

**25th May 2018****Internet safety****Summer 1 Week 6****Special Points of Interest**

- Judo
- Internet safety
- PE Kit

Dates for your diary

Wed 6th June
Coffee Morning
Entrance via side
of reception

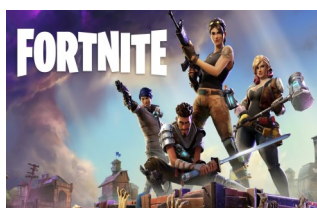
School closed
Half Term
Monday 28th May
to
Friday 1st June

As a parent myself, I understand the minefield that faces us when deciding on which computer games our children can play. With the development of the world wide web, computer

games are no longer games that children simply play against a computer or a friend who is sitting in the same room as them. The new generation of computer games allow children to interact with different types of people all over the world. This can of course be a positive thing but it can also be a very worrying thing.

Although not guaranteed to remove all concerns, I try to stick to the following steps when keeping my children safe when playing computer games:

1. Set up parental restrictions on all devices to ensure that only I can download games or make in-game purchases.
2. Always follow the age restrictions of every game, regardless of what my children say others are allowed to play in their homes.
3. Research any and all games before downloading anything I am not familiar with.
4. Only allow my children to use chat features, audio or text, when they are in the same room as me.



I recently received this piece of information from our tech team regarding a very popular game called 'Fortnite.'

'Fortnite' includes a game mode called Battle Royale, where players do not have to pay to play. In Battle Royale, 100 players compete against each other to be the last person standing in player vs player (PVP) combat. Parents should be aware that this game has a rating of 12 but this only takes into account the content in the game and not the contact element, where players may be exposed to swearing and offensive language from strangers, either through audio or on-screen text chat.' If you wish to discuss any of this with me, please feel free to make an appointment at the school office. Mr Mervyn

Judo

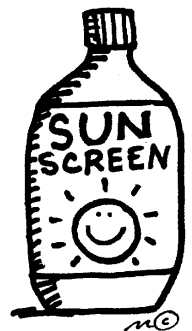
For those who have signed up to the Judo course they will be starting Thursday 7th June 1.30pm—2.30pm.

Places are still available, the cost is £25 for the 5 sessions..If you want your child to take part, please call into reception for an enrolment form.



Sun Protection

As we enter into the summer months please ensure that your child is protected by applying sun cream before they come to school and by providing a sunhat for the children in Foundation and KS1.



After School Club

Slime Club will run from Tuesday 5th June to Tuesday 25th June for

FS2, Year 1 and Year 2 children who originally sent in their reply forms.

REMINDER

Please can you ensure that children come to school dressed in their PE kits on the days that they have a PE lesson. We still have many children not coming in their PE kit, or coming in non-uniform sportswear.

Monday—Y3/4, Tuesday—Y6, Wednesday—Y4/5, Thurs—Y1/2
& Children in
Mrs Brierly's
afternoon session