



# Welcome to Hyde!

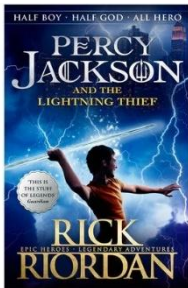
Term 6

Dear Hyde Class Parents,

I cannot believe we are in the final term of the year; it does not seem five minutes since we came together in September and talked about the whole year. It is important that we take time to celebrate the incredible journey our Year 6 children have been on. Their hard work, resilience, and enthusiasm have made this year truly special and we are very proud of everything they have achieved. With exciting events ahead—including the leavers' assembly, rounders vs parents and transition preparations for secondary school—it's a time of reflection and celebration. Thank you for your continued support in making this year a memorable one for everyone!

## Curriculum

In **English**, we will be using text-based writing and exploring the book '**Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief**' by **Rick Riordan** to inspire a diary entry, newspaper report and a balanced argument.



**Mathematics** this term is based around mini projects bringing together all aspects of maths. Our first project is around gathering and comparing ingredients for baking cakes to sell. This covers ratio and proportion, the four operations when comparing prices and converting between grams and kilograms.

Our **topic** this term is **History** based and is gaining an understanding of '**Ancient Greece**'. We will explore what life was like in Ancient Greece and the

influence Ancient Greece had on the rest of the world.



**Science** focuses on '**Changing and classifying materials**'. This will be exploring different materials and how they change in different situations, how materials can be separated or changes reversed.



Alongside these exciting lessons and subjects, we will also be exploring new ideas in RE (Judaism and the rites of passage), Music, DT (creating phone cases using sewing skills), MFL, PE (Athletics) and PHSE (Money and Growing and Changing).



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## Reading

Please ensure your child brings in their **Reading Record** and current reading book to school **every day** as this will enable us to monitor your child's reading development and progress throughout the term. To encourage reading at home, we will also be awarding **five** Dojo points each day to any child that has read at home and has had their reading record signed. We will still be using accelerated reader and will do our star reader quizzes on return to school to determine your child's new ZPD score. To encourage the love of reading, children can read a book from home as well as their schoolbook. If they complete a book at home, we will always look to see if there is an accelerated reader quiz to go with it. In year 6, the ownership is on the children, they will choose their own schoolbook from the library within their ZPD score range.



## Physical Education (P.E)

This term **PE** will be on a **Monday** and **Thursday** afternoon, we will be focusing on Cricket. Please ensure your child has a complete P.E. kit (white T-shirt and blue/black shorts) in school suitable for both indoor and outdoor PE i.e. tracksuit bottoms. As items of clothing are regularly 'misplaced', please ensure each item of clothing is clearly labelled.

Please **ensure children have a PE kit in school all week** as there may be times when PE kit is required on non-PE days, it also helps towards any clubs children do if they forget their clothes for a club.

## Homework

Homework will still be set on **Friday** and is due in the following **Wednesday**. Each child will receive Maths, English and spellings each week. Spelling tests will be on a Friday.

## Diary Dates

PTFA Leavers disco – 14<sup>th</sup> July  
KS2 production afternoon – 16<sup>th</sup> July 1.30pm  
KS2 production evening – 16<sup>th</sup> July 5.30pm  
Church leavers service – 17<sup>th</sup> July  
Rounders vs parents – 17<sup>th</sup> July 10:45am  
Leavers assembly – 22<sup>nd</sup> July

## Class Dojo

I look forward to sharing news and photographs with you over the term through our class page.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions at all.

Yours sincerely,

*Mr Shaw (Class Teacher), Mrs Carr (1:1) and Miss Kemp (1:1).*

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