

Dear Parents,

We are writing to introduce ourselves to you as we look forward to teaching your children in September. The class teachers for Year 6 next year will be:

Class name and room number	Teacher
SC6 (Room 1)	Miss Cunningham
CG6 (Room 2)	Miss Gardiner
TR6 (Room 3)	Mr Rolfe

We are very privileged to be working alongside Mrs Walker, Mrs Osborne and Mrs Anthes. All three LSAs are experienced and highly skilled in developing our children as lifelong learners. Miss L'Enfant will also be working with the year group and will be used to cover release time for both Miss Cunningham and Miss Gardiner.

We will be continuing to use 'Class Dojo', an app to support positive classroom management and create effective communication with parents instead of home school diaries. Each teaching member of staff in Year 6 has access to this and can reward the children with points; however, we can also remove points. When the children reach the target number of points, they will earn a class reward. As parents, you are able to see what points your child has earned or had removed each week and there is also the ability to directly message the class teacher within the app. This is a confidential method of communicating with the Year 6 staff and each teacher has their own, private account.

We hope it will be an exciting year ahead with many engaging and memorable learning opportunities for the children. In order to give you as much notice as possible, we have put together a list of dates and an estimate of the costs for trips and events that will be taking place over the course of the year.

The projects are as follows:

Ancient Greece (Autumn 1 Project)

Event	Date	Price
Ancient Greece workshop	7.9.18	£4.79
Second deposit required for PGL	8.10.18	£65.00

It is likely we will be invited to watch the school production at Wildern School during this half term. There is usually no cost to attend this.

The Eighth Wonder of the World (Autumn 2 Project)

Event	Date	Price
Hook: Architect visit *Date to be confirmed	6.11.18*	-
Children's presentation to a school governor *Date to be confirmed	11.12.18*	-
Celebration: Presentation to parents	13.12.18	-

Viage a Mexico! (Spring Term Project)

Event	Date	Price
Final balance required for PGL	7.1.2019	£125.00 tbc
Hook: Mexicolore workshop	9.1.19	£5.62
PGL meeting	16.1.19	
PGL residential trip	11.3.19 – 15.3.19	-
SATs Meeting	20.3.19	-
Celebration: Living Museum	2.4.19	-

It is likely that we will be offered the opportunity to attend the Think Safe trip, led by the county council during this half term however, details for this have not yet been released.

Let's go outside! (Summer 1 Project)

Event	Date	Price
SATs week	13.5.19 – 16.5.19	-
Trip to the Natural History Museum, London *Date to be confirmed	17.5.19*	£15.00 approx

Achieve (Summer 2 Project)

Event	Date	Price
Final leavers show at The Berry Theatre *Date to be confirmed	16.07.2019*	Donations only
Final Leavers Assembly	23.07.2019	-

Further details and timings of events will be issued in due course.

The estimated total cost of the trips for the year will be **£26.00** per child, excluding the residential. This may change slightly depending on whether the cost of petrol increases or decreases.

We do hope that you and the children enjoy a happy, safe and fun-filled summer holiday and we very much look forward to working with you and your children in September.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Cunningham

Miss Gardiner

Mr Rolfe