



St Nicholas Church School

Welcome Meeting Information

Year 6



Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope that your child has enjoyed their first few weeks in Hartlake Class. This letter provides some of the key bits of information from our Welcome Meeting.

Hartlake Class Staff

Teacher: Miss Sampson (Monday – Wednesday) Mr Handson (Thursday & Friday)

Teaching Assistants: Miss Foreman

Reading

Your child needs to read at least 3 times a week but ideally every day. Every time they read, please fill in their reading record. Reading Records are checked every morning and reading books will be changed as needed.

PE Kits

Our PE lessons are on a Wednesday and Friday. Please make sure your child comes in PE kit on these days. Please ensure the PE kit follows our Uniform policy.

Pick up

Parents need to let your teacher know if you are being collected by somebody different at the end of the day. Please do this by leaving a note in your child's Home Communication book.

Homework

Please see the homework policy on our website for more details

Year Group	Home Learning Focus
Reception (YR)	Daily reading and phonics practice .
Years 1 & 2	Daily reading and phonics practice . We hope to reintroduce Numbots in the future to help children secure and recall basic number facts.
Years 3, 4, 5	Daily reading and regular practice on Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) to develop fluency and rapid recall of multiplication facts.
Year 6	Daily reading , regular use of Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) , and CGP Revision Books from January until SATs to support preparation and build confidence.

Art Shirts

Please provide your child with an old t-shirt for art. This needs to be big enough to go over their own clothes.

Water Bottles

Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school. This bottle will need to come home at the end of each day to be cleaned.

Stationery

We provide all the stationery your child will need in school. In year 6 your child is allowed to bring a pencil case from home – however these need to be small and only contain essential stationery – a pencil, ruler, purple pen and coloured pencils if they wish. If pencil cases are too bulky or are causing problems in school we will ask that they stay at home. Thank you for your support with this.

We are all excited about the academic year ahead. We are looking forward to the many fun learning opportunities we have planned, and we can't wait to help your child progress.

Many thanks

Miss Sampson and Mr Handson