



Wednesday 15th April 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had an enjoyable and restful break! Just a quick reminder that children should be bringing their own pencil case to school and it should contain: HB pencils, a 30cm ruler, rubber, sharpener, glue and coloured pencils (handwriting and editing pens are provided by the school). **Please ensure that these are topped up, as we have very limited resources to share out in the classroom, especially purple pens and glue sticks.**

### Reminder of Year 6 Learning Expectations

**Homework** - Each week, the children are expected to read daily, practise their spellings and complete a weekly maths pack.

- Reading - To be undertaken daily and recorded in their yellow reading journals (we expect a minimum of 4 entries per week). Books can be borrowed from school or brought in from home.
- Spelling - Children will do a **weekly spelling test on a Monday**, which will test them on the Year 3/4/5/6 statutory spelling rules. They will bring this home and use it to practice the spellings and rules they got incorrect. Children will then be retested on a **Friday**.
- Maths - Children will continue to have daily Maths homework, which they should be encouraged to take accountability over completion. **Homework will be given out weekly on a Monday and needs to be brought in daily for marking.** We will continue to use Corbett Maths Primary '5-a-day', with tasks designed to take around 10 minutes per day. \*Children should still have their **'100 Arithmetic Questions' pack**, which they can be using alongside the daily homework to plug any remaining gaps in arithmetic. Children should focus on the questions they still struggle with and please encourage them to speak to their class/maths teacher, if they are still unsure of any of the methods. Please let the class teacher know if your child did not receive a booklet.

### Curriculum

Please see the curriculum map attached for an overview of the curriculum this half term.

**PE - Children will have PE on a Wednesday (rugby coach - outdoors) and a Friday (outdoors). Children need to attend school in appropriate PE kits on these days following the uniform policy. Please note that PE will go ahead even in light rain.**

We will continue to use Classdojo as a platform for sharing children's learning, behaviour and for messages between school and home.

Yours sincerely,

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Year 6 Team

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