

# Year Six

Welcome back! I hope you have all had a relaxing Christmas break with your families. Thank you for all the cards and gifts I received. We have now completed one term in Year Six and you have made a fantastic start, so a big "Well Done!" All we ask is that you continue to work hard and try your best this half term.

**Key dates: SATs meeting Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January @ 3:15pm**

Focus Group sessions will be taking place this term. After school and morning focus group sessions are not compulsory, however children are strongly advised to attend, as they will help to prepare for the SATs and for high school. All children have access to these sessions, and they are designed to give children support.

Maths focus groups sessions will start on **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> January 3:10 - 4pm**. Reading focus group session are from **8.30 - 8.55 every Tuesday starting on 14<sup>th</sup> January**.

**SATs week - Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May to Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2025.**

## PE - Wednesday and Friday

Children will be having PE on a Wednesday and Thursday this half term.

PE kit is a maroon t-shirt with school logo, black shorts and trainers. Black joggers can be worn when the weather is cold. Children can come to school wearing these on their PE days.

**Reading-** Children need to have their reading books and diaries in school every day.

Please fill in the reading diaries at home either by the children or by an adult.

## Homework

Reading	Every day (20 mins)
Spelling	Weekly. Test on a Friday

During this term, homework will be given in revision books which will be handed out as soon as they arrive and a separate letter will follow with information.

We will be giving the children study guides to help them with revision. These will also be used in class therefore they need to be in school every day. If you wish for your child to be working through additional study guides, this is incredibly helpful, but please also bear in mind that children are working extremely hard during the school day and also need plenty of time for rest too.

## Curriculum

This half term we will be focusing on Living things and their habitats in Science. We will also be doing Art, Spanish, RSE and in History we will be looking at the Windrush Generation.

## Religious Education

This half term the children will learn about Exploring the mass. We will be looking at the following key questions: What is the New covenant Jesus made with us? How can we live-out our part in this New Covenant? What are two of the most important parts of the Mass? What is the Blessed Sacrament?

There will be lots of things happening in Year 6 such as Robinwood and Come Dine with Me cooking day. For each of these there will be separate letters sent out nearer to the time.

If you have any concerns/ questions then please see me before/after school or contact the school office. Thank you for your continued support. Mrs Attwood