HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY



Pound Avenue Stevenage Hertfordshire SG1 3JA

Headteacher: Mr Robert Staples BA (Hons) Assistant Headteachers: Mrs Hayley Yendell, Miss Michelle Bridge & Miss Emma Verlander Tel: (01438) 351053 Fax: (01438) 750116 E-mail: admin@fairlands.herts.sch.uk www.fairlands.herts.sch.uk





Year 5/6 Autumn Term 2 2011

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of <u>Conflict</u>!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:

- High flying trip to RAF Hendon
- Re-enacting the drama of a World War 1 trench
- Building 'bomb-proof' shelters
- Investigating the best blackout materials
- Learning how Stevenage was affected during the World Wars
- Writing war poems
- Producing persuasive propaganda posters
- Discussing how to resolve everyday conflicts

Your child needs your help and involvement! Please get involved by:

- **Take your child to the library & get books and resources about the topic**
- □ Find out if you had any relatives who were affected by war
- □ Discuss Remembrance Day
- □ Watch the news and discuss world events

What does your child know about Conflict?

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening? Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be will be learning about <u>RACE AND DIVERSITY</u>.

SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of <u>GETTING ON AND FALLING OUT</u>.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a *daily* basis.

	Homework	Due in
MONDAY		
TUESDAY		
WEDNESDAY		
THURSDAY		Homework due in
FRIDAY	Homework will be given out	

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
Skills 7 Football	Mondays 3.20 – 5.00pm
Apps Club	Mondays 3.30 – 4.30pm
Credit Union	Tuesdays 3.15pm
KS2 Gymnastics Club	Tuesdays 3.30 – 4.30pm
KS2 Street Soccer	Wednesdays 3.30 – 4.30pm
Year 5/6 Football Training	Thursdays 3.30 - 4.30pm
Upper Building Games Library	Fridays 3.15pm
KS2 Dodge Ball	Fridays 3.30 – 4.30pm

Forthcoming Events		
Closing Date for	Monday 31 st October	
Secondary School Applications		
Enterprise Week	w/c 31 st October	
Fairlands Fathers	Monday 14 th November 7.30 – 9.30pm	
Parent Forum	Thursday 17 th November	
Diversity Celebration	w/c 21 st November	
Christmas Post Box Out	w/c 28 th November	
Christmas Celebration	Wednesday 14 th December	
KS2 Talent Show	Thursday 15 th December	
End of Term	Friday 16 th December 2.15pm	