



Hello Year 6,

We hope that you and your families are all continuing to keep safe and well. We are continuing to miss each and every one of you, but it has been lovely to catch up with you using 2email.

We Miss You All



Thank you once again for your amazing level of support and hard work that you continue to show us. We have been blown away by the lovely pieces of work and photographs that you have shared with us - thank you. It makes us very proud to see you working hard and keeping up with your studies, but also enjoying other activities with your family, learning new skills and creating memories together. We would love to receive more and aim to share your efforts via the school Twitter feed and our new Helmshore Home Heroes Newsletter. If you haven't appeared in this edition, please don't worry, we will aim to include you in future editions. You can continue to contact us via our class emails if you need any help or support.

6H@helmshore.lancs.sch.uk and 6K@helmshore.lancs.sch.uk.

We have now created the next Home Learning Pack for you, and hope you find the following information useful in helping you to access links to online learning resources to supplement your learning. Please do not feel that you have to print the activities out; simply view them on the screen and complete your work on paper.

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

We understand that many of you will be using the Internet more and accessing more information online. The following link is useful in helping you and your child to understand the importance of online safety.

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/Support-tools/home-activity-worksheets/>

Maths and English Activities

We hope that you are continuing to enjoy using **BBC Bitesize** as part of your daily 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>

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.

BBC
Bitesize



You can continue to login to 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



Corbett Maths Primary is a great website full of super materials to support you with your understanding of different mathematical concepts.

<https://corbettmaths.com/5-a-day/primary/>



We hope that you have been enjoying the reading units prepared by the Lancashire English team. We are continuing to work through activities based upon the theme of **Climate Change**, which explores this worldwide issue through a range of non-fiction and fiction resources.

"No one is too small to make a difference" Greta Thunberg.



We recently sent you login and password details to allow you to access a new resource which we are now using in school called Purple Mash. We are pleased that many of you have already explored the activities on this learning platform and have used the handing in tool to send them to us to mark. By now, you should have completed your '**Memories of Helmshore School**', if you haven't please can you do this as soon as possible. Your second 2do task has now been set

Dear Mrs Jones: Advise Sam how to settle into his new secondary school. Please complete this carefully and take your time to create a detailed and accurate piece of writing. You may receive feedback asking you to redo your work, please respond to the teacher comments and make the necessary changes.

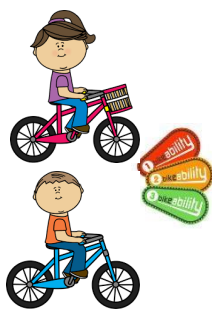
The activities will be shaded blue when you have a task to do and will turn green when you have completed the task. You need to remember to use the 'Hand in' tool to send it to us to mark.



In addition to 2Dos, we have now introduced 2email and have loved receiving lots of lovely messages from you. You are now able to message us directly using your own email account and reconnect with your friends too. We hope you are enjoying this new facility. Every week we will be posting important messages and reminders using 2Blog. Remember to click on the Alert button every time you login to check for work, emails and messages.



Topic Activities



We are very aware that you would have had an opportunity to further develop your Road Safety and practical bike riding skills, during the summer term. Unfortunately, this is no longer possible in school, so we have created a unit of work in the Topic Folder (Packs 6 & 7) to help you with the theory and develop your understanding, whilst you are at home. Please continue with the work within pack 7 to help you further develop your understanding of Road safety.

As we are now well into the summer term, many of you will be thinking and planning for the move to your new secondary schools. The activities in the Topic Folder will give you opportunity to find out what to expect. In case you haven't already had chance, the following links will also be useful in preparing yourself for what secondary school life will be like.

Haslingden High: <https://haslingdenhigh.com/>
BRGS: <https://www.brgs.org.uk/>
Blessed Trinity RC High School: <http://www.btrcc.lancs.sch.uk/>
Mount Carmel High School: <https://mountcarmelhigh.co.uk/>
Todmorden High School: <http://www.todhigh.co.uk/>

BBC Bitesize: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zj2grj6> is another useful resource to help you learn more about 'Starting at High School'. We are sure that your new schools will be contacting you very soon.



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. These resources can be easily accessed via the links on the school website.

Keeping Active and Healthy

It is so important to keep yourselves fit and healthy and we hope you are managing to go outside for your daily exercise and to enjoy the lovely weather. Continue to have fun exploring the following links:

<https://www.nhs.uk/change4life>
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/supermovers/ks2-collection/zr4ky9q>
<https://lancshireschoolgames.co.uk/>



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 that you are doing and we look forward to seeing you all when it is safe for us to be together again.

Take care and stay safe.

Mrs N. Haworth and Mrs L. Kelly



