

# Welcome to Year 6

How you can help your child in year 6

Homework:

Given out every Friday, and  
sometimes mid-week.

**Homework diaries need to  
be signed every weekend.**

**Spelling sheet checked daily.**

**Ensure they have completed  
homework and returned it  
on time.**



- Additional homework may be given to help your child catch up on work or for further practice.
- It will help if you sit with your child while they complete this.
- Feel free to mark their work with them as this gives immediate feedback and highlights to you any problems they might still be having.

# How you can help your child:

As the year progresses:

- Homework will increase as SATs approach.
- This will involve marking test papers, revision sheets and offering help and support to your child.
- Ensuring your child completes the set tasks and checking it. Immediate feedback is invaluable.



## Daily:



- Hearing your child read and talking about the book. Please note pages read in homework diary and sign your initials (children should be reading 5 times a week).
- Computer programs which aid learning.
- Times tables.
- Ensuring they have the correct equipment for the day: pencils, pens, rulers, glue sticks etc.

# Marking

- We give a lot of oral feedback to your child and try to mark the work with your child where possible.
- If it appears that a child has not understood the task, they will spend some additional time with a TA until they are more confident and can apply their knowledge.

# Uniform

- White or navy polo shirt
- Dark Navy jumper/sweatshirt/cardigan
- Dark navy or grey trousers/shorts - Shorts should be midhigh length. Trousers and shorts should not be of a tight stretchy material
- Navy or grey skirt/culottes – knee length not stretchy or tight material
- Navy pinafore not grey
- Plain dark navy tights or white, navy, black or grey plain socks



# A reminder about clothing:



- No nail varnish.
- All clothing named.
- Shoes: plain black.
- Hair accessories to be small and navy.
- Sandshoes.
- Full PE kit – t-shirt, shorts, trainers, navy, grey or black jumper/hoodie and jogging bottoms (spare socks, hair bobbles and earring tape).

Please refer to the updated policy on the website



# Mobile Phones

- We appreciate that from time to time that your child may need to bring a phone into school. This needs to be handed in to the class teacher.
- The phone should not be used on school grounds and kept in a pocket /bag when entering or leaving the site.



# PE Kit



- Mondays and Thursday, usually.
- Bring PE kit in on Monday and leave in school all week.
- Tape for ears and hairbands (if required) .
- Summer outfit: plain navy shorts without logos and pale blue t-shirt.
- Winter outfit: as above with dark track suit or similar (Navy, black or dark grey)
- Spare socks.
- Sports jacket or similar when wet/cold
- Deodorant (roll on)

# SATs

13th - 16th May 2024

Consists of:

- assessed writing (all year).

SAT papers:

- 1 x reading comprehension
- 1 x spelling
- 1 x grammar and punctuation
- 3 x maths papers (non calculator)



# Transition

- English, maths and science teachers to work in school on various activities over the year.
- Visit to the technology department to make pencil cases.
- Transition video and talk by head of Y7.
- Art, drama, music and PE festival.

**Whitby**

**Cober Hill**

**Year 6 Residential Visit**

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July to Friday 5<sup>th</sup>  
July 2024**

# COST

Last years cost was £271

This will change, dependent upon price increasers and number of children

# Cober Hill, Cloughton



# Our Accommodation







# Proposed Itinerary - Tuesday



- 1 Bus from Swanland to Goathland followed by walking Treasure Hunt around the village.

then

- 2. Bus to Whitby – tourist activities and paddle in the sea on Whitby beach.

# Tuesday





# Wednesday



- Geo-caching
- Lunch
- Environmental /habitat awareness



# Thursday

- Bus to Dalby Forest (long trousers, trainers and gloves essential)
- Orienteering
- Lunch
- Shelter building



# Friday

## North Yorkshire Water Park

Activities to include...

- Paddle boarding.
- Zip wire.
- Climbing.



# Sickness and ill health.

- If your child has recently been unwell, please do not send them on the trip until fully recovered.
- We would prefer that you brought your child up, well, later in the week, for your child's and others' sakes.

