

Year 6

Week starting: 27th April 2020

Hi Year 6.

How are things going? We hope you have had a good week. We have been really pleased this week with the work you have been doing on purple mash. It has been really nice seeing the work and also seeing you using the blogs. Well done!

This week we will continue to set you a balance of paper based and online activities. The online activities will be using Purple Mash and the other activities will be on the website. Don't forget to continue using Doodle Maths and TT Rockstars. If you want to do extra work there is now some excellent resources and lessons on BBC Bitesize. The link is https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons

The 4 most important tasks we want you to complete are:

- 1. Comprehension tasks on Purple Mash and daily reading
- 2. English tasks from National Academy.
- 3. Creative maths task
- 4. RE task

Doodle Maths - please log onto Doodle Maths and spend at least 15 mins per day practising before you complete your Maths activity for the day (see below). Try to do a couple of the 7aDay tasks - they're a bit like the arithmetic starter you get in a normal Maths lesson.

Purple Mash Tasks - we would like you to complete the tasks that have been set for. These are:

Maths - this week there are activities related to place value and number. Please complete these activities.

English - Last week you started reading a book. The comprehension activities this week will continue to use the same book. Please read the texts and then answer the activities.

Science - Revision activities on work we have done earlier in the year. Complete the activities on materials.

Geography - There are a couple of activities on Rainforests - our school topic for this week. One of the activities is a quick quiz and the other activities are to complete a postcard and information leaflet.

Reading:

As well as the Purple Mash tasks you have been set, please try to read for at least 20 minutes per day. This is more important than completing the daily reading tasks on Purple Maths, so if you are short on time please make this a priority.

English - writing:

We are really looking forward to reading your stories from last week. We have also been really impressed with some of the poems and sentences you have been putting on the blog. This week, we would like you to complete the **Week 2** work using The National Academy. In order to do the work you will need to use this link:

https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom/year-6/english/#subjects

This will take you to a page like below. There are 5 activities. Complete one activity each day.



Maths:

As well as working on doodle maths, don't forget to practise times-tables using Rockstars.

For your main learning this week we would like you to do the following:

- 1. Continue and complete the maths booklet started last week. This is in the Week 5 section of the Year 6 Home Learning folder.
- 2. Finish complete the maths board game activity. I saw an excellent example of one being played in an e-mail last week.
- 3. Complete ONE or more of the creative maths tasks. The sheet for this is in the Year 6 Home Learning folder in the Week 6 section.

There may be areas of the maths booklet you struggled with. In the Year 6 section we have included a folder containing extra practise in a range of maths topics. You can select these to help you gain confidence. There are tutorial videos to go with each topic. These can be found at https://myminimaths.co.uk/arithmetic-16-practice-questions/

Click on a question you find difficult. Watch the video example and then have a go.

RE: Over the next few weeks we are going to be reminding ourselves of different religions. This week you will be learning about the Sikh festival of Vaisakhi. The work is all about how Sikh people remember a story from the life of the Tenth Guru, who is called Guru Govind Singh, and lived over 300 years ago in India. If you would like to share some of your learning on Purple Mash, that would be great. We have posted the RE learning for you to have a go at. The tasks are explained on the document which has been uploaded to the Year 6 Home Learning pages.

Topic: we will be setting you optional topic based learning until we go back to school. The topics will be the same for each year group so that children within the same family can work as a team and learn together if they would like to. How much you do together is your choice; it could be you complete the whole project together, with children taking on different roles or that they share smaller tasks together and then decide to present their learning separately in different formats.

This week we would like children find out about Rainforests. There is a more detailed explanation of how to go about this aspect of learning on the Year 6 Home Learning section of the website. There are also some purple mash activities on this topic. Don't forget to look at Espresso. There are some Rainforest resources on here.