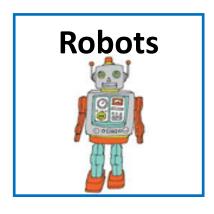


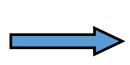
# Welcome to Year Six



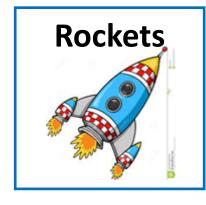


# Your Teachers





Mrs. Woodward
Miss. Patel





Miss. Patel

Mrs. Patel





Ms. Mitha Mrs. Patel

Year 6 Deputy Headteacher Mrs. Brightcliffe

# Key Information

#### P.E - Autumn Term

**Robots: Wednesday afternoon** 

**Rockets: Wednesday afternoon** 

**Astronauts: Friday afternoon** 

#### **SATs**

As you are aware, towards the end of Year 6 the children will sit some important exams - SATs.

There will be a SATs information session for parents in January.

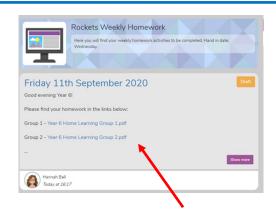
However, for your information, SATs week this academic year is

Monday 11th May - Thursday 14th May

# Sample Timetable

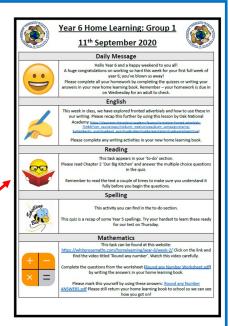
| 3:00pm  | Class Novel   |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| (each afternoon we teach a<br>different subject ) | Science R.E PSHE Computing Geography or History Art or DT Music or French |  |  |  |  |
| 1:45pm  | The Wider Curriculum  |  |  |  |  |
| 1:20pm  | Spelling/Handwriting  |  |  |  |  |
| 1:00pm  | Everyday Maths  |  |  |  |  |
| 12:00   | Lunch   |  |  |  |  |
| 11:10am   | English-Writing   |  |  |  |  |
| 10:55am   | Playtime  |  |  |  |  |
| 10:20am   | English-Reading   |  |  |  |  |
| 9:20am  | Maths   |  |  |  |  |
| 9:00am  | UKS2 Assembly   |  |  |  |  |
| 8:45am  | 1:1 reading   |  |  |  |  |

# Home Learning





Homework will be set on Purple Mash. Click on the link and the PDF will open containing your weekly homework



### Children may be set weekly tasks in:

Maths: in most cases this will reinforce what the children have been learning in Maths that week.

Spellings: the children will have a list of spellings that they are expected to learn how to spell by heart and understand the meaning of.

English: this is likely to be a grammar task linked to the learning that week.

Reading: as well as reading their home reading book EVERYDAY, the children will be set reading activities on Purple Mash.

Handwriting: handwriting practice sheets will be sent home if required.

Teachers may also use ClassDojo to share homework.

Please use ClassDojo as a means of communicating with your class teacher about home learning.

All children will bring home a blue homework book to complete their tasks.



Homework will be set on a Friday and handed in the following Wednesday.

# Reading

### **Year 6 Home Reading**

In Year 6,
established
readers may
begin to bring
home age
appropriate
novels 'free
readers'
instead of the
banded books

| Book Band                         | Year Group<br>Expectations |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Brown inc. copper and topaz       | Year 3                     |
| <b>Grey</b> inc. ruby and emerald | Year 4                     |
| Dark Blue<br>inc. sapphire        | Year 5                     |
| Dark Red                          | Year 6                     |
| Black<br>inc. pearl               | Year 6                     |

The chart opposite explains how book bands are organised in KS2.

### **Reading at Home Expectations**

- We expect all children to read out loud for at least 20 minutes per night with an adult or older sibling.
- They should then log this in their school planner and write a brief comment about what they have read.
- Please sign this to indicate that you have read with them that evening.



