










Welcome to Year 6

Dear Parent/Carer

We have put together lots of information about Year 6. It includes an overview of the learning we will be engaged in this term, some key things to remember and some ideas for things to do at home to support learning in school.

Year 6 Staff			
Mr Clarke and Mrs Dolby Juniper Class	 	Miss Manning Palm Class	
Miss Rogers-Thomas		Mr Warne	Miss Lewyckj
			
			Miss Akram
			

Things to remember
Monday and Tuesday – PE Palm Monday and Thursday – PE Juniper Remember to bring your reading book and reading record with you each day.

Homework tasks and fun activities
Homework will be sent out weekly. This will include one piece of Maths, English and Spelling. Homework is to be returned on a Wednesday.
Extra activities: Can you use magazines and newspapers to create a photomontage?
Visit MathsBot and have a go at a Year 6 SAT arithmetic paper – it will mark it for you at the end and you can keep track of how well you are doing!
Can you tell somebody at home what you are wearing in French ? Use BBC bitesize to learn about all the different names of clothing and accessories in French.
Try a range of grammar games that link to our learning in English.
Can you create an animation or a game on scratch ? Write a script using conditional statements to support (for example, if X is pressed, move forward 5 jumps).

Learning in School		
English	Poetry – The power of imagery, using texts written by Pie Corbett. Fiction – Fantasy and Imaginary using the text ‘ <i>The Nowhere Emporium</i> ’ by Ross Mackenzie	Biographies – ‘ <i>Mud, Sweat and Tears</i> ’ by Bear Grylls Fiction - Adventure using the text ‘ <i>Onyeka and the Academy of the Sun</i> ’ by Tola Okogwu Protest Poetry - <i>2 stars and a wish</i> by Stormzy and <i>Bridge over Troubled Water (Artists for Grenfell)</i> by Stormzy
Maths	Number – Place Value. Number – Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division.	Fractions Measurement – Converting units
Science	Living Things and Their Habitats	Electricity and Renewable Energy
PSHE	The Story Project - Wonder	The Story Project – Marcus Rashford
Art	Craft and design: Photo opportunity – creating different mediums of art through photography Painting and mixed media: Artist study – looking at a range of artists and their styles	
Music	Journeys – Song cycle performance	World Units – A step dance performance
Geography	Our World Key Question: Why does population change?	
History	The Census Key Question: What do censuses tell us about our local area?	
DT	Textiles – Waistcoats Using sewing skills to create a holidays themed waistcoat.	
French	Clothes – getting dressed in French	French sports and The Olympics
Computing	iProgram – 1 Designing and developing programs with Scratch iNetwork Networks, data representation, HTML/CSS	
PE	Ultimate Frisbee Gymnastics	Dance Table tennis
RE	Beliefs and Practices Our key question is: ‘What is the best way for a Muslim to show commitment to God?’	Christmas Our key question is: ‘How significant is it that Mary was Jesus’ mother?’

Key Dates
Friday 25 th October – School closes Monday 4 th November – School Opens Wednesday 19 th November - Friday 21 st November - Residential Friday 19 th December – School Closes

Residential: 47 children have booked a place on this year’s residential to Buckden House in November. If your child has booked a place, information will be sent home regarding medical information and clothing list.
