

## Welcome Back!

Dear Year 1 Parents and Carers,  
Welcome back to Term 6! We hope you all had a lovely half term and long bank holiday weekend. We hope you were able to enjoy seeing family, friends and the SUN at long last!

So, here we go, Term 6 and your child's final term with us – we can't believe we are here already! We are looking forward to a great final term, full of learning, but also full of fun!

## Changes within Living Memory



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## Dates for your diary

### June:

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> – Track Races  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Badgers Library visit  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> – Sports Day  
Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> – Parents Evening 1  
Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> – Owls Library visit  
Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> – Parents Evening 2

### July:

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> – Taster Day – children will spend the day with their new teacher.  
Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> – Westonbirt Trip (watch out for a letter!)  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> – Last day of term for children  
Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> – INSET day

## History

Thank you so much for completing a timeline with your child. These have been used to launch our topic and have already created so much conversation in our classes. Our topic this term has a history focus - we will be developing our understanding of chronology and using different sources of evidence to ask and answer questions about ways of life. We will be thinking about how lots of aspects of everyday life (including toys, telephones, technology, clothes etc.) have changed and developed over the last sixty years or so. If you, grandparents or other family members have any objects that you think would be of interest to us during this topic then please send us an email. As always emails need to go through Sarah Jones in the office who will then forward the email to us. [admin@christchurch.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@christchurch.wilts.sch.uk)

## English

When writing we will be applying all the punctuation and spelling rules that we have learnt in y1. Capital letters, full stops, suffixes – er / est/ es/ s/ ing/ ed.

We will also focus on editing skills, encouraging the children to make sure their writing makes sense before they bring it to show us.

We will revisit question marks as we ask the children to write questions for their grandparents to answer – watch this space!

We will continue with reading and spellings each week.

## Maths

In maths we will be counting in 2's, 5's and 10's (forwards and backwards!) as well as recognising a range of 2D and 3D shapes, finding halves and quarters of shapes and quantities and learning to tell the time to each hour and half hour.

If you are able, practising telling the time at home would really help to embed this learning!