

WEEKLY BULLETIN



Where learning has no limits

Monday 28th January 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

YEAR 6 SPRING TERM WEEK 5

Week at a glance:

Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none">We shall be starting a unit of work on circles and their properties, moving on to look at composite shapes made from circles, semi-circles and quadrants. Children should be able to identify and name parts of a circle (the radius, diameter and circumference) and calculate them as well as determine the area of circles.
English	<ul style="list-style-type: none">This week we shall continue reading the classic children's novel 'Carrie's War' by Nina Bawden. Our writing will focus on the unfolding story and will involve personal diaries, recounts, play scripts, interviews and character descriptions.

Homework for this week:

	Homework out	Homework in
Monday	Spelling sentences to be written in homework books based on the word endings '-le' and '-el'. Spelling words to be learned ready for the spelling test on Friday.	Wednesday 30 th January
Tuesday	Design Technology- Shelters This term the children will be making a wooden model of a shelter. This week's task is to produce a design for the shelter, identify materials needed and plan out how to make it. Booklet to be provided.	Thursday 31 st January
Wednesday	Maths- Pie Charts Mathletics task set.	Friday 1 st January
Thursday	History- Ancient Greece. Research the appearance of people in Ancient Greece – their clothing, hair, shoes etc. How did they use fashion or hairstyles to distinguish themselves from others? Why is it likely that they wore togas rather than the style of clothing we have today?	Monday 4 th February
Friday	English- based on Carrie's War.	Tuesday 5 th February

Children are to write a book review when they have finished reading the novel. A template will be provided to help with this.

Spellings for this week:

Words based on the word endings '-le' and '-el'.

Group A	Group B	Group C
vegetable	bicycle	table
icicle	wrinkle	middle
available	thistle	battle
whistle	handle	puddle
variable	multiple	tickle
knuckle	possible	bottle
enable	scribble	eagle
barrel	scramble	castle
parallel	channel	swivel
enamel	swivel	model
towel	shrapnel	camel
carousel	tunnel	travel
cancel	squirrel	towel
snorkel	parallel	tunnel
shrapnel	snorkel	squirrel

Notes:

- I am delighted that we are now able to offer the class a visit to the County Court in Aylesbury at the end of term. This was an incredibly enlightening visit last year. More details to follow.

Yours sincerely,



Mr. C. Barnard