

# Snapshots of the Week

## Week: 3<sup>rd</sup> June to 7<sup>th</sup> June

This week in **Year 5** we have been exploring 'Great Greeks' and using this to enhance our writing skills. We have learnt about the different Greek Gods and have really enjoyed learning about history!

This week in **Year 6** we have been investing and reporting on 24th August 79 AD, when disaster struck the city of Pompeii. The children have chosen to use some excellent emotive vocabulary!

### YEAR 7

**MATHEMATICS:** Year 7 have begun to revise and extend their knowledge of problem solving involving measures. Their attitude towards their GL assessment has been very good so far!

**SCIENCE:** Y7 have started their Earth topic and have been finding out about the layers within the Earth before they study igneous, metamorphic and sedimentary rocks. The rock cycle will be used to link the rock types together.

### LUNCH CLUBS!

We are **VERY** lucky to have some fabulous staff members who have given up their lunch break to provide additional opportunities for our pupils.

**Mon:** Art Club/ Y5 Minecraft

**Tues:** Cross Stitch KS2

**Wed:** Colouring Club

**Thurs:** Textiles KS2/ Music every other week/ Y6 Minecraft

**Fri:** Lego Club/ KS3 Minecraft

Children are welcome to attend to these clubs to learn some new skills!

### YEAR 8

**MATHEMATICS:** Y8 have begun to revise and extend their knowledge of calculating with ratio and proportion.

**SCIENCE:** Year 8 started an Earth topic this week with the focus being the resources found within the Earth's crust. We have been busy extracting copper using carbon and linking this method to the blast furnace. Electrolysis has also been introduced as an extraction technique and we have used copper sulphate as a source of copper.

### VIRTUAL REALITY!!

Mr Rose and Mrs Goulding have been on an absolute MISSION! The goal was to provide an educational VR experience for every pupil in the whole school... not only did they achieve this but at a hugely discounted price of £11 per pupil for a 2 hour experience. Y7 were the first to go and they have loved it! Up next Y8!



### Upcoming Events .....

**10<sup>th</sup> June Sports Day – Field Events (Pupils only)**

**11<sup>th</sup> June Year 8 Leaver's Photographs**

**13<sup>th</sup> June Sport Day – Track Events!**

**Week beginning 17<sup>th</sup> June – VR Visits for Year 8!**

**21<sup>st</sup> June Summer Fayre**

**2<sup>nd</sup> July Y6 Harry Potter Trip**

### After School Clubs!

<b>Tues</b>	Tennis KS3 Rounders KS3
<b>Wed</b>	Athletics KS3 Cricket KS2
<b>Thurs</b>	Athletics KS2
<b>Friday</b>	Tennis KS2 Volleyball – All years Acro gymnastics

### Excellent Events!

**Brontie has been picked to ride for the England Team at the European championships in Ireland for pony mounted games.**



At this time of year it is very the children are accessing the field more frequently. Therefore we just wanted to make you aware of the potential risk of ticks. We are fortunate enough to have deer visit us at school but they often carry ticks and we have had cases of ticks attaching themselves to pupils. We will endeavour to your children safe from ticks.



### Reminders...

As we head into the Summer Term there are a few things that start to slip! We would be grateful if you could work with us to ensure all pupils are:

- Wearing plain grey or black socks
  - Hair bands, ties or scrunchies should be blue, black or grey
  - Skirts need to be an appropriate length and not rolled up
  - All children should be using a handwriting pen in school – no bios.
- THANK YOU 😊