

**Welcome to Year 6
Elder Class**

Mrs Wilding

Behaviour

- o As in the rest of the school we expect all children to follow the behaviour code.
- o We aim to create a positive learning environment where certificates and house points may be given.
- o In addition, Golden Time is given weekly to reward positive behaviour.

Responsibilities

- Monitor roles
- Peer mediators
- Play leaders
- Role models

Things to remember

- o Uniform – on website and in school planner
- o PE kit – in school every day please but lessons will be Thursday and Friday
- o Pencil case containing:- handwriting pen, colouring pencils/white board pen/small ruler/rubber/pot sharpener
- o Inform school about absences and any changes to person collecting from school
- o Coats/rain jackets in school every day

Homework

- o My Maths every week to consolidate learning from lessons – they may need pencil and paper to do this
- o Another written activity covering a range of curriculum areas to be given out on Thursday and handed back in on a Wednesday
- o Homework Planner – to be signed each week (please sign agreements)
- o Children to hand planners in on a Thursday
- o Library day is Thursday

o Reading

Planners should be filled in by your child three times a week. Please continue to read with your child. They may be able to read it but with good questioning, you will ensure they have understood it too. **Handwriting pen** please to be used in planners.

o Really important to know times tables and corresponding division facts

o Any messages can go in planner – remind children to give to me please

o Wallet for homework sheets

o Homework club – Monday & Tuesday Lunch time

Spellings

- o 8 spellings per week chosen by the children
- o Children to write spellings in a sentence on sheet which goes home (on a Monday back on Thursday)
- o To be assessed in dictation form on Friday

Parent helpers

If you know anyone who would like to talk about Buddhism, Steam Engines or the Industrial revolution please get in touch.

SATS

- o Week Beginning: 14.05.17 May
- o Spelling and Grammar
- o Reading Paper
- o No mental maths test – arithmetic + 2 non calculator papers
- o Expectations are higher
- o They are important but we aim not to make them stressful for the children
- o Practice papers throughout the year
- o Please do not look at past papers online as this may give a false result!
- o Breakfast Club – we will be asking for volunteers closer to the time

Trips

Buckinghamshire Railway Centre

- o Wednesday 11th October 2017

- o £13

Kingswood

- o Monday 21st May 2018

- o Deposit letter will be going out shortly

- o £37 approx

Finally....

o Thank you for attending this evening!