

Year Six Newsletter

Term : Summer 1

Welcome to Year 6!



Summer Term

Message from your teachers

Well done to all of Year 6 for their hard work last term. We had fantastic results in our mock SATs. Not only are they working hard in class, but also around the school in different roles and responsibilities.

We have an important half term ahead with our KS2 SATs in Week 4. Year 6 have been working incredibly hard in the lead up to this. Let's keep it up!

We will be learning this term...

This half term, we are working hard as part our SATs revision across a range of subjects. We are focusing on our arithmetic fluency, practising this daily. We are also applying our arithmetic to solve a range of complex, multi-step reasoning style problems across a variety of Maths areas such the four operations, fractions, decimals and percentages, area and perimeter, statistics and shape.

In English, we are working on answering a wide range of comprehension questions about a variety of complex texts and genres. This is including inferring meaning from the text such as how a character is feeling, identifying the meaning of vocabulary within specific contexts as well as discussion the author's use of language and the impact this has on the reader.

In SPaG, we are revising many key grammatical terms such as subordinate/relative clauses, past and present progressive or perfect tenses, word classes, active and passive voice etc.

Later in the half term, in Art, we will take part in the Take One Picture project, creating work inspired by Henri Rousseau's 'Surprised!' painting.

In writing, we will be writing formal letters and diary entries based on our SATs experience.

Reminders/Important Dates

- NEW! Spellings will be given out every Friday. Please practise the 10 spellings ready for the following Friday, when we will have a spelling test!
- **SATs run Tuesday 9th May-Friday 12th May. Please ensure you are at school on time every day.**
 - Tuesday 9th May- English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Paper 1 and 2
 - Wednesday 10th May- English Reading Paper
 - Thursday 11th May- Mathematics Paper 1 (Arithmetic) and Paper 2 (Reasoning)
 - Friday 12th May- Mathematics Paper 3 (Reasoning)

Useful pages/Contact us

SATs information if you missed the SATs meeting at the beginning of this week:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/national-curriculum-assessments-key-stage-2-tests>

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