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Dear Year Six Parents

Happy New Year! We would like to take this opportunity to inform you of the curriculum coverage for the Spring Term (project plan overleaf). Parent Consultations have been arranged for Tuesday 13th March and Wednesday 14th March 2017, but if you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us. We hope that the following information will enable you to provide support and encouragement for your child.

English

Writing will take place in all subject areas. Opportunities will include developing a journalistic style, writing biographically as well as studying different styles poetry.

Mathematics

As well as an emphasis on mental maths, main topics include work on place value, calculations, calculator work, measuring, shape and data handling. In addition, we will be preparing the children for the SATs. Your support in encouraging them through the use of Mathletics and revision tasks will be of great benefit.

PE and Games

PE will always be on Monday, with an additional flexible session during the week. Please ensure that your child has appropriate kit in school every day. We recommend that children leave their kit in school during the week.

Home-learning

Spelling: Spelling & sentence work will be set on Friday for testing the following Friday.

Reading: Children are expected to read daily and to use their Reading Journal to record their responses at least four times per week.

Maths: Mathletics will be set with appropriate learning tasks. In addition there will be appropriate revision tasks set from time to time.

Your child should spend up to 30 minutes on home-learning tasks. Please endeavour to provide your child with support and a suitable place to work. We hope the above information will be of value to you.

Trips: We are really looking forward to going to The living Rainforest on Tuesday 20th February 2018. More information will follow shortly.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 6 Team

