



Ashley Junior School

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Monday 16th April 2018

Dear Year Six Parent/Carers,

Happy Summer term! We would like to take this opportunity to inform you of the curriculum coverage for the Summer Term (project plan overleaf). SATS tests will begin on Monday 14th May to Thursday 17th May 2018. The children usually have an enjoyable experiences (starting with an early morning breakfast - details to follow) during this week 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 stories as well as studying different styles of 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 be on Friday, 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 stuck in their yellow spelling books 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 see Warhorse on Thursday 7th June 2018. More information will follow shortly.

Yours sincerely,

The Year 6 Team