

Y1-Y6 CHILD OF OUR TIME



Molescroft
Primary
School

THE
YEARS OF
WRITING



New Holiday Project

Dear Parents, Carers, Governors, Friends, Staff and Pupils

Following on from the success of our previous projects we are continuing this Half Term Break with a new homework task.

Over this holiday the children are asked to do the following:

1. Think about what it is like to be "the children they are", a child living in the UK in 2017. What is it that defines their life? Obviously school is a major part of every child's life but what we really want to feature is the pattern of life in a week for a child out of school in a school holiday.
 2. Collect images, photograph or draw pictures of the things they like to do. This could be hobbies, interests, visits, activities, anything which tells a story about normal life. It doesn't have to be remarkable. It may feature a picture of what breakfast looks like or their favourite TV programme. It may include visiting grannie or playing at the park.
 3. Older children may like to keep a diary of the week to form a framework for the writing back in school, but this is optional.
 4. Bring the pictorial evidence to school on the 6th November 2017
- After the holiday the children will be writing, at their level, about what it is like to be a child in our time. They will be able to add the pictures that they have with them to the piece of work.

All the finished articles will be bound into a book in the library as a record of life for children in Molescroft Primary school at the end of 2017.

We shall create a piece of social history for generations of future moles.

Parents of children from Y1 to Y6 are asked to support the project.

A prize will be awarded to a pupil in each class for the report written in school which best captures the essence of childhood.