

Sixth Form 2 Group Update

Dear Parents/Carers

In this flyer you will find information about some of the topics we will be working on this term, and ways in which you can support their learning at home.

What we will do in school...

PSHE and Life Skills

We are practicing using public transport to a variety of places, looking at timetables and using bus cards. We will visit a variety of shops for different purposes and cafes. This term students will go to the gym to follow a fitness routine weekly. We will be going to Moulton College this term to do Floristry.

Functional Literacy

We are transferring literacy skills to everyday life skills, recognising important key words, signs and symbols when out in the community to help us stay safe. Pupils will be encouraged to communicate their own ideas and preferences on how to stay safe.

Functional Numeracy

We are focusing on time this term, recognising when it is time for specific activities throughout the day and telling the time using analogue and digital clocks.

Creativity

After our successful film documenting our transition to our new class last term, we will be making a music video this term

Functional ICT

Using ICT to find information on local services and places of interest in our local community to make tourist guides. Students will use self service machines in shops and library.

What you could do together at home...

Talk about a variety of public places you visit and their uses. Experience a variety of visits to local public places, e.g shops, bank, café.

Encourage the pupil to make breakfast/lunch/drinks/help with dinner or jobs in the home as much as possible.

Reinforce key words used as labels and signs out in the community e.g toilet signs, shop names, road signs, information signs, people who can help.

Any occasions where you can encourage your child to look at the time, using clocks, wearing a watch, looking at TV guides.

Ask your child to show you some dance moves at home. Look at the 'Uptown Funk' music video at home to learn dance together and search for costumes. Practice using a camera/phone camera.

Supporting the use of ICT in any context would be helpful. For some this could be mobile phones, for others it could be searching for items on the internet and accessing other forms of ICT in the community.



Gym every Wednesday

Please send a PE kit (any comfortable shorts, T-shirt and appropriate footwear) and wash bag with towel, shower gel, and deodorant.

Spare Clothes

Through sessions at the allotment, art and other activities, there may be occasions when a spare set of clothes are needed to be kept in school. Please send a spare set of clothes that can be kept in the individual's locker, in case they should need to change.



Home-School Book

We will try to write in the home-school book regularly to let you know about anything non-routine, how your child has been, and anything else we think you would like to hear about their day. We will also put important letters in the book. **Please read the book every day.**

Please feel free to write what your child has been up to at home, any new achievements and any concerns or questions you may have. If your child has missed breakfast, or had a bad night's sleep - please let us know so that we can care for them accordingly.

Thank you for taking the time to read this flyer. If you have any other queries, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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