**Year 6 Autumn Newsletter**

**Starling Class Teacher: Mr Fielden**

**LSAs: Miss Subha**

**Eagle Class Teacher: Mrs May**.

**LSAs: Mrs Askew**

**We are really excited to welcome you back to school and into Year 6. Moving to a new year group can sometimes be worrying but below is some information which we hope will make the next term easier.**

**P.E**

P.E and swimming will be on a Friday.

It is expected that all children will arrive at school in their kits.

P.E kit is:

Black PE Shorts

• Logoed PE T-Shirt, in Team Colour or a plain white t-shirt

• Suitable trainers for outdoors or plimsoles for indoors

• Plain black or navy tracksuit for PE outside in colder weather.

No jewellery allowed

Any problems, please speak to the class teacher.

**This term’s learning**

This term we will be reading: Rooftoppers, The Listeners and Dare to be You.

In maths, we will be learning and revising topics including place value, addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, fractions and converting units. We follow the White Rose Maths Scheme of Learning.

In our science lessons will be learning about electricity as well as animals including humans and the circulatory system.

In our history lessons will be learning about World War II and the Battle of Britain. In geography, we will be learning about physical processes including earthquakes, mountains and volcanoes.

We will be exploring Islam in RE and a topic looking at Being Me in My Own World in PSHE.

Please can you ensure your child has a water bottle and brings a healthy snack. Only healthy snacks of fruit are allowed at playtimes. Thank you.

**Home/school communication**

Class Dojo is our main form of communication is Class Dojo. You can message the class teacher and they will try to get back to you within 48 working hours. If you require further support, Mr Gooch is the KS2 Lead and he is available on Class Dojo.

Please watch out for Westfield’s Weekly Newsletter which is shared on Class Dojo every Friday with the latest news and dates.

**Home Learning Expectations**

Your child must read at home at least 3 times a week. Please sign their diary every time so their reads can be logged on our reading reward system.

Homework will be given out on a Monday and collected in the following Monday.

Reading books will be changed when quizzed and requested by the child.

If you would like to support your child further at home it would be helpful to read regularly for pleasure.

If you have any questions or we can help in any way, please do contact us. Many thanks