

Important Events

World Book Day – Thursday 7th March
Year 6 assessment week – From Monday 4th March
World Book Day – 7th March
Science Day - 15th March
Parent's Evening – 28th March
Art and DT Day - 29th March

Homework

Literacy, Numeracy and grammar homework will be sent out **every Thursday**. The class teacher will collect homework from the children on **Monday mornings**.

Spellings will be sent out every Monday and tested every Friday.
Home readers need to be completed daily and signed weekly by a Parent/Carer.

Booster takes place every Monday and Thursday. (3:45-4:45) please ensure your child stays every week as it is vital revision for their SATs.

PE

This term the children will be exploring dance and how we can use different forms of exercise to keep fit. Children must bring their **complete PE kit every Friday if you are in Kestrel class and every Monday if you are in Hawk class**.



Year Six Spring Term 2 Curriculum Newsletter

We have lots of interesting and new topics to cover this term, with a particular focus on Africa. Please ensure that your child is reading and practising times tables every evening. The CGP books are also fantastic resources for revision, in order to prepare your child for their SATs. These are available to purchase from the office if you haven't done so already.

Should you have any concerns or wish to talk to us about your child's progress, please feel free to speak to us. We are available to talk after school on most days. Information about what your child will learn this half term is on the inside of this booklet.

We look forward to working with you and your child!

As writers we will be exploring non-chronological reports and write about the different layers of the ocean. We will also get to meet an author as part of World Book Day and will be writing a narrative based on the author's book.



As Mathematicians we will continue to develop the mental strategies we use to calculate problems quickly. We will be developing our use of number and work with word problems.



As Scientists we will be looking at light. We will consider how the eyeball works, how light travels and how shadows are made. We will also be creating our own shadow puppets and creating periscopes!

PSHE & RE

PSHE: Changes
RE: Christianity –
parish churches.

Literacy
Non-chronological
reports and
narrative

Numeracy

Time, measures,
number, SAT
revision

Science

Light

Humanities

Ghana

**Physical
Development**
Dance



We will be exploring African greetings through our dance unit. The children will be working in partners and will rehearse and create their own sequences!

The Arts
Picasso

As artists, we will be continuing to explore Picasso and creating 3D cubist portraits.

Please bring in boxes (tea bag boxes, cereal boxes etc)!

Ghana



As Geographers, we will be exploring Ghana. We will consider preconceptions about the country and look at the differences between city and rural life.