



# *Meadow Vale Primary School*

*Year 6*

*Parent Information*

*2023-2024*



## Class Teachers

Mrs Catherine Evans

Mr Jack Turner

Ms Helen McKay

## Teaching Assistants

Mrs Anna Bondos

Mrs Laura Freeman

Ms Derry

Mr Gilbert

Ms Saunders



# Day-to-Day

- Your child can bring a healthy snack to have at break time and a water bottle for the classroom.
- Wear PE kit to school on PE days (black shorts, white t-shirt, appropriate footwear, jewellery must be removed).
- PE Days:
  - 6T on Thursday and Friday
  - 6E on Monday and Wednesday
  - 6M on Monday and Friday
- Reading records & reading books to brought into school each day.



# Curriculum:

## Topics:

- Tale of Three Cities (Study of London, Bologna and Sao Paulo)
- In the Trenches (Topic looking at WW1)
- Behind Enemy Lines (Topic looking at WW2)
- It's all Greek to Me (Ancient Greeks)

## Spellings:

- Given out on Monday, tested on the following Monday

## Times tables:

- Tested twice a week

## Home learning:

- Reading, spellings (Spelling Shed) and times tables practice (TTRS). 1 piece of maths and English given on a Friday, to be handed in a week later.



# Secondary Schools

- Parents should receive an email from Bracknell Forest Local Authority with information on how to apply for a secondary school place.
- The deadline for submitting the applications is October half-term.
- Secondary schools will be offering tours on various dates this term. Please contact them to find out when they are running. Please let the office know if your child is attending one of these tours with you during school time.
- Secondary school offers are sent by Bracknell Forest on 1st March.



# Assessment

Formative assessment daily

Weekly spelling tests

Benchmarking of reading

End of Key Stage Two Assessments 13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> May

- Grammar and Punctuation Paper
- Spelling Paper
- Reading Paper
- Arithmetic
- Maths Reasoning 1
- Maths Reasoning 2



# E-Safety

- Mobile phones in school – to be given to an adult on arrival.
- Social media – please be aware of minimum age requirements for any social media apps you allow your child to access. *For example, did you know that WhatsApp has a minimum age requirement of 16?*



# Communication:

## Contact Points:

- Email the office who will forward on your email to the relevant member of staff.
- Teachers are available on the playground after school.
- There are TAs on the doors in the morning to pass on any emergency messages.
- Parent consultation evenings (October and February).