



## Year 6

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Dear Parents & Carers,

It has been another busy week in year 6. We are continuing our grammar, reading comprehension and maths work to prepare the children for their SATs and have used many online resources, which can be accessed from home.

The children have been sent home with this term's trip letter. This also includes details about ordering leavers' hoodies. This must be returned by **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May** so we can place the order for the hoodies.

Please remind your children that the gate is locked at 15:25 and they need to be going straight home after dismissal; they should not be hanging around the playground/playing football.

We hope you enjoy the bank holiday weekend.

Mrs Howarth, Mrs Lawn, Miss Bennett & Mrs Vincer

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### Homework

**English, Maths and Spelling**- the children have filled out their own 'revision grids' according to what areas of maths, spelling and grammar they need work on. This is homework for the next two weeks. They can use resources from the google classrooms to aid their revision.

English: **9x4m0w**

Maths: **7vu1e9m**

They do not need to bring anything in.

[www.spellingframe.co.uk](http://www.spellingframe.co.uk)

### Useful Websites

<https://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/>

login is student37712 password fernhill

### Date Reminders

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May**

SATs week

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May**

Trip to Guildford Spectrum

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### Recommended Reads

Our new class reads:

- *The Light Jar* by Lisa Thompson
- *Nevermoor* by Jessica Townsend
- *The Imaginary* by A.F Harrold

## Year 6 Summer Term Trips

Dear Parents,

Year 6 are working extremely hard but we have much to look forward to in the Summer Term. To celebrate the end of SATS week, we are going to the Spectrum centre in Guildford to do ice-skating and bowling. We will be travelling by coach on the Friday of SATs week.

As part of our Science work, we have a scientist coming in to talk to the children about evolution. He will share photographs and real finds, including teeth and skeletons. Year 6 really enjoyed this workshop last year.

We are visiting Kew Gardens to look at the variety of plants, flowers and seeds as well as to support our Geography and Science work on biomes and adaptation. We will also have an opportunity to enjoy views from the Treetop Walk.

We will be visiting The National Portrait Gallery to view the art and complete a workshop. Children will learn about portrait drawing and choose their own winner of the BP Portrait Award.

Year 6 will be involved in a transition workshop, which is held at Cornerstone on Canbury Park Road. They will meet with other year 6's in the borough. Each pupil will also receive an 'It's Your Move' book, which is a guide to moving to secondary school. These are donated by local churches.

We have chosen a script for our **Year 6 Production** in July. This promises to be a hugely enjoyable project for the children, providing an opportunity to show case all of the talent in Year 6 this year. There will be a morning and evening performance for Y6 parents on **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 6pm** and **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 9:30am**.

As part of our outdoor PE we are offering the children the chance to learn water sport skills at Albany Park sailing club. In past years we have tried canoeing, kayaking and dragon boating. The sessions will be longer this year, but for fewer weeks; this worked well last year. The total cost of water sports will change according to the number of children that participate, but will be about £27 for the two sessions.

The Year 6 Disco will be on Thursday 18th July 5:30-7:30pm. We will be compiling a play list over the coming term so please let us know any favourites songs.

The total voluntary contribution requested is £15 (excluding water sports). Payment can be made via Parent Pay or by cash/cheque via the school office (in a sealed envelope marked with your child's name, class and trip).

Would you please note that if insufficient, voluntary contributions are raised to fund the trips, they may have to be cancelled. Children in receipt of pupil premium/free school meals do not have to pay.

The children will need packed lunches for the trips to the Spectrum, Kew Gardens, and the National Portrait Gallery. If your child would like a school packed lunch for the trip, then please ensure you book this online via Parent Pay, before the usual lunch deadline and at least 5 working days before the trip day. Alternatively, please send your child in with a packed lunch for the trip. Please note that you should not order a hot lunch on trip days – these will automatically be cancelled by the school and a credit added to your Parent Pay lunches balance if relevant.

Once we know how many children are taking part in water sports we will send out separate consent forms and collect payment. Please indicate on the reply slip whether or not you would like your child to take part in the water sports activities. We will need adults to help on all of the trips, in order for them all to take place. Please indicate on the reply slip if you are able to help out. We thank you for your continued help and support.

Mrs Howarth, Mrs Lawn, Miss Bennett, Mrs Vincer, Mrs Dawson, Mrs Sandys, Mrs Edwards

Date	Event		Transport
13-16 <sup>th</sup> May	SATS week		
Friday 17/5/18	Guildford Spectrum	Ice-skating and bowling	Coach
5 <sup>th</sup> June	Wacky Wednesday- in school		
12 <sup>th</sup> June	Evolution	Workshop in school	n/a
17 <sup>th</sup> June	National Portrait Gallery	Willow class: workshop & tour in groups	Train
17 <sup>th</sup> June	National Portrait Gallery	Elder class: workshop & tour in groups	Train
24 <sup>th</sup> June	National Portrait Gallery	Oak class: workshop & tour in groups	Train
25 <sup>th</sup> June	Cornerstone Hub	Y6 transition to secondary school workshop	walk
27 <sup>th</sup> June 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Albany Park	Water sports e.g. kayaking & canoeing	walk
Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> July and Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Production	Performance for parents Tuesday at 6pm and Wednesday at 9:30am	n/a
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Kew Gardens	Self-guided tour in groups	
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Disco	School hall 5:30-7:30pm	n/a
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Special Year 6 leavers assembly	Parents invited to watch  9:15 am Large hall	n/a
19 <sup>th</sup> July Last day of term: Children can bring in shirts for signing			

## LEAVERS' HOODIES

We have to finalise our order for hoodies by **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2019**. If you would like to purchase a hoodie please indicate the size they will require from the chart below. Please note adult sizes cost £15.99 whilst children's sizes cost £12.99. There is a choice of navy blue or burgundy. Please pay for an adult or child-sized hoodie on parentpay or via the office. Your order will only be placed if you pay and return this slip by Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May at 4pm.

	Chest to fit body	Pit to pit garment measurement	Arm pit to cuff measurement	Height neck to seam measurement
Child 1-2	22	14	10.5	13.5
Child 3-4	24	14	12	13.5
Child 5-6	26	15	12.5	15.5
Child 7-8	28	16	13	16.5
Child 9-11	30	17	16	19.5
Child 12-13	32	18	17	21
Adult XS	32	18	18.5	22.5
Adult S	34-36	19	18.5	22.5
Adult M	38-40	21	19	24
Adult L	42-44	22	20	25.5
Adult XL	46-48	24	20	26.5
Adult 2XL	50-52	25.5	20.5	26.5
Adult 3XL	56	27	21	27.5
Adult 4XL	60	-	-	-
Adult 5XL	64	-	-	-



**Please return to Y6 class teachers**

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ class

I give permission for my child to attend the trips listed below:

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<b>Water sports:</b> Would your child be allowed to take part in <b>water sports</b> at an additional costs of about £27? <b>Yes/No</b>				



**Hoodie order (optional)**

**Navy Blue / Burgundy**

**Size:**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_