

Just to let you know

Library Books

There are over £1000 worth of library books overdue in Year 6. We have read the list of overdue books to the children and had just a few books back. Therefore, Geraldine will be sending reminder letters home this week- please ensure that you sign these letters. We will be asking for a fee to cover the replacement of unreturned books.

Topic

This week the children watched a Victorian couple discussing the difficult decision about whether they should stay in the countryside or move to the city for the Industrial Revolution. The children then wrote an entry in their Victorian journals presenting the argument and finally summarising their own opinion on the matter. Ask your child about the pros and cons of leaving village countryside life and moving to the city.

Dates

14th June- HT Summer Fair 6-8pm
17th-21st June- Preston Montford Trip
24th June- Midsummer Holiday

Dear Parents,

We hope you all had an enjoyable and restful half term break! Final preparations for our trip to Preston Montford are underway and we are very much looking forward to our trip to Shropshire. We have sent another copy of the kit list home this week so please ask your child if you haven't seen this yet!

Maths

At the start of the week the children learned about the following imperial measures which were used in the Victorian era:

Length- inch, feet, yards and miles
Mass- ounces, pounds, stones and tons
Volume- gills, pints, quarts and gallons

Later in the week, we introduced our new maths project- to design a Victorian steam fair. The children have been given a loan from the bank with which they must plan and design a steam fair. They must think about the rides and facilities required to make their venture successful. They must also keep within their budget and keep track of their spending in their accountant's ledger (maths book!) . Please ask your child about their Victorian steam fair!