



Class Newsletter

Year 6

Summer 2022

SATS

The children have all worked incredibly hard this week and have really impressed me with their attitude towards their SATS. It has been lovely to see 30 smiling faces coming into school early for breakfast. A big thank you to the parents and grandparents that came in and helped run the breakfast club. The week has been a real success!

Homework

Homework is set on a Monday on Google Classroom and is due in on Sunday at 5pm.

Homework consists of:

- *A maths activity*
- *A Grammar activity*
- *A reading comprehension*
- *A fluency text to practise*

Take-Away Homework

I was incredibly impressed by the effort many children made, last term, with their take-away homework. The children really enjoyed sharing their work with others. This term the take-away homework is based on the transition to secondary school and is called 'New Beginnings'. The take-away menu and letter will provide more information on this.

Spellings

Spellings will continue to be set on Spelling Shed.

On a Monday, children will be set 10 spellings and on a Friday they will be tested in school.

The children's score will be written into the back of their reading diaries weekly.

Children will have time to practise on Spelling Shed in school but please allow time at home too.

Reading

Books are changed as and when necessary. Please ensure your child brings their reading record to school every day, indicating the reading they have done during the week. Reading records will be checked weekly. It is important that children read to an adult on a regular basis, so please allow time to hear your child read at home and record this in their reading record.

English

In English this term we will focus on the following themes:

- Consolidating key skills in reading
- Revising important grammar terms
- Writing a range of non-fiction and fiction pieces, using appropriate features and vocabulary



Discovery Curriculum

We will be starting a new topic 'Crime and Punishment'. Many of the Foundation subjects will be linked to this topic and the learning will include :

The Roman Legacy

Anglo-Saxon laws and justice

Torturing Tudors

Victorian Prisons

Heroes and Villains

We will also be focussing on the play and creating scenery, props and merchandise to sell.

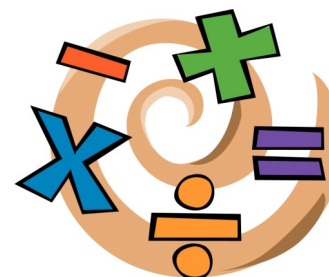
PE

PE will continue to be on Thursday afternoons. Please ensure PE kits are work every Thursday. PE is a compulsory part of the school curriculum and your child **MUST** have a letter if they are unable to participate in this subject.

Maths

In Maths we will cover many areas including:

- Developing confidence in solving a range of word problems.
- Developing arithmetic skills
- Further enhancing use of written methods
- Developing confidence in solving a range of calculations.



The Greatest Showman play will be on Thursday 7th July.
The performance will start at 6pm, with the children needing to be back at school to get ready at 5pm.

Thank you for taking the time to read this newsletter. Please let me know if you have any afternoons free that you would like to come in and hear some readers. If you have anything that you would like to discuss, please book an appointment through the school office.

Mrs L. Boot