

Year 6 Newsletter Autumn 2017

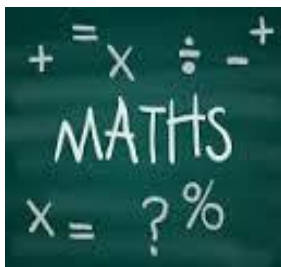
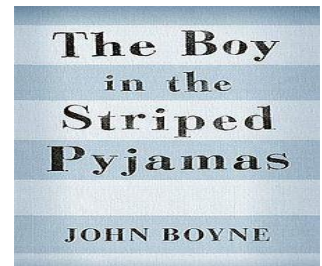
Welcome to Year 6!

We hope you all had a lovely summer and would like to wish you a very warm welcome to Year 6. This is a huge year for all of Year 6 children as we work towards the end of year SATs exams. I am looking forward to working with each child and preparing them to fulfil their potential. I'm sure that it will be another fun year for all of the children! As always, could you please ensure your child is completing their homework and reading every night for at least 5 minutes and that you sign their diary? Thank you!

There will be a Year 6 parent/carer SATs meeting on Monday 9th October at 6pm. We hope that you will come along to find out how best to support your child this year.

English:

In English, your child will be looking at a variety of text genres including recounts, poems, narratives and reports. Our first text is *The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas*, which the children have been extremely engaged with.

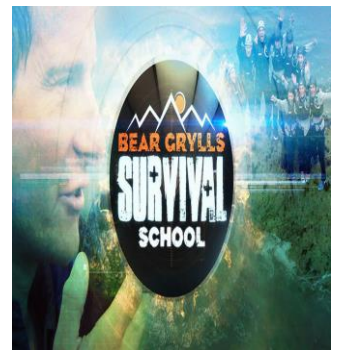


Maths

We have started looking at place value in numbers up to ten million! In addition to this, we will be focussing on the four operations this term and finally, fractions. Please ensure that your child is practising their times tables at home as much as possible. Maths SATs club: Thursday 15:15-16:00.

Topic:

Our topic this term is 'The art of Survival'. We will be looking at characters such as Bear Grylls for inspiration. As part of our learning, we will be going on a trip to Mellor and participating in an outdoor adventure morning at school. During these activities, we will be focussing on how civilization has developed since the Stone Age. We will be using Geographical skills within these sessions such as using maps to locate items.



PE days and routines

This term, our P.E days are Tuesday and Friday. We will be focussing on learning the rules and playing games of tag rugby throughout the first half term. Please ensure that your child has the correct P.E kit in school on both of these days.

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