



Year 6 Newsletter

March 2019



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! We are now officially half way through the year and have lots of things in-store for this term to keep us all busy.

Parents' Evening

It is Parents' Evening later this week - Thursday 7th March. This will be a great opportunity for you to discuss your child's progress and what is needed to achieve the best they possibly can. Don't forget to make your appointment. For this discussion, you can make an appointment with the teacher who teaches your child on a morning. Letters have already been given out to children! Don't forget - school closes at 2pm on this date.

SATs Support

As the time for SATs is looming upon us, we are all working really hard to ensure that the children are adequately prepared to achieve their very best.

In order to support the children, we have a number of things on offer:

- **Homework** that involves practise of the skills needed to complete the test. Spellings to learn for a test and a Maths activity will be given out on a Monday each week. This needs to be completed by Thursday and returned to school.
- **CGP revision books.** This is a pack of books which contains everything your child might need to practise in preparation for their SATs. Working in these, little and often, will have a huge impact on your child's achievement. These will be handed out FREE at parents evening.
- **Clubs etc.** All the Year 6 teachers are providing extra interventions to support as many children as possible. This includes lunchtime homework clubs where children can complete their homework in a quiet environment and get help if needed.

Please encourage your child to access as many of these as possible in order to have a positive impact on our learning.

World Book Day

Thursday 7th March is World Book Day. This year, we are celebrating by coming to school dressed as a word. Your child may come to school in their outfit. Children should have brought home a reading quiz where they have to identify as many books as possible from part of a picture. These can be returned to school by World Book Day, when your child could win a prize.

Attendance

It is vital that children attend school every day and arrive at school on time. Please ensure your child is in school by 8.50 am every day. If your child arrives after 9.00 am, please bring them to the main office to get a late mark.

As ever this will be a very busy term in Year 6 as we are on the run up to SATs and the transition to high schools. If you have any concerns or questions about anything then we are more than happy to discuss these at an appropriate time.

Thank you for your continuing support
From all the Year 6 staff.

Year 6 Reminders (6E & 6G)



Every day

- Home reading books to be brought to school

Monday

- Homework given out

Tuesday & Wednesday

- Instrument lesson / orchestra

Thursday

- Homework to be returned
- Choir

Friday

- Homework to be returned
- Outdoor PE - weather permitting

DO NOT FORGET!

COSTUMES FOR WORLD BOOK DAY
(Thursday 7th March)



Easter holiday

School closes on Friday 29th March.
It reopens on Monday 15th April.

Key Topics this term

<p>English</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Narrative-Quest stories 	<p>Numeracy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra • Measuring • Converting units 		<p>Science</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology-Living things and their habitats
<p>I.C.T</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Being organised 	<p>P.E.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Real P.E. 	<p>Music</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opera North Tuition 	<p>History</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mayan Civilisation
<p>Art</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Textiles 	<p>R.E.</p> <p>How does growing up bring responsibilities and commitment?</p>		<p>P.H.S.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing