#### Spellings:

Spellings will be included in Friday's homework and will be tested in class the following Tuesday. Please remember your child can use Spelling Shed at home to practise – children will all have a login in their PALS for this.

#### Times tables:

Children should be encouraged to learn all multiplications and recall them rapidly.

Please test them at home whenever possible and use TTRS as a way to practise rapid recall – children will all have a login in their PALS.

#### P.E. Kits:

Children take part in PE each week so need their kit in school on their designated PE day. This will take place on Thursday afternoon. The kit is as follows:

- Plain white t-shirt (no logos)
- Plain black/navy shorts (no logos)
- Trainers (outdoor) / black pumps (indoor)
- Black / navy jogging bottoms / tracksuit may be worn outside in winter (no logos).

This half term, the children will be participating in hockey, therefore the children will need to wear either pumps or trainers for outdoor PF.

## **Year 6 Newsletter**

# Spring 2025

#### Welcome back!

We hope you all had a wonderful, relaxing Christmas and New Year. We are excited to welcome our Year 6 children back to continue their brilliant learning.

Year 6 had a very busy Autumn term and we all thoroughly enjoyed ourselves. Thank you to all parents and carers for your support with homework, learning of times tables, spellings and reading. Please continue to encourage your children to practise these skills regularly.

If you would like to discuss your child's progress at any time please speak to us.

Miss O'Connor and Mrs Wood



#### Homework:

By now, children should know their times tables but should continue to learn weekly spellings. This week your children will start to take home a CGP pack of work and study books as their homework. Children will be instructed as to which homework to complete **daily**. This has all been explained to the children.

## **Reading:**

Reading as regularly as possible to an adult or independently at home can make a huge impact on your child's learning. We would like to see your child read a minimum of FIVE times a week.

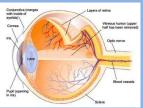
Once they have read, an adult should sign their Pupil Activity Log (PAL).

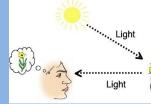
Each week your child achieves this goal, they will move up one place on a prize board. If they reach the target, they'll win a prize!



### Science:

In Science, we will be experimenting with light, how we see things and how shadows are formed. We will learn about the functions of our eyes and how light travels.







## **Geography:**

This half term we will be learning about The United Kingdom as part of our Geography topic. We will be using maps and atlases to learn about the different countries and counties of the UK as well as other geographical features. We will then be moving on to look in more detail at our local area.

