



Furzeham Primary and Nursery School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

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Happy New Year and welcome back to the new term, we hope you all had a restful Christmas Holiday. This term, like any other, will be a busy one again!

Your child has already had some experience of the SATs papers (last term's assessments) and they will continue to do so this term as well. Intervention groups will be continuing in the afternoons for those children who are not yet working at the expected standard. There will also be two nights of boosters starting next week, Maths will be on a Tuesday and English will be on a Thursday. There will be a parent meeting about the SATs on Tuesday 10th January at 3.30 in Miss Wilkinson's room (no boosters that night).

Our topic this term is "World War II". We will be focusing on the causes of the war, the allies and axis countries, evacuees as well as the holocaust. In the second half of the term we will be looking at how Brixham played a major part in the war effort. As part of our English focus we will be writing some war poetry too.

As ever, it is vitally important that your child completes any Home Learning task set and brings it in on time. Your child will continue to use the work books for both Maths and English Home Learning, please make sure these are kept in good condition, we use them as a revision aid towards SATs as they cover everything that is in the papers. Expectations for taking responsibility for their own school books are high as we prepare your child for secondary school.

We thank you in advance for your support and look forward to another successful term.

Regards,

The Year 6 Team