



Week beginning: 17th March 2019

'Achieving Excellence'

Our Year 6 Learning Pathway

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Paths Letters: To ensure parents are well informed for the week ahead, the Path letters will now be available, on the website, every Thursday afternoon.

Wadi Adventure trip: This will take place on Sunday 24th March. The forms and payment must be returned by Sunday 17th March. A letter has been sent home with forms to complete. Please ask your child for the letter if you have not seen it yet. The forms have also been emailed by Mr. Sommerville.

20/20 Challenge: Please encourage your child to take part in the reading challenge.

Special Olympics: Schedule as follows: 6B – Monday 18th March. 6A and 6C – Tuesday 19th March. 6D Wednesday 20th March. **Departure time from school is 6AM prompt.**

Lessons will continue as normal for the children who are not going on the trip.

Board game project: This week your child will be creating a board game to share with other year 6 children in the final week of term. Your child can bring resources from home to help with this project if they wish.

Paths	Week beg: Sunday 17th March 2019	
	In School Learning	Home Learning
English	This week the children will independently writing another newspaper report using all the features and vocabulary we learnt last week.	<p>Spelling: Practise and learn your spellings. (At the end of this letter.)</p> <p>Written assignment: Present and past tense. The teacher will give your child an assignment to complete.</p> <p>Extension: Write a short paragraph in the present tense on a topic of your choice then rewrite it in the past tense.</p> <p>Remember to read every day for at least 20 minutes.</p>
Maths	This week we will be learning all about percentages. We will be solving problems involving the calculation of percentages. We will be recalling and using equivalences between fractions, decimals and percentages in different contexts.	<p>Division sheet: This should be completed in your homework book. Any workings should be shown, also in your homework book.</p> <p>Helpful websites: Decimal numbers: https://www.mathsisfun.com/decimals.html Times tables practise: https://www.timestables.co.uk/ Mental maths practise: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10</p>



Science	This week we will be learning all about the heart and its functions.	<p>Your child should complete their informative presentation about either the heart or the brain. They will present this to their classmates over the next two weeks.</p> <p>Format could be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Video e.g. imovie • Podcast • Powerpoint • Poster • Game • Book <p>There will be a prize for the most creative, innovative and informative presentation for each class.</p>
Integrated Curriculum	We will learn about some Mayan gods and read stories about what the Mayan people believed.	<p>Mayan mask project: (Examples below)</p> <p>Masks were a big part of Mayan society. In preparation for our upcoming end of term Mayan and Body Science game board day, make a face-sized Mayan mask out of any material you choose. Make it colourful! A simple google search will get you hundreds of ideas!</p> <p>Due Wednesday 27 March.</p>

Year 6 Spellings – 17th March 2019

Commonly misspelled words.

familiar	famous	forest	guest
guarantee	guilty	government	halve
height	information	interest	instead
jewel	juice	language	listen
league	maintenance	mountain	machine