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Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to take this opportunity to present you with the information for our 'Year Ahead' in Class 6M and 6F. We are looking forward to working alongside you to nurture and support your child through the academic year.

Year 6	Additional Information
Recommended Homework: Individual book to be read at home at least 3 x a week and recorded in reading diary. Please can parents ensure they sign the rainbow sheet to show their child has read? This supports a reading incentive we use in class. Weekly spellings – Year 6 common exception words and focused words. Times Tables – Ensure there is rapid recall of all multiplication and division facts. All children have individual log ins for TT rockstars which is a X table programme they are familiar with using in school. They will also have a Xtables book with a homework task to be completed each week. IXL – this is a digital homework source which your children have individual log ins for. These log ins are recorded in their reading records. Teachers will monitor the engagement for both the Maths and the Grammar elements of this programme. This is accessible on laptops, tablets and phones. Any problems, please contact your class teacher. Homework book – Your child will be provided with a paper-based exercise linked to maths or reading. This will be given out on a Wednesday and will be expected to be returned to school by the following Monday.	<p>Year 6 SATs will be administered this academic year, week commencing 11th May 2026</p> <p>To help prepare your child for these exams please support us by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- ensuring your child is reading as much as possible at home. We cannot emphasise the benefit of this enough; the more your child reads at home, the easier they will find it to access the reading comprehension papers and their pace and fluency will dramatically improve!- practising times table and division facts. They could use TT Rockstar's.- practising Y5/6 common exception words.- engaging weekly with IXL.- ensuring good attendance.- Ensuring children are in school and ready to learn by 8.40am! Even 5 mins of missed learning each day totals 25minutes across the week.
PE – 6M and 6F (Tuesday afternoon) Pupils need to have a white t-shirt, black shorts and black plimsolls for indoor PE. Outdoor PE: joggers, white t-shirt, sweatshirt and trainers We ask that children come into school on their P.E. day wearing their P.E. kit. They can wear this all day. Please ensure no ear-rings or jewellery.	
<u>Year 6 curriculum:</u> Term1: World War 11- The Battle of Britain Term 2: Ernest Shackleton – locational knowledge and geographical skills. Term 3: Lincoln's part in WW11 – local history Term 4: Protecting our planet Term 5: Crime and punishment across the ages Term 6: Exploring and applying geographical skills	

Please speak to your child's class teacher if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Malone and Miss Fahy

Year 6 class teachers