### **Year 6 Spellings:**

| Year 6      |                |            |               |               |             |
|-------------|----------------|------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| accommodate | category       | disastrous | immediate(ly) | privilege     | sincere(ly) |
| accompany   | committee      | embarrass  | interrupt     | profession    | sufficient  |
| according   | competition    | especially | marvellous    | pronunciation | suggest     |
| achieve     | conscious*     | exaggerate | mischievous   | recommend     | symbol      |
| aggressive  | controversy    | frequently | necessary     | relevant      | system      |
| appreciate  | correspond     | guarantee  | opportunity   | restaurant    | thorough    |
| attached    | criticise      | harass     | parliament    | sacrifice     | variety     |
|             | (critic + ise) |            |               |               |             |
| awkward     | definite       | identity   | prejudice     | signature     | vehicle     |
| yacht       |                |            |               |               |             |

### **Year 6 Writing:**

On the school website you will find what is expected of a Year 6 writer. Below is an example of the standard expected:

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### **Year 6 Grammar and Punctuation:**

In Year 6, children will be given a password and user name so that they can access online grammar and punctuation tests - spag.com.



| Tick one box in each row to show whether the underlined word is a <b>noun</b> or a <b>verb</b> . |      |          |        |  |  |
|--|------|----------|--------|--|--|
| Sentence   | Noun | Verb     |        |  |  |
| Every day, we have to answer questions.  |      | <b>V</b> |        |  |  |
| Are you coming to the park later?  |      |          |        |  |  |
| That is the wrong answer.  |      |          |        |  |  |
| When you arrive, park your bike over there.  |      |          | 1 mari |  |  |

# Maths

### **End of Year 6 Expectation: ADDITION**

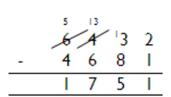
Add whole numbers and decimals using formal written methods (columnar addition)

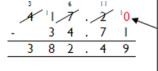
When adding decimals with different numbers of decimal places, children should be taught and encouraged to make them the same through identification that 2 tenths is the same as 20 hundredths, therefore, 0.2 is the same value as 0.20.

|   |   |   |   | 4             | 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---------------|---|
|   |   | 6 | 4 | 3             | 2 |
|   |   |   | 7 | 8             | 6 |
|   |   |   |   |               | 3 |
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|   | ī | I | 9 | 4             | 4 |
|   | _ | _ | 2 | $\overline{}$ |   |

### **End of Year 6 Expectation: SUBTRACTION**

Subtract whole numbers and decimals using formal written methods (columnar addition)





When subtracting decimals with different numbers of decimal places, children should be taught and encouraged to make them the same through identification that 2 tenths is the same as 20 hundredths, therefore, 0.2 is the same value as 0.20.

#### **End of Year 6 Expectation:**

#### Multiplication

Multiply multi-digit numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal method of long multiplication. Multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers.

#### **End of Year 6 Expectation:**

#### **DIVISION**

Divide numbers up to 4 digits by a twodigit number using the formal written method of short division where appropriate, interpreting remainders

$$4,320 \div 32 = 135$$

32 64 96 128 160 192

|    |   | 1 | 3 | 5 |
|----|---|---|---|---|
| 32 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| _  | 3 | 2 |   |   |
|    | 1 | 1 | 2 |   |
| _  |   | 9 | 6 |   |
|    |   | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| _  |   | 1 | 6 | 0 |
|    |   |   |   | 0 |
|    |   |   |   |   |

# The Wider Curriculum

In Year 6 we teach a broad and balanced curriculum. Below are just some of the subjects and topics your children will be learning about this year:

#### Science:

Light

Evolution and Inheritance
Living Things and their Habitats







#### **History:**

World War Two The Vikings

**Early Islamic Civilization** 







#### **Geography:**

Fragile Earth Mountains Energy







#### Art:

L.S Lowry
David Hockney
Banksy







#### **Design and Technology:**

Textiles



# Website

#### The School Website:

### www.deepdalecommunityprimary.co.uk

Please visit the school website and click on the Curriculum section and then Year 6 or Year 6 SATs for further curriculum information.

There is lots to support your child with their learning including:

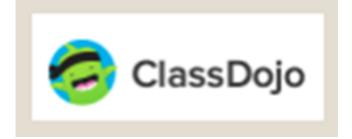
- A yearly overview of all the content we will be teaching your children.
- Knowledge Organisers for each subject that give details on the topics taught.
- Maths support documents then you can see the methods we teach.
- Additional websites that your children will find useful when learning at home.



# Keeping in Touch

Please make sure you are signed up to ClassDojo.

This is similar to text messaging and is a great way of keeping in touch with your child's class teacher about their learning.



Please continue to report all absences through the school office, not Class Dojo.

If you would like to talk to a member of the senior leadership team, please contact Mrs. Brightcliffe, the Year 6 Deputy Headteacher by phone call or come and see her at the school gates (Number 4) where she is situated most mornings and evenings.



If you wish to contact school, please use the details below:

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