



YEAR 6 NEWSLETTER SUMMER TERM 2025



The Year 6 Team:

Miss Vicky Dean – 6D class teacher and Y6 leader.

Miss Nicole Sefton – 6S class teacher.

Mrs Lindsay Croll – Y6 Teaching assistant (Mon – Thurs)

Additional teachers: Mrs Walker (Mon-Fri) / Mrs Melissa Varley – PPA cover (Wed)

SATs WEEK: Week commencing Monday 12th May 2025

Curriculum

We have lots of exciting learning planned for this term. In Science, we will continue to develop our understanding of animals including humans as well as continuing to explore our working scientifically skills. In History we will complete our leaning about the Anglo-Saxons and Viking to 1066 and in Art , we will be using mixed media to recreate some famous artwork. In Music, we will learn about a variety of styles of Indian music, focussing on three in particular – bhangra, Bollywood and classical.

Reading – Test technique in summer 1 then exploring playscripts and poetry.

Writing – Applying our writing skills across a broad range of genres using different writing stimuli.

Maths – Algebra / Ratio / Problem solving / Working systematically

PE Days

Our indoor PE session will be on **Tuesdays**.

Your child will need to have a white t-shirt and black or navy shorts. Our first unit is fitness and dance. Our second unit is athletics – please bring trainers as hopefully we will be able to do this outside.

Our outdoor PE session will be on **Fridays**.

Your child will need to have a white t-shirt, black/navy shorts or tracksuit and a pair of trainers. We will be continuing our NFL sessions with Leeds United as well as developing striking and fielding skills through cricket and rounders.

Note: Branded clothing should not be worn (with the exception of trainers).

If your child forgets or brings incorrect (including branded) PE kit for 2 weeks in a

Homework

Reading – Complete one test per week from the CGP SATs Buster book. We will go through these together in school on Fridays.

Maths – Arithmetic Test to be completed each week. Children may also bring home a reasoning task to complete – this is optional.

Spelling – Complete tasks in your spelling journal using the words from the spelling rule explored that week.

All homework will be given out on Fridays and should **be returned on Wednesdays**.

Bookbag – Your child needs to return a signed reading record in their book bag each week.

In Y6, we encourage the children to read a wide variety of books and articles both to an adult or independently. Please ensure everything they read is logged in their reading record.

If your child does not bring their homework in on time, they will be asked to miss part of their playtime.

If they forget their bookbag 2 weeks in a row, they will also miss a playtime.

Please help us by encouraging your child to get themselves organised – this will be an invaluable skill for high school.

Extras

Your child can access the following websites to further support their learning:

www.purplemash.com

www.readingplus.com

<https://ttrockstars.com>

www.spellingshed.com

www.doodlelearning.com

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If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to come and see one of us, give us a call on the school telephone number (0113 263 8910) or contact us on Class Dojo.