

Please could you ensure that your child is prepared for school by ensuring they have all the equipment that they need; please see the box (below right) for reminders. **In particular, please ensure that your child has a pencil and blue handwriting / liquid ink pen in their pencil case.**

## Our learning for the week

### **Maths**

In maths this week, we will look at multiplication and division.

### **English**

The children are writing an adventure story based on Kenuske's Kingdom and are practising writing direct speech.

### **Science**

We are looking at the adaptations of camels.

### **History**

We will be looking at Tudor trade.

### **PSHE**

We will be discussing migration.

### **PE**

This half term, we are learning about hockey.

### **RE**

Our focus is the holy trinity.

### **Music**

The children are learning a tribal groove percussion dance this half term.

### **Art**

## Upcoming Events

**6H will be spending the day at the RGS on Friday, learning about the Tudors. They will need a packed lunch. They will be back at the normal pick up time.**

**On Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October, you are welcome to join us for our Year 6 curriculum meeting. This will be at 3:30pm in 6H and is an opportunity to find out more about the year ahead. We look forward to seeing you.**

**On Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October, nurses will be coming to school to carry out health and weight checks on the children.**

**On Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October, the children will be receiving nasal flu vaccinations.**

**Swimming is on Thursdays.**

**PE is on Wednesdays this half term.**

On the school website, you can now find a number of useful resources which can help support your child's learning at home. They are examples of what we use at school, so the children will be familiar with them.

<https://www.boxgrove.surrey.sch.uk/year-groups/year-6-curriculum>

These are some resources that may be useful for you to follow at home for maths, if you choose to do so.

We are producing pictures of boats in different mediums.

### **Computing**

The children will learn about big data systems and use Excel.

### **Spellings**

**These are the spelling words we will introduce to the children on Monday. They will be tested on these on Friday.**

individual  
equipped  
epidemic  
privilege  
equipment  
rhythm  
accidentally  
reign  
bargain  
correspond

At the bottom of this document are the statutory spellings that children are expected to know by the end of Year 6, if you want to practise at any time.

<https://mathsbot.com/> : the "Question Generator" is particularly good, as is the KS2 arithmetic page.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/parent-resources> : the "free workbooks" that you can download are brilliant question and answer resources on all of our maths topics

Please be aware that school starts at 8:40am when work begins. Please ensure your child is here in order not to miss out on this valuable time.

### **Be prepared for school!**

Please ensure that your child has the following in school every day:

- Trainers to wear at break and lunchtime.
- Water bottle.
- Fruit / vegetable snack or rice cakes for break time (optional).
- Coat for cooler / wet days.
- Fully stocked pencil case: this would include a blue handwriting pen and a spare blue handwriting pen, pencils, eraser, pencil sharpener and a small glue stick.
- Please remember to order a lunch for your child.

### **Home Learning/Reading**

Homework is released every Wednesday on Seesaw, following a similar structure to last academic year and is due in by Monday. Children should work in their home learning books and upload photos onto Seesaw

Children should also read regularly at home. We have copies of the "Top 150 books" in school for them to borrow and a whole range of other books too. If your child finds reading a challenge, please support them by reading with them at least 3 times per week.

### **PE**

PE will be on Wednesdays this term. Your child should arrive in their Boxgrove PE kit and ensure that they have both trainers and indoor shoes to wear. They may wish to wear an additional layer under their Boxgrove hoodie to keep warm in the classroom. **Please bring in an extra pair of shoes for your child on PE days so they have a clean pair after PE.**

### **Water bottle**

Please ensure your child brings a full water bottle every day as they are not permitted to use the water fountains.

### **Trainers**

All children must have a spare pair of outdoor shoes kept at school each day to change into at break and lunchtime, to ensure that the classrooms are kept clean. This includes PE days. If your child arrives in their PE trainers, they must have a change of shoes to wear inside (e.g. school shoes).

## **Year 3 and 4 Statutory Spellings**

accident	calendar	eight	guide	mention	possession	straight
accidentally	caught	eighth	heard	minute	possible	strange
actual	centre	enough	heart	natural	potatoes	strength
actually	century	exercise	height	naughty	pressure	suppose
address	certain	experience	history	notice	probably	surprise
although	circle	experiment	imagine	occasion	promise	therefore
answer	complete	extreme	important	occasionally	purpose	though
appear	consider	famous	increase	often	quarter	thought
arrive	continue	favourite	interest	opposite	question	through
believe	decide	February	island	ordinary	recent	various
bicycle	describe	forward	knowledge	particular	regular	weight
breath	different	forwards	learn	peculiar	reign	woman
breathe	difficult	fruit	length	perhaps	remember	women
build	disappear	grammar	library	popular	sentence	
busy	early	group	material	position	separate	
business	earth	guard	medicine	possess	special	

## **Year 5 and 6 Statutory Spellings**

accommodate	category	determined	foreign	lightning	profession	sincerely
accompany	cemetery	develop	forty	marvellous	programme	soldier
according	committee	dictionary	frequently	mischievous	pronunciation	stomach
achieve	communicate	disastrous	government	muscle	queue	sufficient
aggressive	community	embarrass	guarantee	necessary	recognise	suggest
amateur	competition	environment	harass	neighbour	recommend	symbol
ancient	conscience	equip	hindrance	nuisance	relevant	system
apparent	conscious	equipped	identity	occupy	restaurant	temperature
appreciate	controversy	equipment	immediate	occur	rhyme	thorough
attached	convenience	especially	immediately	opportunity	rhythm	twelfth
available	correspond	exaggerate	individual	parliament	sacrifice	variety
average	criticise	excellent	interfere	persuade	secretary	vegetable
awkward	curiosity	existence	interrupt	physical	shoulder	vehicle
bargain	definite	explanation	language	prejudice	signature	yacht
bruise	desperate	familiar	leisure	privilege	sincere	