

Year 6

Curriculum Newsletter



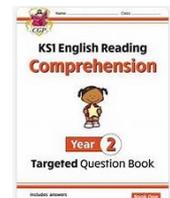
Key information about Year 6:

- SATs week starts Monday 9th May– Thursday 12th May and we are asking that children come to school at 8.00am for a free breakfast before the tests begin.
- Children’s home reading books will get changed at least once a week. Children can take books from the book corner, a library book or a book from the Year 6 Reading Canon. Your child must read at home everyday and fill in their Reading Record, summarising what they have read.
- Your child will need to bring in their PE kit on the day that their class does PE. You can check which day this is on the Ben Jonson website, as this varies according to which class they are in. Your child needs to wear black leggings/jogging bottoms/shorts, black trainers and a white t-shirt on their PE day. During colder weather, they can also wear their school jumper and coat to school on top of their PE kit.
- Homework will continue to be set once a week on Google Classroom but there may also be paper copies sent for revision. Children will need to log in to Google Classroom to complete their homework. Guides for supporting children on how to use Google Classroom are available on the school website. If you have difficulty accessing the internet from home, let your child’s teacher know.



How can parents/carers help at home?

- Please encourage your children to do their homework but also to get some rest time too. They have all worked incredibly hard so lots of praise from all of us will be encouraging for them.
- Early bedtimes always help at this time of year.
- Revision guides can be useful.
- Checking in on your child and asking how they are. Year 6 is a year with lots of different emotions and they are leaving in just a couple of months time.



Visits to go on at the weekend!

- In preparation for our show, you could take them to the theatre. Our local children’s theatre– Half Moon Theatre– has fantastic productions some of which are free, (www.halfmoon.org.uk).
- The Natural History Museum is another amazing place to visit and it’s free. A trip here would really link to our topic on animals and their habitats.
- Visit the local parks as the weather gets better.



Things to make and do!

- Making props and costumes for the show with your children is always a huge help to us.



