



## Primary 7!

### Primary 7 Term 4 Newsletter

#### *A MESSAGE FROM MRS. BERRY*

I can't quite believe this is my last newsletter of P7 this session. This is a very busy and exciting term for all of us and your child is reaching an important stage in their life - the end of primary school! It is vital that all pupils remember that our expectations of them remain high and they should continue to work hard as they have all year. We will share information regarding end of term events in due course.

Well done to all those P7s who have remained prefects over the past two years! Your help with the younger children in school has been a real help and we hope that you have enjoyed it.

Members of the Learning Council, Eco Committee, tech team and all of P7 as buddies have been a real asset to the school community. It will not be the same without you!

Thank you to all of you, as parents and carers, for your support to myself and the learners that make up P7. Good luck to all in the future 😊

#### **HWB**

This term began with our whole school Health Week where we participated in a variety of physical activities, as well as practicing our CPR skills. The theme of the week was Personal Safety and this linked in very well with our learning from the Risk Factory. In our own class this term, P7 will be learning about substance misuse. As outlined in the letter sent home, P7s are to understand the effect that a range of substances, including drugs and alcohol, can have on the body. They are to also understand how those substances can affect people's ability to make decisions and the impact it can have on family and friends.

#### **Literacy**

This term P7 will be applying their knowledge and understanding of reading to designing a novel study for the middle stages. We will also be working on consolidating our writing skills to ensure we are ready for S1 English.

#### **Numeracy**

Our topic work on the Olympics, later in the term, will lend itself well to developing our understanding of measure. The maths transition papers for high school will also take place this term. Following that we will be consolidating several of our maths and numeracy skills to prepare for S1.

#### **Homework**

We've spent a lot of time talking about the importance of homework in high school and being able to stay on top of it all. Some of the pupils have started getting editing homework, in replace of spelling words, as this will be of great help to high school.

#### **Benmore**

For those pupils attending camp in May, please ensure all of your important forms, monies and medicines are handing in to the office. All due dates are clearly marked on the information sent home. Not long to go now!

#### **Important Points**

Please keep up the good example you are setting with school uniform! Please ensure you dress appropriately with outdoor clothing as well. Remember, bring in a bottle of water to help keep you hydrated!