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Year 6 Class 6PM

Dear Gringotts,

I hope you have had a good weekend. Last week, my running and walking did not happen as much as it normally does due to the rain. I tried to dodge the rain and venture outside when it looked clear but on two occasions, I ended up returning home looking like I had just jumped into a swimming pool! So instead of running as much this week, I have been doing some yoga at home. It is good to try something different that you don't normally do. Could you try something new this week? Let me know if you do. Let's hope the sunshine returns soon! I have also been doing some more baking. Again, I used a Cakes-A-Daisy recipe but this time I had a go at making some cookies. The outcome did not quite look like the picture, but I now have an excuse to try baking them again! So, after the bat incident last week, I now have a family of magpies who visit every morning at about 6am outside my window. I know when they are there as one magpie keeps pecking my window, almost like he is giving me a wake-up call! My windows are definitely still on vent as I don't want any more visitors coming into the house. Seeing as it was raining a lot, I also found out my craft box to have a look at what creations I could have a go at making. I have had a browse on the internet and found some projects to keep me busy.

Again, 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 entering a competition online (I will leave some links below for you to look at), make a paper mache model or go Tenpin Bowling (use plastic bottles as skittles and use a tennis ball as a bowling ball) with your family in your garden or living room! (I have included a score card and instructions of how to score below.)

Don't forget to exercise for at least 1 hour per day. Joe Wicks is still doing his live workouts at 9am each morning that you could join in with or you could try something different. Exercise ideas for this week: create your own sports day at home. Use the 'Year 6 Sports Day at Home' document on the home learning page to help you. Have a competition with your grownups and siblings at home. Get everyone involved! Please spend one morning this week on Sports Day at home. I have checked the weather and hopefully we will see some sun so you can all get outside and celebrate sports day even if it is a little different this year.

Thank you to those of you who continue to send work or photographs to the Year 6 email. 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. Remember, there is still time to enter the Caroline Bowers Art Award if you haven't already



started your entry. Please keep entries in a safe place at home and send a picture of your entry to the above email.

Finally, I would like to invite you to take part in a Five Ways Memories Film. Please see the Memories Film letter for further details. Any video clips should be sent to

y6videoclips@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk

Speak soon and keep smiling,

Miss Myatt 😊

Week Commencing: Monday 22 nd June	
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 61.) <p style="text-align: center;"> suggest symbol system temperature thorough twelfth variety vegetable vehicle yacht </p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Watch the videos on how to use a dictionary and a thesaurus. (See link below.) Use your spelling words from this week to practise using a dictionary. (If you don't have a dictionary at home, put your spellings into sentences.) Use a thesaurus to find if there are any alternative words to use for your spelling words. If you don't have a thesaurus, try an online thesaurus. Complete the BBC Bitesize pronoun activity. (See link below.) Boggle game – use this letter grid to create as many words as you can. You can start at a given number and then travel up, down or diagonally. The letters have to be next to each other to create a word. Have a little competition with someone at home– who can get the most points? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen to the sixth 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. Oak National Academy – Reading Focus: Comparison (See link below.) Complete the 'Celebrating the NHS' reading comprehension on the home learning page. Read a book of your choice. Pick an extract from the book you read. Summarise what happened in no more than 50 words.



Find as Many Words as You Can!



Points

- 3 letters = 1 point
- 4 letters = 1 point
- 5 letters = 2 points
- 6 letters = 3 points
- 7 letters = 5 points
- 8 letters = 9 points



Weekly Writing (pick one per day)

- Plan this week's writing task – time capsule letter.
- Write your letter for your time capsule.
- Complete the Sports Day grammar activity located on the home learning page.
- Complete some of your transition booklet.
- Write Miss Myatt a reply letter and send it to the yr6photos email.

Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)

- Log onto Times Table Rockstars and participate in some of the battles.
- Complete maths activity mat located on the home learning page.
- Complete some activities on MyMaths. I have added a few new ones (on algebra) or pick an area that you wish to revise. Remember, you don't have to complete all set MyMaths tasks, they are there for revision.
- Use your CGP study guide to read about algebra – complete some pages on algebra.
- BBC Bitesize – use the learner guides and clips on algebra. (See link below.)

Weekly Project:

National Insect Week (Monday 22nd June – Friday 26th June)

National Insect Week encourages people of all ages to learn more about insects. Every two years, the Royal Entomological Society organises the week, supported by a large number of partner organisations with interests in the science, natural history and conservation of insects.



Some project ideas:

- Get out and about and find some insects.
- Take some photographs of some insects.
- Design your own insect. Include a drawing with labels.
- Create an A-Z of insect names – can you find one for every letter of the alphabet?
- Create a butterfly garden in your back garden.
- Create an area in your garden to attract insects.
- Build a model of a chosen insect out of things you have at home, e.g. a bee, butterfly or ant.
- Make your own pooter to get a closer look at minibeasts. (See link below.)
- Make a butterfly feeding table. (See link below.)

Useful links:

<https://www.nationalinsectweek.co.uk/>

[Pooter link](#)

[Butterfly feeding table](#)



Year 6 Sports Day at Home

Please see the document called 'Y6 Sports Day at home' on the home learning page.



- Warm up ideas
- Event ideas
- Score cards
- Cool down ideas
- Sports Day certificate

Please dedicate **one morning** of home learning this week to Sports Day at home. Don't forget to send some pictures to: yr6photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk

Useful Resources:

Harry Potter chapter 6 - <https://www.wizardingworld.com/chapters/reading-the-journey-from-platform-nine-and-three-quarters>

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

Spelling Frame link - <https://spellingframe.co.uk/spelling-rule/70/61-Word-list-years-5-and-6---sug--to-y>

BBC Bitesize: Pronouns - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwwp8mn/articles/z37xrxw>

BBC Bitesize: Dictionary and Thesaurus - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zcc2gdm>

BBC Bitesize Algebra - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zghp34j>

Oak National Academy Reading - <https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/reading-focus-comparison/>

Tenpin Bowling score card – <https://www.wikihow.com/Score-Bowling>

Online competitions

RSPB wildlife drawing competition - <https://www.rspb.org.uk/fun-and-learning/for-kids/rspb-kids-competitions/wild-art/>

100 words writing competition - <https://www.youngwriters.co.uk/competitions/KS2/ridiculous-writers>

[Create a book token competition](https://superlucky.me/keep-the-family-busy-with-these-creative-kids-competitions/)
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