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Year 6 Class 6STa

Hello Children,

It has been a pleasure to welcome some Year 6 children back to Five Ways. There are lots of ways school is the same, but there are many differences too. In school we are following similar learning activities to those of you continuing to complete your learning at home. We are united in our learning goals! Many of the Leavers' Hoodies and T-shirts have been delivered by special delivery. Those of you learning at home may have noticed a familiar face completing the delivery.

I hope that you have completed some of the well-being activities I set for your Home-Learning last week. I particularly enjoyed thinking about who to include on my strengths family tree. I was also fascinated by the number of ways a plastic bottle can be reused. I chose to make mine into a bird feeder. How did you transform yours?

This week we have chosen to look at algebra in mathematics as our learning topic. Please read section 5 of your CGP Targeted Study Book before you begin. I love teaching algebra because I feel like I am teaching you to crack codes. I hope you will enjoy it too!

Please remember to refer to the chart at the end of this letter to plan your home learning. It is important to aim to complete one bullet point from each section of the chart, per day. Aim to spend between 1 to 3 hours, per day, on your home learning.

Keep exercising for at least 1 hour per day. This week why not set yourself five activity stations. For example you could have skipping, football dribbling, throwing and catching, jogging on the spot and speed bounce. Complete each activity for two minutes and then repeat when you have a spare 10 minutes in your day.

If you would like to appear on the website to share a picture of you learning in a creative way or you celebrating your birthday at home send a photograph to: yr6photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk - please remember to check with your parent first. For those of you who wish to enter the Caroline Bowers Art Competition please send in a photograph of your entry. If you would like to simply share your photograph with us and would prefer not to have your photograph on the website please make this clear in your message.

Have an amazing week!

Mrs Tandy ☺



Week Commencing: Monday 15th June

Weekly Spelling (pick one per day)	Weekly Reading (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spelling Frame www.spellingframe.co.uk Spelling Rule 28 • Spelling Frame www.spellingframe.co.uk Spelling Rule 56 • Create pictures to represent the meaning of these words eight, eighth, enough, exercise and experience. • Use natural elements (sticks, leaves etc.) to create these words: equipment, equipped, especially, exaggerate and excellent. • Take the Spelling Frame Test for Rules 28 and 56. What is your score this week? Which words do you need to practise? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oak National Academy: Character Description: Reading Focus Comparison • Oak National Academy: Character Description: Reading Focus Prediction. • Reading from Bug Club – Read at least 4 poems. (The link and passwords can be found in your Home-Link Book) • Choose your favourite poem and perform it to members of your household. • Complete the 60 second read on the school website.

Weekly Writing (pick one per day)	Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)
<p>Writing Activity 8– A Letter of Complaint See the Home Learning page of the school website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Day 1 Oak Academy Lesson 3 – Letter of Complaint Identifying the Features. • Day 2 Oak Academy Lesson 4 – Letter of Complaint Clause Structures • Day 3 – Refer to the Letter of Complaint prompt on the Home Learning website to plan your letter. • Day 4 Oak Academy Lesson 5 Write a letter of Complaint. Please refer to the Home Learning Prompt too. • Day 5: Please edit your letter of complaint and check your writing against the success criteria provided. <p>If you would like to practise your grammar, punctuation and spelling skills please complete the paper on the Home Learning page of the school website.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BBC Bitesize – What is an equation? www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zghp34j/articles/z2qmrwx • BBC Bitesize – How to solve missing number problems. • MyMaths: Complete ‘introduction to algebra’. (There are 3 additional tasks if you wish to challenge yourself). • Times Tables Rock Stars: Mrs Tandy’s Class V Miss Myatt’s Class, Mrs Tandy’s Girls V Mrs Tandy’s Boys and Year 5 V Year 6. • Complete the arithmetic paper on the Home-Learning page of the school website.

Weekly Project: Picasso Art Challenge



Research the artist Picasso.
 Now create a collage or cardboard sculpture using images of guitars as a stimulus. Remember in cubist art work objects are broken up and put back together in an abstract form. Here are some examples of work based on Picasso’s art work.

Other Useful Resources:



This week is loneliness awareness week. At this time it is perhaps even more important to consider those around us who may be feeling a bit lonely.

Can you think of ways to make them feel better? Make sure that you stay safe.

You could:

- Make a telephone call or video call to a relative living alone.
- Send a letter or a card
- Send some flowers, chocolate or home baking.

Please make sure your adult agrees with your idea first.