

Year 6 Newsletter 19.06.26

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope you are well and have all had a good week. This term's curriculum map (with more information about topics covered) can be found on our website on the 'curriculum' tab, then 'curriculum overview'.

This Week

It's been another busy week in year 6 this week with lots of rehearsals and we have made the most of the good weather with a rounders tournament. In history the children have learnt about the journey of the Titanic and in our transition sessions, they have been finding out how to read a secondary school timetable.

Charlie and the Chocolate Factory

Thank you to everyone who has helped with costumes. Most children have now brought their costumes into school. Please could they bring in any outstanding ones as soon as possible. Thank you.

Homework

We have seen some fantastic 'Come Dine With Me' recipes and meals this week. We're glad you all enjoyed the food your children cooked. Hopefully they tidied up after themselves and will cook for you again! We have also had some fantastic books in as part of the writing project. Please encourage your child to complete both of these tasks and bring them in as soon as possible.

Reading

It's really important for all of the children to keep reading! Please ensure your child's Reading Record is signed by an adult each week. Children should be reading every evening for at least 15 minutes and, where possible, to an adult. The children should record at least 5 entries per week, which should include the **page numbers they have read each time** and the title of the book they are reading. Please ensure that your child is recording the page numbers they have read so that we can see how much they are reading at home. All books can be changed during the class Library Session.

Transition

As well as the work we are completing in class linked to the transition to secondary school, there is also information about transition on the 'Parents' area of the school website which may be useful when discussing these changes with your child.

DT Afternoon

On Tuesday, the children will be creating a scene that incorporates a lighthouse. Please could they bring in any cardboard or other materials that they would like to use in their creation.

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Reminders/deadlines/ key dates for next week

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Juniper – Library Healthy lifestyles workshop Poplar – Gen Earth workshop	DT afternoon	Poplar – Library Poplar - PE Pine - PE Juniper – PE		Pine – Library

Upcoming Dates:

Monday 22 nd June	Parent/carer workshop – Oracy – 2-3pm
Monday 22 nd June	District Sport Competition
Tuesday 23 rd June	Whole School DT Challenge - afternoon
Thursday 25 th June	Open Evening – 3:35 – 4:30pm
Monday 29 th June	Year 6 dress rehearsal to the school
Tuesday 30 th June	Year 6 Leavers' Performance 6pm
Thursday 2 nd July	Year 6 Leavers' Performance 6pm
Thursday 2 nd July	British Values Day
Friday 3 rd July	Sports Day morning
Week beg 6 th July	Year 6 Isle of Wight Residential Journey
W/b 13 th July	Whole School Sports Week
Monday 13 th July	Whole School Empathy Day
Monday 13 th July	Year 6 Sorted Workshop
Tuesday 14 th July	Year 6 Kiss Workshop
Tuesday 14 th July	Music Ensemble to school am & to and parents/carers 5:30pm
Wednesday 15 th July	End of Year reports out to parents/carers
Thursday 16 th July	PTA Summer Fayre 3:30 – 5:30pm
Monday 20 th July	Year 6 BBQ and disco 5:00 – 7:00pm
Tuesday 21 st July	Last day of term for the children - terms ends at 12:30pm

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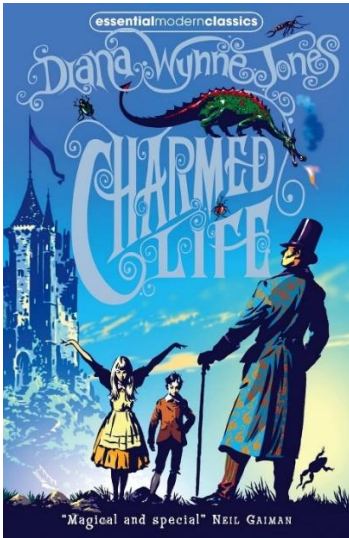
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Book Recommendation



This is a brilliant book with a fantastic ending and is sure to delight fans of Harry Potter. Gwendolyn Chant is very excited when she is sent to live in Chrestomanci's castle. Chrestomanci himself is a great sorcerer and Gwendolyn has been told many times that she is a great witch and she hopes that Chrestomanci will see her talent and teach her everything she needs to know. Her younger brother, Eric, however, is less keen on the arrangement as he too has to go to the castle and he knows that he has absolutely no magical talent at all!

However, Chrestomanci castle turns out to be very different from their expectations and they are both in for a shock.

Have a lovely weekend,

Miss Lawrence, Miss Jackman, Mr Goodchild

Costume List:

Willy Wonka – Long purple or red jacket; long trousers; smart shirt and bow tie; could have a waistcoat; top hat.

Charlie – Trousers, checked shirt, woolly jumper – all slightly scruffy e.g. ill-fitting or bit ripped.

Violet B - Purple tracksuit (ideally velour)

Veruca S – pretty dress

Mike T – long sleeved T-shirt (bright colour) Black gaming themed t-shirt, black casual trousers

Augustus G – red and white turtle neck long sleeved top – large size, dark blue jeans.

Narrators – black trousers and white shirt

Grandparents – Old fashioned night-shirts (long white shirt), white night caps, trousers

Grandpa Joe – as above plus an old-fashioned cardigan or jumper

Mr. Gloop – ideally German style lederhosen, checked shirt; alternatively checked shirt, smart brown shorts and braces

Mrs Salt – smart trousers and jacket with smart blouse

Mr Beauregarde – Purple or bright blue suit, shades

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Mrs Teavee – dress – 1960s/70s style

Mr Teavee – smart trousers, checked shirt, woolly jumper

Mr Bucket – casual checked shirt, cardigan/jerkin, trousers, - all slightly scruffy

Mrs Bucket – dress – slightly scruffy, dark colour

News reporter – trousers/skirt, shirt, tie,

Oompa Loompas – 1971 film style - Oompa-loompa costume or white trousers, brown long-sleeved t-shirt, green wig

Candy Men – black trousers, white shirt, woolly scarf and hat, fleece jacket

Children – jeans and t-shirt, coat

Squirrels – brown trousers and brown long-sleeved top, squirrel tail

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