

Year 6 - Spring Events

Tuesday 7th February: Safer Internet Day
Friday 24th February: PTA International evening CJS
Friday 3rd March: World Book Day Book Fair
Friday 24th March: PTA Discos

Mon 27th and Tues 28th March: Parent Consultations

For information: SATs Week Monday 8th - 12th May 2017

Homework

- 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 using Mathletics on a computer or researching a topic being studied in class.

Weekly Reminders

Mondays	Bring in dinner money and menu choices Reading Record in Maths and English homework in PE Kit
Tuesdays	Games/Swimming Kit
Wednesdays	
Thursdays	Homework Set
Friday	School Library Books

Curriculum Overview

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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.



Spring Term

Thursday 5th January - Friday 31st March

Half Term: Monday 13th February to Friday 17th February

ENGLISH



'The Arrival' by Shaun Tan
A range of non-fiction texts
Revision of Spelling,
Punctuation and Grammar.

FRENCH



Describing the
weather, giving
directions, shopping.

HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY



Human and physical
geography. Map
vocabulary. Planning a
world voyage.

Ancient Greece.

MATHS



Number, space, shape,
fractions, data handling, Word
Problems, X-Tables, Arithmetic,
Investigations.

SCIENCE



Light
Evolution and Inheritance

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World Voyage

PE



Games: Invasion games
(tag rugby) and Tennis,
Athletics and Striking
and Fielding
Swimming
P.E: Dance

PSHE - RE



PSHE - Safer Internet Day
RE: Christianity - Is anything
ever eternal?
Science and religion - can you
believe in both?

MUSIC



Singing and accompanying
songs from around the globe,
including Hungary, Jamaica,
Ghana and China, using
percussion and developing
their keyboard skills.

ART & DT



3D Modelling
Periscopes/ pinhole
cameras

COMPUTING



Coding - Using Scratch to
make a simple game.