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Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We hope you have had an enjoyable and relaxing summer and are fully refreshed for the start of a new school year. It is undoubtedly going to be an incredibly busy and interesting term for your children. We are exploring our new enquiry 'Time Travellers' linked to the Aztecs and the Tudors. We are all eager to begin the teaching and learning to support the children's curiosity and, as you can see from our enquiry web, we have a very exciting term ahead of us!

There will be a Year 6 welcome meeting on **Monday 11th September** for 20 minutes after school, during which we will explain our expectations for the year and answer any questions you may have. Please come to the Year 6 classrooms at 3.00pm.

Just a few reminders:

- Please ensure that your child always brings a water bottle to school.
- Please also ensure that children remember to keep their correct PE kit (plain coloured house T-shirt, dark shorts or tracksuit bottoms, jumper or sweatshirt, socks, trainers or daps) in school for the whole week as there may be additional activities or changes in session times. Children wishing to be excused from PE will need a note from home.
- Homework will be set termly during the first week of term and will be shared and celebrated in class in the last week of term. In Year 6, we have high expectations of children with regards to homework and we ask that every child completes their homework to the high standards expected in class. Please also continue to encourage your child to read a selection of different genres at home and write a comment in their reading record after doing so.
- Please also remember that homework and any class messages will be on the website as well as handed out and being on the class doors.

We are here to support you and your children through a very important year, please come and see us if you have any questions or worries.

Here's to an exciting first term of the new school year! Many thanks for your continued support,

Miss Wilson, Mrs Ledwitch and Miss Gerrard