# u P d a t e



### January 2020

Primary 7 had a very busy and successful end to 2019! As we enter the second half of P7 we have lots more exciting events and work to look forward to.

#### Homework

For homework this term we will be using grids to give pupils choice over their activities.

In reading pupils will now choose their own personal reading book from home. Once they have completed this they should write a short summary and review of the book.

Later in the term they will be completing their personal project at home. More details of this will be sent nearer the time.

## <u>Trips</u>

This term we have a cycle trip and a are currently planning a trip in relation to our WW2 topic.

Dates for these trips will be confirmed in separate letters.

#### Maths

In maths this term we will be covering the topics of money, angles, algebra and properties of 2D shape. We will also be carrying out another rotation of problem solving activities across the two P7 classes.

#### Literacy

In writing we will be focusing on creative writing and poetry. We will be writing pieces relating to our WW2 topic. We will be reading the class novel 'The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas'. In reading we will be focusing on the skills of reading for information.

#### Topic

World War 2 is our topic this term. We will be studying important events, people, the role of women during the war and the effect it had on people locally and around the world.

In addition to this Primary 7 will be carrying out a child-led enquiry project. They will be given a broad subject and will be choosing how they approach this and their strategies for investigating and exploring the topic.

#### PΕ

PE will be on a Tuesday and Wednesday. If your child is unable to take part in PE please send in a note or contact the school office.