

Year 6 Newsletter



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Summer 1



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Dear Families,

Welcome back to the start of the summer term. We hope you had an enjoyable Easter holiday. We have an exciting half-term ahead of us, which is full of learning. Our new topic for this half-term is **What makes my heart beat?** It is a science-based unit of work that has strong links to music and art.

Our work on maths and English will be firmly focused on preparing the children for their SATs that start on 9 May. All of the children have been working incredibly hard and we are proud of their commitment and learning attitudes. Our work with writing continues after SATs as we still have some weeks to showcase the children's very best pieces of work ahead of the teacher assessments that take place later in the term.

Within the wider curriculum, the children will be learning about the circulatory system as well as exploring how we can use our bodies as musical instruments. Our artwork will reflect our work on capturing the human form when using paint.

In other work, we shall be supporting the children to get ready for their transition to high school.

Mr C Harris, Mrs E Bishop & Mrs A McArdle
The Y6 team

Important Dates

09 May - SATs week

16 May - Class photos

20 May - Guildhall School event

28 May to 5 Jun Half-term

24 Jun - Sports Day

4 Jul - Y6 Activity Week

11 Jul - Transition Week

22 Jul - Last day of Term

Home Learning

Weekly homework is set every **Friday** and is due back into class on the following **Thursday**.

Weekly homework is:

- Spellings
- Maths
- Reading

The half-termly homework is project based and linked to our topic work. This is due back on 25 May 2022.

Home Reading Challenge

This half-term, your child has been set the challenge of reading 25 times. Please ensure that an adult records the home reading in the home-academy link book. All home reading must be completed by 25 May 2022.

PE

This half-term, our PE unit of work is tennis. PE is timetabled to take place every **Thursday**. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school - A plain white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers.

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