

Year 6 - Autumn Events	
Wednesday 20 th September	Y6 Visit to Crucial Crew
Friday 22 nd September	Y6 Visit to Gressenhall
Thursday 28 th September	Y6 Roman Catholic Visit
Wednesday 4 th October	Visit to CNS All Day
Monday 2 nd October	Individual Photographs
Monday 9 th - Friday 13 th October	Brancaster Residential Trip
Monday 16 th & Tuesday 17 th October	Parent - Teacher Consultations
Thursday 19 th October	NHS Height Measurements for Y6

Homework

We are currently reviewing our approach to homework across the school and will be consulting with parents about this shortly. However our expectation is that all children will:

- Read every day for at least 20 minutes - reading to an adult is important as it allows the reader to develop fluency and accuracy and to talk about what they are reading. We believe that you are never too old or too good at reading to benefit from this.
- Learn the weekly spellings set by your child's class teacher. Going over these words once or twice a day will help your child to remember them, not just for a test but in their future work.
- Learn the maths facts and/or times tables set by your child's class teacher. These are important as they underpin all of the maths that your child will do in the rest of their time in education; knowing these facts will make it easier for your child to do maths, particularly as the ideas become more complex higher up the school and into high school.
- In Year 6 there will be some additional practice and revision work in English and Maths in preparation for SATs in May 2016 and for transition to high school.

If these activities are done regularly and thoroughly, it will make a big difference to your child's learning progress and confidence. There are also additional **optional** activities that your child can do if you wish, such as researching a topic being studied in class.

Weekly Reminders	
Mondays	Dinner money Spelling list book- for tests Reading Record Return Maths homework PE Kit (both classes)
Tuesdays	Games/Swimming (both classes)
Thursdays	Maths Homework Set
Friday	School Library Books (6SF)

Cross-Curriculum Overview

Autumn 2017

Year 6

Our curriculum has been designed to meet the requirements of the new National Curriculum (2014) whilst providing rich, meaningful and exciting learning opportunities for all children. Our aim is that our curriculum will inspire all children to develop a lifelong passion for learning.



Autumn Term

Wednesday 6th September - Tuesday 19th December

Half Term

Friday 20th October - Friday 27th October

ENGLISH



'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty

'A Christmas Carol' by Charles Dickens

FRENCH



Introducing ourselves and other people. Describing people. Telling the time.

HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY



The lives of Victorian children and how they changed. Changes in the Victoria era such as the Railways.

MATHS



Number, space, shape, Fractions, data handling, Word Problems, X-Tables, Arithmetic- Written methods, Investigations.

SCIENCE



Electricity and Light

PSHE - RE



PSHE

New Beginnings, say no to bullying, getting on/falling out. E safety

RE

Islam & Christianity

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Full Steam Ahead

MUSIC



Michael Jackson and his part in developing Pop Music. Appraisal and performance of 'I'll Be There' by The Jackson 5.

ART & DT



William Morris patterns, colour mixing. Christmas stockings.

PE



Games: Invasion games (tag rugby) and Tennis

Swimming

P.E: Gymnastics, Real P.E

COMPUTING



Communicating Ideas -
Programming & Coding
E-Safety
Website Building