



St Nicholas C.E Primary Academy

Year 6 – The Prophets

Term 6 Newsletter



As we enter the final term of the year, we have lots of exciting and memorable experiences and opportunities for the Prophets. We have a wonderful term full of learning ahead of us and we are looking forward to seeing your children show curiosity in their new subjects and continuing to shine their light!

As always, please remember if you ever have anything you would like to discuss or query please come and see us at the classroom door or send us a message using the contact form on our class page on the school website: <https://www.bostonstnicholas.co.uk/>

Miss Taylor and Miss Holman

Topic – Dynamic Dynasties

This term we will be exploring the Shang Dynasty, which is the earliest ruling dynasty in the recorded history of China. The Shang Dynasty reigned during China's Bronze Age, from c1600 to c1046 BC, and were known for their advances in bronze-work, silk manufacture, jade carving and military technology.



In our **Science** lessons, our focus is classification. We will be looking at what classification means and then explore the ways in which animals (vertebrates and invertebrates), plants and microorganisms are grouped based on their shared characteristics.

In **RE**, we will be continuing our exploration of life journeys across different religions. We will use our knowledge of different beliefs to understand why ceremonies and traditions are in place.

In **Maths**, we will complete our learning by reconsolidating our knowledge. Later in the term we will embark on some mathematical projects which will show your child real-world applications of the skills they have learnt.

In **English**, we will be focusing on editing and improving our writing and making sure our pieces are cohesive. In addition, we will be writing narratives and discussion texts. We will also focus on spoken English by preparing debates and reciting poems.

PE

Our PE days are **Tuesdays and Fridays**. On these days, children should **come to school in their full PE uniform** as we will not be changing at school. Please make sure that earrings are removed before school or that you provide tape so that your child may tape them up for the lesson. Please make sure on this day that children are warm in their PE uniforms by ensuring they have a **plain black or navy tracksuit top / jumper** (they may wear their regular school jumper).

Be Prepared

We aim to spend as much time as possible outside therefore children need to **bring a coat with them every day** (just in case). Also, please ensure your child **brings a bottle of water** to school as it is important that they stay hydrated so that they can stay focused.

Home learning

Homework will be set each Friday and should be completed by the following Thursday. This includes accessing Times Table Rockstars and Nessy for 10 minutes daily, alongside their daily reading.

Reading

We have really enjoyed hearing about the amazing books the children have been reading. Please continue encouraging your child to read regularly and to talk about what they are reading; this could be a book review, a sketch of their favourite setting, or whatever they choose!

Keep up to date on the exciting things happening in our class...

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