**P6 January Newsletter**

It’s been great to see all of P6 back after Christmas rested, relaxed and ready to work!

Here is some information about the upcoming term.

We would like any parent helpers who are free on Friday morning from 10.45-11.30 for food technology starting 22/1/16

After the Easter holidays we are organising a World Of Work week (19-22nd April) and would like to invite any parents to come in and talk about their jobs and answer questions

**Useful Information**

School website

<http://cramondprimary.co.uk/category/classes/primary-2/>

Sumdog website

<http://www.sumdog.com/>

Bug Club login

<https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0>

Teacher contact emails

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**Literacy**

Literacy in P6 this term covers:

* the children are relating their writing to our space topic e.g. poster, poetry, comprehension skills, newspaper articles, imaginative and factual writing and editing
* we are looking at grammar skills including plurals and irregular plurals
* we will deliver group presentations on the planets we are researching
* we will share our home learning and wider achievements

**Numeracy**

Numeracy in P6 this term covers:

* the children are now looking at decimals and percentages and matching them to fractions.
* maths topics this term include measurement, money, data analysis
* we will continue to extend oral/written number work, providing support as well as challenge.
* we will tie all this in to maths in the wider world

**Other topics**

We have begun a science topic on Earth and Space which will continue until Feb holiday. We have a workshop lined up from the Museum of Flight.

Feb – Easter we will be looking at our HWB topic Living and Growing.

We are all researching information about Europe as we support our team who are studying the facts and figures for the Euroquiz.

We are going to be learning songs to lead the Easter Service.

**Reminders**

P.E. days remain the same. P6 on Mondays and Wednesdays. Please have a change of shoes and P.E. kit

Please make sure you have a warm waterproof jacket as we are regularly outdoors

Please bring your reading book every day

Please ensure your child has a water bottle.

Please check jotters for home learning – weekly tasks and home learning wall and JASS sheets for every Friday.