

Handwriting and Presentation

Children in Year 6 will be expected to present all of their work to the best of their ability.

Key dates

13.04.26 School opens
04.05.26 Bank Holiday
11.05.26 – 14.05.26 – SATs week
15.05.26 – Sports afternoon 1pm
25.05.26 – 29.05.26 Half Term
01.06.26 Inset
02.06.26 Bikeability
08.06.26 Theme week
13.06.26 Chesham Carnival
29.06.26 Production to Y2 (Newtown) and Heritage House
29.06.26 Production to whole school
30.06.26 Production to parents 2-3:30pm
01.07.26 Production to parents 6-7:30pm
07.07.26 Transition Day
10.07.26 Inset Day
20.07.26 Leavers Disco 5-7pm
22.07.26 Leavers Ceremony (9-11am)
22.07.26 School closes at 1.30pm

Homework

Maths homework will be set on a Wednesday and due in the following Wednesday. Spellings investigations will be an ongoing weekly task in Spelling Shed.

Equipment

Please ensure your child has the following equipment, which has been labelled with their full name, at the beginning of term:

- Pencils (HB)
- Rubber
- Berol pen or uniball fine blue handwriting pen
- Clear 30cm ruler (not coloured or flexible)
- Pencil sharpener
- Glue stick
- Scissors

The above items should be kept in a **small clear pencil case** to fit in a shallow tray.

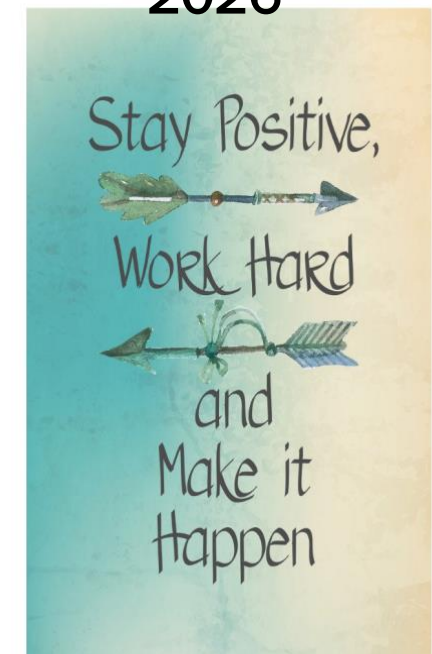
Reading

It is vital children spend time reading at home with an adult every day. This allows the child to explore a range of genres and practise their fluency techniques.

Year 6



Summer Term 2026



All About Year 6!

Welcome to the Summer term.

PE

Both classes have PE on **Monday** and **Friday**.

All children must have black or white trainers or black plimsolls, Brushwood t-shirt, yellow socks, navy tracksuit bottoms and navy shorts for the warmer weather. Any children with pierced ears must remove their earrings or place tape over their ears for PE sessions.

Please ensure all the PE kit is clearly named.

Art

We will be creating a personal memory box using a collection of found objects and hand-sculptured forms, reflecting primary school life with symbolic and personal meaning.

Geography

The children will be observing, measuring, recording and presenting their own fieldwork study of the local area.

English

In English, we will be focusing on the following genres of writing:

- Persuasive writing
- Narrative
- Biography
- Writing from another character's perspective.
- Non chronological reports

Throughout the Summer term we will be reading 'Pig Heart Boy' as our class book and using the film Alma. We will also be taking part in SPaG activities and guided reading comprehensions.

Mathematics

Over this term we will be focusing on geometry, properties of shapes and statistics. We will also be completing TT Rockstars as well as weekly arithmetic papers.

RE

The focus in religious studies will be looking at diversity in religions.

DT

We will research existing playground equipment and their different forms, before designing and developing a range of apparatus.

Science

Our topics this term is Animals including Humans. Children will be given the opportunity to investigate and answer their own questions and will include the function of the heart through a dissection.

Computing

We will be learning about the use of big data including data transfer and storage and designing a 'smart' school.

PSHE

In PSHE the children will be learning about caring for others, recognising discrimination, valuing diversity and national democracy.

History

In history we will be deciding who should feature on a banknote by applying criteria and exploring the legacies of different historical figures.

French

This term, we will learn ten phrases for activities children may do at the weekend in French. They will also be presented with further extension on telling the time and opinions / justifications.