

Barnardo Class (Year 6)

Summer 2, 2024 Newsletter



What we are learning

Here we are at the children's final half term as primary school pupils at Kirk Fenton. This half term promises to be as busy and exciting as ever, with a wide array of engaging learning experiences and activities planned for the next seven weeks. This week marks the beginning of auditions and rehearsals for our Year 6 leavers' production, "Porridge." This performance is always a highlight of the year, and we eagerly anticipate showcasing our talents in early July.

Although SATs are behind us, we still have plenty of thrilling learning opportunities ahead. In art, we will explore TingaTinga artwork from East Africa. In DT, students will build their own nightlights from recycled materials, using IT crumbles to program a variety of lights.

Following our Greek cooking day before the half-term break, we will conclude our Greek topic by creating persuasive holiday adverts for Greece and writing our leavers' poems for the end-of-year service. In maths, we will delve into financial literacy, learning about savings, mortgages, profit, and loss.

Our final science topic is electricity. Students will learn to build electrical circuits and use crumbles to enhance the construction of their nightlights. Finally, in PE, we hope to enjoy the sunshine outdoors, playing rounders and developing our athletics skills in preparation for sports day.

Let's make this final half term memorable and full of learning!

Our Value this half term is:



Year 1 transition

This half term the children will be visiting their secondary schools for two transition days. These are really valuable days and will give the children the opportunity to explore the school sites, meet their form and meet their new teachers. Even though this can be a daunting couple of days, previous cohorts have always come back to school buzzina with excitement for the new academic year. If you have any concerns or questions about secondary school transition, please get in touch.

PE Kits Days

Please send your child into school in their PE Kit on Thursdays and Fridays

Please ensure kits meet our uniform requirements (no wording or branding other than the school badge). As the days are hotter and the sun will be out, please send your children to school with suncream applied and a sunhat.

Dates for your diary

Monday 10/06 Class photos Friday 14/06 Non-Uniform Day for Chocolate Tombola Thursday 20/06 Picnic Lunch and Sports Day Friday 28/06 Kirk Fenton does Pride - dress in bright colours Saturday 29/06 Summer Fair Wednesday 03/07 and Thursday 04/07 Moving Up Days - children with their new teachers Friday 05/07 Open Classrooms 3pm Tuesday 09/07 2pm Y5/6 Production Wednesday 10/07 6pm Y5/6 Production Thursday 18/07 Disco after school Friday 19/07 Break up for summer

Homework

As the children approach their transition to secondary school I will be setting the children a piece of homework each week to mirror the expectations set by their new schools. These pieces of homework will cover a range of subjects and will always link to our learning in class. This will prepare the children for the change in September.

We are all one in Christ Jesus From Mr Priory and Mrs Lynn

