



Home learning Term 4 – Year 6

Please also see the Home Learning extra section of our website for even more resources.

Maths activities (to be completed weekly)	Reading activities (to be completed weekly)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In Year 6 we have our SATs. The best way to prepare is to start early and play Times Tables Rock Stars! GARAGE mode is the best to help build your TT knowledge. We should all aim for just 3 minutes of Times Tables Rock Stars a day, that's just 21 minutes a week! Challenge Miss Bourne if you dare! If you are feeling more confident with TT rock stars you can have a go at studio to your speed. TTRS has a mode Soundcheck which is designed to be similar to the multiplication check. 1 weekly soundcheck will really support your child be as prepared for the real assessment as possible. https://play.ttrockstars.com/login/51434 If you do not have access to TTRS at home times table practice sheets can be provided on request. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily reading. Your child will have an appropriate level reading book that will provide them with suitable challenge whilst also building confidence as a reader. We encourage reading to be done daily, before bed is always a good opportunity to build reading into the daily routine. When listening to your child read let them discuss what they have read. Encourage them to read with expression and intonation, focus on punctuation and how expression should change. You could also try and share a story together. This could be a chapter book where you read and discuss a chapter a day. You could take it in turns reading or read bits together. Reading to your child is also powerful and should not be underestimated.
Additional Maths activities (complete over the term)	Additional Reading activities (complete over the term)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Top Marks is a great website we use in school, children will be familiar with Hit the button and Rocket rounding. Feel free to explore other games and have some fun! https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ 1- Minute Math is a brilliant app created by White Rose Maths, it has a range of activities aimed to support your child's Maths fluency. The app is free to download or the web version requires a three-word code: cap-lip-age (this does reset every month so an updated 3 words will be available on request. whiteroseeducation.com/digital-tools 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you have finished a book have a go at quizzing. It doesn't matter if you read it alone, with someone or someone read it to you, you can still quiz. https://tinyurl.com/u6v6ncy9 Your child's Username is: Yourname Password: ABC or abc. One you have read a book have a go at writing a book review. Have a look at the following website for what makes a really good book review. You can also submit your review here: Children's Book Reviews Topsta
Spelling activities (to be completed weekly)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practise the 5/6 Statutory spellings which are printed in the homework book. Practise 5 words a week simply doing a look cover write check activity. You could also test your child at the end of the week. 	

Spelling activities (completed over the term)

- The students have a spellings activity sheet in their homework book. Please select a range of these activities to practise our spellings.
- You can also visit <https://spellingtraining.com/> and enter your chosen words to play spelling games.
- Choose 5 Common Exception words. Write synonyms, antonyms, the meaning and an example of how to use the word in a sentence. Can the word be modified?

Wider curriculum ideas to try!

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Learn even more:

- We are learning all about 'Ancient Greeks' this term so why not do some additional research. You can find extra information.
 - 1.) <https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/history/greece/10-facts-about-the-ancient-greeks/>
 - 2.) <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z87tn39>

Be a Scientist:

- This term we are learning all about the human body and animals.
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcyycdm>
- **Have a go at these different science activities at home**
<https://www.weareteachers.com/circulatory-system-activities/>

Be Creative:

- Have a go at creating some different balanced starters, mains and desserts. Do your own 'Come Dine with me' at home.
<http://tinyurl.com/2xn4jpsi>
<https://realfood.tesco.com/food-ideas-for-kids.html>

Be Active:

- We love being active in Year 6 and have a go at Joe Wicks for kids. <http://tinyurl.com/4af47vbn>
- We have also had a go at some cosmic Yoga. These YouTube videos are great if you want an introduction to Yoga. <https://www.youtube.com/user/cosmickidsyoga>

Be reflective:

- Take a moment to embrace music. Harness the mood boosting power of music by making your own playlists – one that helps you feel peaceful, one to help you focus and another to give you a feel-good hit. A good old sing always lifts the spirits, too.
- You can also have a go at our Bubble Bounce mindfulness activity, it is great for taking a moment to relax and reset. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UEuFi9PxKuo>

Thameside Teamwork:

Help someone in your family – it might be tidying your room; doing the washing up or even helping to wash the car! If you need some extra encouragement with a good old tidy up why not try the *Tidy up Rumba*. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dhw6JDF4A0Q>

Please date and initial each week when you have heard your child read (up to three times) – of course if you wish to read more, that would be fantastic! Please also do the same for times table practice and spelling. Please add any comments about your child's reading in the final column.

Week	Reading Date/Initial	Maths Date/Initial	Spelling Date/Initial	Comments
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