Dear Parents ,

This half term, our topic in year 6 is Darwin's Delight, which looks at the history of evolution and natural selection, the life and work of famous British scientist Charles Darwin and the geography of our world.

Our learning:

- In Reading, our class text is Wonder by R.J. Palacio, which we will enjoy and discuss its themes.
- In Writing, we will be producing a diary based on our SATs week experiences; and a persuasive letter from the perspective of a crayon who wants to quit.
- In Maths we will be applying our learning from Year 6 to a project where we have to design and run a theme park.
- In Science, we will be learning about Inheritance and Evolution, how the theory was developed and what it means for us.
- In P.E., we will be competing and developing our skills in team summer sports such as rounders and cricket.
- In PSHE, we will be learning about relationships and our bodies.

Also this half term, we will be producing our end of year production, going to Blackpool Pleasure Beach and holding a graduation ceremony. Letter about these events to follow.

You can also use the information on their Knowledge Organisers to test their recall of facts and their understanding of the new vocabulary listed.
If you require any additional information, please contact your child's class teacher who will be happy to assist you.
On the reverse side of this letter, you will find information about key dates coming up this term, as well as details of your child's home learning projects.

Thank you for your continued support,

Yours sincerely,

The Year 6 Team

Dates for your Diaries:

June:
- 19th – Elm and Cedar Library visit
- 24th Afternoon – Sports Day
- 26th – Oak Library Visit

July:
- 8th and 9th – Transition Days to Wright Robinson College for those children attending in September
- 10th – End of Year reports and SATs results
- 12th – Summer Fair
- 16th - End of year production (Letters to follow)
- 18th, 19th and 20th – Year 6 Graduations
- 22nd – Blackpool Pleasure Beach Trip (Letters to follow)
- 23rd – **End of summer term**