



## Wensum Junior School - An Evolution Academy Trust School

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### Meet the Year 6 Team

Dear families,

We are sorry that we cannot meet you in person but we hope that you can get to know us and the expectation for year 6.

### Year 6 team

Below, each member of the year 6 team has written a little a small introduction about themselves.



My name is Alix Lewis and I am the teacher for Dragon class. I have been teaching at Wensum since 2015 and this is my third year in Year 6. I am also the Maths lead. In my spare time, I study Japanese and go to the gym.

I am Paul Wickens and I have the pleasure of teaching Sphinx Class this year. When I am not busy teaching at Wensum, I love to go running and play on my guitar. I am currently reading David Walliams' latest book *Ice Monster* (with my 12 year old son!).



My name is Michelle and I am the year 6 TA. I have worked at Wensum for two years although I also volunteered for several years before this whilst my own children were pupils at the school and liked it so much I stayed. At home I enjoy watching movies and reading with my children and grandson.

Hi, I'm Mark and I have been teaching at Wensum for nearly twenty years and enjoying it more than ever. I live locally and love nothing more than seeing children progress and develop through school and contribute to our local community. I get great pleasure from bumping into ex-students and chatting about how they are getting on. In my spare time I enjoy walking, cycling, camping and travelling, art and history.



## Autumn Term

In the Autumn term, we will be slowly easing our way back into full time learning.

- In maths, we will cover place value and operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division).
- In English, we will be looking at the text 'A Monster Calls' and writing our own short story openings based on the book.
- This term we are working as scientists and will be exploring the topic of energy usage.

## Home- school agreement

In year 6, we expect children to read everyday. Currently, we are not excepting reading records into school but have set up a weekly online reading record via Seesaw. If your child struggles to read with an adult, we encourage them to record themselves reading so we can watch and help support them.

After October half term, weekly homework will be published via Seesaw in order to start preparing children for high school. This will include maths, spellings and reading. We encourage children to have a go independently, and to leave a comment if they struggle. All work should take no longer than 30 minutes to complete.

## Year 6 residential

In May/June, the year 6 team organise a camping residential for the children. Unfortunately, we could not run it in 2020, but hope to do so in 2021. We will give more details about the camping trip in the Spring term.

## Parent Teacher meetings

Unfortunately, we cannot run any face to face meetings this term. However, we will be contacting you by telephone to update you on how your child has settled in back to school in the week before October half term.

## Other notices

- The school does not allow mobile phones on site and we discourage any child bringing one in.
- Can all clothing be labelled with your child's name.
- Children can bring a spare pair of shoes (e.g. slippers) which can remain school.
- For any other questions, you can contact the Year 6 team at [year6@wensum.norfolk.sch.uk](mailto:year6@wensum.norfolk.sch.uk)

Kind Regards

Year 6.



