

Welcome to Year 6



Hello everyone,

We just wanted to say 'Hi' and let you know that each and every one of you is in our thoughts as we continue this separation during lockdown. We hope that you're all doing ok.

Firstly, can we please say thank you for your amazing level of support as we begin the summer term. We hope you find this information useful in helping you to access links to online learning resources to support your Home-Learning.

We would like you to manage what you can according to your circumstances, as well as balancing the mental well-being of your child and yourselves during this difficult time.

We are missing you all and hope that you're ok.

We understand how difficult it is to keep on top of things at home and think that the **BBC Bitesize** material is a really good place to start with your home learning.



Log onto BBC Bitesize and complete each Y6 Daily English and Maths activity as they are updated. (Don't print or photocopy anything; simply watch the videos, read the information and click on the tasks. You can record down any notes on some paper you have at home, if necessary).

There are Maths and English sessions every day followed by some element of topic work.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/tags/zncsscw/year-6-and-p7-lessons/1>

Alternatively, if you are struggling to access electronic devices within your home, you can use 'The Red Button' Bitesize daily across the BBC - Primary or BBC iPlayer. If you switch your tv to BBC and click the red button on your remote control you will find a daily TV magazine programme, with teachers providing curriculum support for 5-11 year olds.

Additionally you can also log into the **Oak National Academy**, which also has further activities.



Again there are Maths and English sessions every day, followed by some element of topic work.

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-6#schedule>

The Lancashire Maths team who support Lancashire schools with Maths have provided further Maths activities.



http://www.lancsngfl.ac.uk/curriculum/primarymaths/index.php?category_id=1215

We have also added further activities into the folders, but please do not feel that you have to print them out, simply view them on the screen and complete your work on paper.



www.lancashire.gov.uk/lpds



You will find two new reading units prepared by the English team, who support us regularly in school, which provide daily structured activities. The first of which is called 'It's Magic' and explores extracts from The Nowhere Emporium and the second unit focuses on the novel 'Wonder' by R.J Palacio.

Alongside reading as much as possible and keeping on top of your Times Table Rock Stars you've got plenty of work to keep yourself busy.



In the Topic Folder in the work pack, there are Art activities linked to our summer term topic 'Oh! I do like to be Beside the Seaside', which we're sure many of you will be inspired by - enjoy being creative!



As part of our History topic, we thought you might like to begin investigating the Victorians and have listed some key areas for you to focus your research on. Feel free to be creative in the ways you present your findings.

The school website is being updated regularly with new activities and ideas too.

Remember it's up to you how much or little you do - please don't put yourselves under any more pressure to do everything.

Thank you for all you're doing and we look forward to seeing you all when this is over.

Take care and stay safe.

Mrs N. Haworth and Mrs L. Kelly