

# **Five Ways Primary School**

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## Year 6 Class 6SD

Hello.

I cannot believe this is the last letter I will be writing to you. Over the next week I will have to try to hold back my emotions when I see you all, but it is safe to say that on the last day there is no way I will be able to hold back the tears as I say goodbye to you all.

Once again, it has been so nice seeing so many of you on our weekly Zoom meetings, I really do enjoy catching up with you all. Last week's Zoom call included a small general knowledge quiz, and it was nice seeing your competitive sides come out once more. This week will be slightly different in terms of the Zoom calls. There will only be two Zoom calls, as I have split the class into two groups. I felt as though this would be nice considering its our last week, and for some of you the last chance to have a proper catch up. There will be a quiz once again this week, so please have a pen/ pencil and paper ready with you. There will also be a scavenger hunt activity so make sure you're prepared for that. There will be a new Zoom ID and password sent to email addresses, so make sure you look out for the email.

This week I have been continuing to teach my bubble group in school, filling the days with lots of new drawing and art activities from online resources, as the weather this week hasn't been the best! It's been a week of creating different types of ball games with my bubble, often resulting in me having to retrieve the ball from hedges, trees, and even the roof... I have also been able to have my first PROPER haircut, so now I feel a lot better, and I think my Dad is slightly relieved as he doesn't have to deal with the pressure of cutting my hair ever again!

I have now watched the final copy of the leavers video, and I can safely say it did make me slightly emotional watching all of you performing different routines, and reading all your messages you held up to the camera.

In terms of your learning for this week, I would like you to as always complete one bullet point from each section, per day. There are lots of new resources available on the school home learning page, please click and download them. In addition to this, remember it's extremely important to exercise for at least 1 hour per day. This can be done in your garden, or out for a walk with family. You can also log on to The Body Coach TV to complete a PE workout with Joe Wicks. Please see the direct link to this on the school website. Joe Wicks is now doing live PE lessons 3 times a week instead of 5, but don't let this stop you from keeping fit and active.

If you would like your work to be celebrated on our school website then send a photograph of it to: <a href="mailto:yr6photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk">yr6photographs@fiveways.staffs.sch.uk</a> - please remember to check with your parent first. I have really enjoyed seeing the photographs you've been sending in already; it is so nice seeing you all having so much fun at home.















I hope you are managing to keep yourselves entertained still whilst learning from home. You are all absolute superstars, and I can't believe we have arrived at this point in the year already. You will be missed so much!

Mr Doughty. 😊



#### Week Commencing: Monday 13th July 2020

## Weekly Spelling (pick one per day)

- Access Spelling Frame: https://spellingframe.co.uk/
- A nice activity is to write tricky words from the Year 5/6 spelling list in spirals around a page. Choose different colours to make your words more appealing and memorable.
- Choose a list of words from the Year 5/6 spelling list, practice these words in different and unusual ways. Use different methods to develop your knowledge of how to spell specific words.

## Weekly Reading (pick one per day)

- Log on to Bugclub regularly throughout the week. Books are always being added on a weekly basis.
- Access the link to a reading lesson below on BBC Bitesize: https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zv7cf
- Choose a reading book from home. This could be your current favourite book, or a book you have wanted to read for a while. Take some time out at some point during the week to sit and read quietly to yourself, relaxing in a good book.
- Find and search for a setting description of your choice online. Read this description carefully. Based on what you have learned throughout Year 6, how would you improve the extract?
  - Are there many adjectives?
  - What grammatical forms could you apply to this extract of writing?
  - Perhaps re-write this description, and see how much better your description is than the original.

# **Weekly Writing**

This week's writing task is to write a poem of your choice using a range of: nouns, verbs, adjectives and the use of subjunctive form. A detailed writing prompt will be available for you to access on the school home learning page. I suggest you read this properly before attempting your poem.

## Weekly Mathematics (pick one per day)

As this is the last week of the school year, I want you to recap our prior learning of angles. It is always a good idea to go over past learning to make sure you fully understand mathematical concepts. Please access the links below to both BBC Bitesize and My Maths.

# Monday:

- Calculating angles in triangles. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z8twr 2p
- My Maths homework task.

#### Tuesday:

Calculating angles in quadrilaterals. https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z4vfx















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#### Wednesday:

Calculating angles in polygons.
 <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6rs</u>
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## Thursday:

 Access maths countdown. Challenge people at home as well at calculating the given number problem (who can get the answer first?).

## Friday:

 Access TT Rockstars, I have set up some battles between different classes and amongst ourselves.

Remember to log onto TT Rockstars regularly throughout the week.

# **Weekly Project:**

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Create your own twig art

For your weekly project, you will need some cardboard, some pva glue (so it dries clear), some sticks and some paint (white paint is used normally but any colour will be great). On your cardboard, draw out the design that you wish. This could be a seahorse, a heart or a flower.

Go outdoors and find some sticks that are a size that you are happy with to glue onto your design. Arrange the sticks onto your design. Once you are happy with their placement, glue them down. Once your glue is dry you can paint your twig art if you wish.

Happy making!



# Other Useful Resources:

https://spellingframe.co.uk/ https://ttrockstars.com/ https://www.mymaths.co.uk/ https://authorfy.com/













