name, class and nature of illness

## Reminders

Please make sure that you talk to your child about their on-line activity regularly and are able to monitor their online footprint. They are still children and should not be left unsupervised to use apps on phones or tablets. We would advise that if they have Snapchat that it be deleted, as inappropriate language is being used and causing issues in school. Please familiarise yourself with the age restrictions of apps and ensure that your child is not using apps which are age inappropriate.

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Facebook	Snapchat	WhatsApp					
Instagram	Twitter						
TikTok	Kik	Sarahah	MeetMe				

Boosters will continue either before or after school, you must make sure that your child attends these sessions if they are advised to do so.

In addition, please continue to practise the weekly spellings, multiplication tables and regular reading with your child.



## Family Time Tips!

### CREATE A FAMILY COOKBOOK

Make a collection of family recipes that are close to your heart. This is also a great time to get your kids in the kitchen!



### PRACTICE YOGA

The benefits of yoga are countless, helping reduce stress and improve sleep.



## Uphall Uniform



Available to buy every other Thursday after school in the Sports Hall.