



Happy New Year!

Your teachers are:

Mr Beckett, Miss Fisher, Miss Hall,
Mrs Higgins and Miss Chan-Bell

Remember you can find up-to-date information on our year group by following Cyril Jackson on twitter: www.twitter.com/CJ_Year6

YEAR 6 PUPILS...

During your time in Year 6, we will expect you to:

- Always put in 100% effort
- Be kind and considerate to everyone
- Do your homework - hand it in every Tuesday and it will be given out again on Wednesdays
- Read regularly to an adult, and independently at home
- Look after your own things
- Make sure you wear the correct uniform with the appropriate footwear

I will be learning...

LITERACY

Year 6 will be diving into the world of fairy tales, where we will become detectives searching for clues to solve some mysterious crimes.



MATHS



After revising the four operations, we will use them to solve multi-step word problems before identifying different features of shapes.

SCIENCE

We will be looking at Forces in action and how friction can influence objects and materials. We will also be looking at reversible and irreversible changes, this will involve practical experiments to determine if changes are reversible or irreversible. Look out for Science Day in Spring 1.



TRIPS This term we will be visiting the Science Museum to see the presentation of 'Feel the Force!'. We will also be visiting Launchpad to take part in some practical experiments.

COMPUTING We will be planning and making our own apps this term! We are very fortunate to have the expertise of Mr Perry who will support us in this process.

MUSIC Children will continue to learn the guitar and take part in singing assemblies.

ART & D.T. We will be designing and then creating our own fairground ride, including the electronics to make our rides move and light up!




P.E. Our PE day will be on Fridays. Children will be taught lessons on fencing and volleyball.

R.E. This term children will be exploring the values of Christians and Humanists.

HOMEWORK Children will continue to complete numeracy and literacy homework which will be due in each week. It is very important that children complete their homework to the highest standard possible. Homework will be set every Wednesday and will be expected in on the following Tuesday.

Dear Parents & Carers...

Please continue to do the following, so that the build up to SATS is as smooth as possible for your child.

- Ensuring that they have the correct uniform and that all their clothing is labelled with their name. 
- Encouraging your child's growing independence - let them sort out for themselves the items they will need for school such as their lunchboxes, coats and shoes etc.
- Listening to them read, or asking them about the books they are reading and encouraging them to read every day. 
- Practising maths skills in a friendly and informal way - number games, mental arithmetic and times table facts.
- Encouraging and supporting them to do their homework by themselves. Remember it's their homework not yours.
- If you have any questions or if you or your child have any worries — no matter how small — please come and let us know. 

We are always happy to listen, so please just pop in and ask!

What you will need in Year 6...

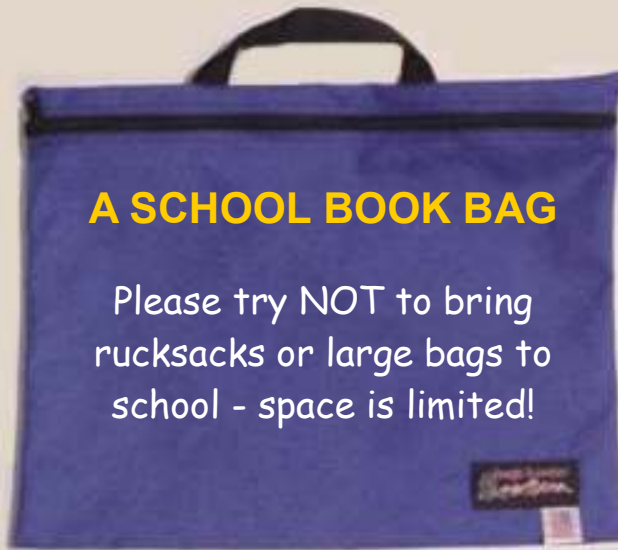


SCHOOL SHOES

Plimsolls or lace-ups. Trainers can be worn, as long as they are completely black.

P.E. KIT

Shorts, T-shirt, plimsolls or trainers in a small bag - drawstring if possible.



A SCHOOL BOOK BAG

Please try NOT to bring rucksacks or large bags to school - space is limited!

MARY the
COOK

MRS KEMP

Please **remember** to label everything with your name - especially sweatshirts, PE kits and coats!



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