



SKEGBY JUNIOR ACADEMY

Dear Parent/Carers,

We would like to introduce ourselves as the Year 6 team. We are excited to have the children back and looking forward to a great year ahead with an exciting curriculum (Brazil and the Amazon Rainforest) which will broaden their understanding of the world in a fun and interactive way. It also gives us the opportunity to take part in interesting activities in order to support our learning including two Brazil Bonanzas at the end of this half term. Children will be locating world countries, with a focus on South America, looking at physical and human features.

We will also be learning how to be a scientist by carrying out fun and interesting experiments. In PE, we will be exploring Samba dancing so please make sure that your child wears their PE kit on Wednesday (black/grey joggers and jumpers allowed). Throughout this curriculum, we will also be teaching your children about how to be ready to learn and to stay safe online, as well as how to access TEAMS at school and at home.

This term, creative homework will be done in a different way. You will still have the homework menu, but it will now be submitted either on Class Dojo or TEAMS (this could be a photo, video or a document). The creative homework menu will be sent home as a paper copy, but will also be available on TEAMS and Dojo.

Children will have reading books and diaries in school which will not be sent home. We would still like them to read at home (using their own books or local library books) and reading signatures can be sent in via Class Dojo at the end of each week for your child to receive a book award sticker.

Below is a list of important things to remember for you and your child:

Tuesday - Forest School kit (old, comfortable clothes) should be worn to school, wellies and waterproofs in a named, plastic bag.

Wednesday - PE kit (black/grey joggers and jumpers allowed) should be worn to school.

Wednesday - One piece of creative homework to be sent in each week via TEAMS or Class Dojo (the first one to be sent on 16th September).



★ **Friday** - Mentions will still be chosen and certificates sent home. Parents cannot currently be invited into school for this, but you will be informed via class dojo.

★ We look forward to getting to know you and your child further.

★ Yours Sincerely,

★ Miss Graney and Mrs Wilson

★ **P.S. Please make sure all of your children's uniform (especially coats, wellies and jumpers) is labelled clearly with their names.**

