

# NEWSLETTER



## KS2 Class Information - Term 1

After a long summer relaxing, it is finally time to get back to school and get some hard work done. This term, our topic is '*Frozen Kingdom*'. We have lots of fun and exciting areas of learning within this topic. For example, within science we'll look at changes of state – focusing particularly on the creation of ice. In geography we shall be researching similarities and differences in the Arctic and Antarctic regions, which shall involve us working in research teams and presenting our findings back to the class.

### Important Information for this term:

#### PE:

- Year 5 and 6 children have swimming every Tuesday during this term. Please remember to bring their swimming gear to school on this day.
- All children within the school shall be having 'boxercise' classes led by JB Sports every Wednesday – PE kits required.
- As always, we have PE for an hour every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon. Please have PE kits in school for these days.

#### Golden Time:

- Every Friday afternoon before assembly, children will be rewarded for their hard work in the week with up to 30 minutes of free 'golden' time. In return, we encourage children to read at home at least 3 times a week. Even if only for 10 minutes, regular opportunities to read to loud can improve confidence and fluency. Every time your child does read, put your signature in their home school diary.

#### Homework:

- Children are given homework every Friday to take home. All homework set for children supports learning that has occurred in class. We have informed children that we like to have homework back in school every Wednesday. If children have any questions regarding their homework, feel free to speak to any of the KS2 team.

**If you have any questions or you have to contact me for any reason, feel free to speak to me after school. Alternatively, you can contact me at [enquiries@bucknall.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@bucknall.lincs.sch.uk) where all emails shall be passed to me directly.**