

July 2021

Dear Parent/Carer

With the six-week holidays now here, we know that many parents would like some resources to use for a variety of English and Maths skills either to use as catch up or as revision ready for next year.

Year 5 going into Year 6:

We will be providing each child with some resources for English and Maths which they will be bringing home with them. The questions provided will be labelled for the six weeks and are purely optional activities. The answers will be available on the school website for marking purposes and they will not be required to hand them in when we are back in September.

In addition to this, White Rose Maths are partnering with Morrisons supermarket and are offering free workbooks for Years 1 – 6 to complete over the summer. Workbooks will be available to collect from Morrisons stores or will be available from July 26th online at the following link:

<https://whiterosemaths.com/morrison/>

Please feel free to use as many of the resources as you wish but most importantly we hope you have a wonderful and relaxing summer.

Maths

Google Classroom: Class Code: 7Isn6hx

In Maths we have provided a number of resources to help with summer study. A google Classroom has been created to enrol on this you need to follow this link:

<https://classroom.google.com/c/MzA1NTU1NzE3OTk1?cjc=7Isn6hx>

or use this classroom code: .

(Once in Google Classroom, you can join a new classroom by clicking on the + symbol)

When in the classroom you will need to click the classwork tab to access the resources that have been provided:

Strategies

In this section I have provided a number of documents that explain the methods that we use when doing basic calculations. There are also some videos that Mr March has produced to explain some of the methods.

Knowledge Organisers

A knowledge organiser covers all of the skills required for the topic in one double sided sheet, they are very useful to have as a prompt to remind you of the skills that have been learnt.

'Let your light shine before others' Matthew 5 v 16
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Catch up topics

Within this section we have collected together PowerPoints that go through the skills that we have covered during the year. To open these, you need to click on the file then open in Google Slides, then click present, then you can view it as you would a Presentation.

Catch up questions

In this section there are questions that relate to the topics in the section above, in each one there is a google form that we would like you to fill in so that we can see how many are completing the work and how well they feel they are getting on.

Catch up Answers

Here are the answers that correspond to the questions in the section above

English:

Google Classroom: Class Code: ys7tl2m

The English faculty have put together a selection of resources for your child to engage with over the summer break to avoid the 'Summer Slump'.

There are a range of activities to build and stretch prior learning and keep your child's brain active.

On Google Classroom, you will find English booklets which focus on:

- Spellings
- Grammar
- Punctuation
- Reading comprehension

You will also find age related power points with suggested activities, designed to stimulate creativity, critical thinking and awareness that learning can take place outside of the classroom environment.

Oak Academy

Also, Oak Academy continue to provide many great activities and resources to support children during the summer holidays.

This can be found here:

<https://www.thenational.academy/summer-learning-support>

On behalf of all at Selwood, we hope you have a wonderful summer holiday. We hope that for those who want to use these resources, you will find them a great way to keep keen minds ticking over!

Yours sincerely



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