

## Year 6: Term: Summer 1

### PE - On Tuesday's - Swimming w/b 22/4/24

We will start swimming again this half term. This will take place on a Tuesday. Please ensure your child brings their swimming kit (costume/shorts/towel) to school in a named bag. Children are welcome to wear goggles. They will need to be able to put them on and adjust them themselves. If your child wishes to wear goggles and **has not** previously sent a permission note in (from an adult) then I will need one, please. Previous permission notes are still valid for this term.

### Dojo

We will be sending most communication to you via Class Dojo. If you haven't yet signed up for an account, or haven't logged on recently, please do so. Further information about this is coming out shortly.

### Homework

Homework will be available via Dojo and set every Friday. Please ensure either a hard copy is returned to school or a photo is submitted onto dojo by the following Friday. Please remember the Homework Challenges that run alongside weekly homework tasks.

### Before School SATs Booster

I will continue to run before school boosters for invited children on Wednesday and Thursday mornings. Please encourage your child to come, if they have been invited, as this extra tuition time is vital.

# Class Information Year 6

## Summer Term 1 2024

Welcome back!

We hope you had a restful Easter break and are ready for the busy summer term ahead!

The first four weeks of this half term will focus on revision ready for SATs in the week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> May. We will continue with the Foundation Curriculum in the afternoons.

We have two planned trips for this half term:

- Duxford Imperial War Museum - 22/03/24
- King's Lynn Fire Station, Crucial Crew - 01/04/24

You will find a brief overview of the curriculum content for English and Maths as well as support for your child's well-being. Information about other subjects will be sent separately in a more detailed 'Knowledge Organiser'.

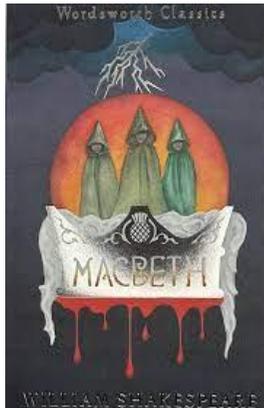
As ever, thank you for your continued support.  
Miss Webb, Miss Burgess and Mrs Pepper

## English

This term we will be writing a narrative based on 'Macbeth,' by Shakespeare. Children will have opportunities every day to read and answer comprehension questions based on the different strands of reading. These strands are tested in the SATs in May.

Children will be taught the grammar and punctuation that is needed for the particular writing unit we are working towards. As well as this, we will ensure that any subject knowledge gaps children have in this area are taught throughout the week.

Spellings are practised consistently throughout the week, with 'spelling quizzes' taking place on Fridays. They comprise of 10/12 statutory spellings from the year 5/6 spelling list. This can be accessed online/in planners if the children wish to continue their revision at home.



## Maths

Maths units this term will include:

- Shape
- Revision (for SATs)
- Statistics - graphs.

We will begin each maths lessons ensuring we teach any gaps in children's subject knowledge to enable them to progress through the year 6 maths curriculum.

Times table knowledge continues to be the key to many aspects of maths. In year 6 we will continue to practise tables in different ways. However, we expect children to be an independent learner in this area and recite and learn any tables they are not fluent in at home. They all have logins to Tacklingtables.co.uk but can easily practise their times tables without the use of the internet also.

On Fridays. We will be completing timed, practise arithmetic tests in the SATs style. This is in order to increase speed, technique, and most importantly their confidence.

