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Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope you and your families have had a lovely half term and have returned ready for Spring.

During the Spring 2 term, we will have many focus areas in English and Maths. In Maths we will be focusing on fractions, decimals and percentages as well as volume and statistics. In English, our writing (character description, narratives and non-chronological reports) will be based on a fictional story called "Eye of the Wolf" which is set in Africa, linking to our Geography unit.

We will be continuing our current topic in Science: Animals Including Humans, which in year 6 focusses on the circulatory system.

In our foundation subjects, we will be starting a number of new topics. We will be moving from History to Geography and will be studying biomes and the tropics, with a particular focus on Africa. In Art, we will be doing a unit to improve collaging skills based on an artist called Lub Lukoba. We will also continue to play the clarinet with our specialist teacher Mr Roman!

The PE days for year 6 will stay the same: **6G - Thursday and Friday**, **6I - Wednesday and Thursday** and **6P - Monday and Wednesday**. Children need to ensure they have the right kit for these days. They will need: a white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers or plimsolls. For outdoor PE, the children may wear black tracksuit bottoms or leggings and may wear their school jumper over the top of their PE kit as we understand the weather could be cold. For indoor PE, we will be continuing with dance and outdoor PE sessions will be tag rugby.

In order to support your children, please continue to read with them at home and evidence this in their reading record at least three times a week. Please also help them complete their homework, which will be set on a Friday and due the following Friday. Also, please continue to bring your child to school on time in order to ensure they are receiving every minute of education on offer in the school day.

Many thanks,

Miss Van Haften, Miss Insole and Miss O'Connor

