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Dear Gringotts,

I hope you have had a good weekend. It has been so lovely to see most of you on a Zoom call this week! Thank you to the group who went first who waited for me whilst I figured out how to host a meeting. I promise I will be on time next week! It was super to hear what you have been up to and how you are getting on with your home learning. I hope you enjoyed the short quiz at the end – I have prepared another for this week so don't forget your pen and paper. Your Zoom meeting is at the same next week with the same ID code and password. I look forward to seeing you again or if you didn't join last week it would be lovely to see some new faces. Last week, I was back in school. I am with the 'Blue Hand Gang' that has Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 children in with Mrs Peters and Mr McFarlane. It was so lovely to be back teaching and in school. We have been doing English, maths, PE and lots of art activities. This week, I have also decided to walk to and back from school other than a Tuesday as I need to be back home for a Zoom call. I have also made sure that I am continuing to run over Cannock Chase so my steps have been extremely high. On Sunday, I got 43,020 steps!! I couldn't believe it when I looked at my Fitbit but looking back I don't remember sitting down at all that day. Do I need to mention the football? I think I will leave that bit this week...oh dear Aston Villa. I prefer it when they beat Wolves.

As always, for this week's home learning, I would like you to aim to complete one bullet point from each section, per day. Please aim to spend between 1 to 3 hours, per day, on your home learning. Please use the resources on the website to help you navigate this week's learning. Remember, do not spend any more than 3 hours on a weekday on home learning activities, you need to have some fun and family time too! For some fun ideas try some more problem solving activities: can you build a tower out of pasta and marshmallows or try explaining to another person something that you want them to draw but you must have your back turned so you can't see what they are doing. Good luck!

Don't forget to exercise for at least 1 hour per day. Joe Wicks is still doing his live workouts at 9am. This is now on a reduced timetable of a Monday, Wednesday and Saturday but workouts are saved on his YouTube channel. Other exercise ideas for this week: try a dance off Just Dance (see link below or have a go at the celebrity PE dance lesson with Darcey Bussell (see link below).

Thank you to those of you who continue to send work and photographs. Don't forget to send your entries to the Caroline Bowers Art Award to the Year 6 email as well. Seeing what you have been up to really makes my day! The email is: yr6photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk - please check with an adult at home first. Special mentions go to Thomas F, Callum and Eliot for challenging me in the Teachers vs 6PM battle on Times Tables Rockstars. There is now a weekly battle against me every week. I won last week so the score is now 2-1 to you! Can you keep your winning lead or will I make it a draw?! Thank you also to those of you who sent



video clips for the memories video. I can't wait for you to see the final product – it definitely will be a lovely memento to remember your time at Five Ways. From dancing and singing to lovely signs, you have done a fantastic job! Mr McFarlane is now busy putting the clips all together to the song and I am busy designing the cover – I can't wait to see the final product.

Keep being amazing and working hard,

Miss Myatt 😊

Week Commencing: Monday 6th July	
Weekly Spelling (pick one per day)	Weekly Reading (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use Spelling Frame. Complete one different Spelling Tile task each day and then complete the test on Friday. (See link below for spelling rule 9.) Use words from spelling rule 9 to create a silly story. <p style="text-align: center;"> measure treasure pleasure enclosure creature furniture picture nature adventure </p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete the SPaG activity mat on the home learning page. Have a go at some online games that include the -sure and -ture spelling rule. (See link below.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen to the tenth and eleventh chapter of Harry Potter and the Philosopher Stone – use your copy to follow along if you have one. (See link below.) You may need to make a login to the Wizarding World – ask an adult for permission. (Chapter 11 features David Beckham!) Complete the 'Chocolate cookie dough in space' reading activity on the home learning page. Complete the 60 second read that is located on the home learning page. BBC Bitesize: Daily Book Club: Macbeth (See link below.) Look in your English CGP books – complete a reading page. Use your study book to help you.
Weekly Writing (pick one per day)	Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete writing task – Revolting Recipe in the Style of Macbeth witches poem. (Please use the document on the home learning page.) BBC Bitesize poem research. Watch the videos on different types of poems. Pick one style that you like the sound of and have a go at writing your own. (See link below.) Watch 'Chocolate Cake' by Michael Rosen – link in the weekly project for World Chocolate Day. Can you create a poem acrostic about chocolate? Complete some of your transition booklet. Look in your English CGP book – complete some grammar pages. Use your study book to help you. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log onto Times Table Rockstars and participate in some of the battles. Complete some activities on MyMaths. Remember, you don't have to complete all set MyMaths tasks, they are there for revision. Complete the maths activity mat on the home learning page. Have a go at 5-a-day. There are different challenged each day for you to have a go at. Bronze = green. Silver = yellow. Gold = Pink. Platinum if you feel like you want a really good challenge! (See link below.) Oak National Academy – parts of a circle lesson (See link below.) Use your CGP books to look up parts of a circle to help you.

Weekly Project:

Tuesday 7th July – World Chocolate Day

World Chocolate Day is celebrated annually on July 7. This is a day to enjoy in your favourite chocolate, whether it is chocolate milk, hot chocolate, a chocolate bar, chocolate cake, brownies or something covered in chocolate. Chocolate is hugely popular all over the world. It is said to have been first introduced in Europe on July 7, 1550. Chocolate comes in different flavours, including milk, white and dark chocolate. Some scientists now say that eating dark chocolate every day is better for you than eating vegetables. But please do remember to eat your vegetables too!



WORLD CHOCOLATE DAY

Some project ideas:

- Eat your favourite chocolate. (I think I will be participating in this one!)
- Write 100 words and explain what your favourite chocolate is and why.
- List as many different types of chocolate as you can. Have a competition with the grownups at home.
- Design your own chocolate bar.
- Research the history of your favourite brand of chocolate, e.g. Cadburys or Nestle.
- Do you really know your chocolate? Get 5 different types of chocolate that you like and break them up into separate bowls. Now get a blindfold and get a grownup to test you which chocolate is which. Can you get them all correct?!
- Create your own acrostic poem for a chocolate themed word. Some ideas: chocolate, crunchie, dairy milk, galaxy.
- Watch the video of 'Chocolate Cake' by Michael Rosen. (<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/zp9b4wx>)

Useful Links:

Harry Potter chapter 10 - <https://www.wizardingworld.com/chapters/reading-halloween>

Harry Potter chapter 11 - <https://www.wizardingworld.com/chapters/reading-quidditch>

5-a-day - <https://corbettmathsprimary.com/5-a-day/>

Spelling Frame link - <https://spellingframe.co.uk/spelling-rule/14/9-Words-with-endings-sounding-like-ture>

Oak National Academy: parts of a circle - <https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/coordinates-and-shapes-to-illustrate-and-name-parts-of-a-circle>

BBC Bitesize Poems - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z4mmn39>

-sure and -ture spelling games - https://www.spellzone.com/word_lists/games-12673.htm

Celebrity PE lesson: Darcey Bussell - Dance - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000kcm1/celebrity-supply-teacher-series-1-11-darcey-bussell-dance>

BBC Bitesize: Daily book Club: Macbeth – <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z9c9ydm>

Useful Resources:



Try another Spanish lesson. This time with Gary Lineker.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000k4pp/celebrity-supply-teacher-series-1-6-gary-lineker-spanish>

If you want to watch the football matches, get a grown up to look on @FlashSTM on Twitter. They post a link for each game just before it starts.

Local libraries run a Summer Reading Challenge every year. This year they have done it online:

<https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/>

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