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Dear Year 6,

As you are aware, SATs are taking place in term 5. We have listed the dates below, but more information will be sent to you nearer the time.

Monday 12th May: Grammar, Punctation and Spelling

Tuesday 13th May: Reading

Wednesday 14th May: Maths (Arithmetic and Reasoning)

Thursday 15th May: Maths (Reasoning)

(We will be running a set of mock SATs from Monday 28th April to Thursday 1st May.)

You have already put in lots of hard work to get ready for your SATs. Over the Easter holidays, it would be good to keep your brains ticking over. We have some words of advice:

- Aim to revise on ten different days. Little and often is best (perhaps try 30 minutes each day).
 Remember, relaxing and having fun is also very important.
- Think about what you need to spend some extra time on. It is best to revise things you are not sure about so that you make the most of your time. Don't just go for the easy option and revise something that you are confident with. If it's too hard, don't worry, just make a note and ask us after Easter.

Revision tasks to choose from...

- a) 10-4-10 Maths Booklet: 10 minutes daily maths practice. Each day includes arithmetic and reasoning questions.
- b) 10-4-10 Reading Booklet: 10 minutes daily reading comprehension practice.
- c) 10-4-10 Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Booklet: 10 minutes daily GP&S practice.
- d) Complete the pages of your CGP homework books that we haven't yet done.
- e) Spellings: Revise words which include the spellings patterns listed in your revision pack.
- f) Times Tables: Keep these going over the break especially if you are not confident to recall them quickly as it will make a huge difference to your maths!
- g) Reading for Pleasure: Read something that you enjoy as often as you can.

The following websites can be really useful for revision too...

- TTRS practise your times-tables!
- BBC Bitesize (Key Stage 2)
- Topmarks this is great for Maths! (You can search for games that link to specific areas of Maths. Look out for the age range underneath all games. It will give you a good idea of how useful it is.)
- Spelling Shed practise your spellings!

Remember, revision WILL help you, but please don't overdo it (just like you shouldn't overdo the Easter eggs!). Good luck and enjoy your holidays. (Parents/carers - revision will be more successful for your child if you are able to encourage and support them. It is equally as important to ensure that your child is not trying to do too much, they also need a break over the holidays.)

Miss Carter and Mrs Brasier-Ayres