

Friday 24th March 2017

## Year 6 letter

Dear Parents,

This week in English, the children used computers to write short recounts, they began to write non-chronological reports and they have worked hard to revise word classes in SPaG. In maths, practice SATs tests were completed and gone through. It was clear that children were not confident finding the area of compound shapes, triangles and parallelograms, so we worked on this area. In RE, we considered the difficult question, "What do you need to sustain you?" We considered physical, emotional and spiritual needs. Tradecraft work continued in Geography and I hope that the children will all be baking away next week, ready for their Tradecraft Exchange event on Thursday.

### PGL meeting

It was great to see so many parents at the meeting on Tuesday. Don't worry if you were unable to attend - your child should have brought home all the information for you. Please don't forget to complete and return the two important health forms from the pack. Also, please remember that the children do not have to come into school on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

Thank you to all the mums who stayed after the PGL meeting to discuss leavers' events. It's great to have so many people to share the load and I know the children will have a great end to their time at our school.

### Teacher of the Week

Archie was a fantastic teacher this week. We found out all about his hobby of kayaking. He had a great presentation, including a video of his first capsized attempt. He spoke clearly and asked questions to engage the audience. The children enjoyed his quiz and we all got very competitive about how quickly we could complete his wordsearch!

### Home learning

The children have an arithmetic test to complete this weekend, to be returned to school on Monday please.

Best wishes,

Louise Grinstead