## 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.

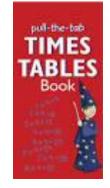


- Additional homework may be given to help your child catch up on work or for further practice.
- It will help if you sit with your child while they complete this.
- Feel free to mark their work with them as this gives immediate feedback and highlights to you any problems they might still be having.

## 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 midthigh 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.



## 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

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## 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.