

Heaton St. Barnabas' C.E. Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had a fantastic Easter break and that the children are excited to be back in school.

Please note the following key information:

- **PE** on **Monday** for both 6S and 6W. Please ensure children have the required PE kit and are wearing it when they come to school.
- **Reading books** children may change these **any day**.
- **Spellings** given at the beginning of term for the whole term. Each week's spelling test is on Friday.

A polite reminder that the school day begins at **8.35 am** prompt for Year 6. Your child needs to bring **indoor pumps**, **reading book**, **school planner** and their **water bottle** to school with them <u>every day</u>.

This is the final half term before SATs so homework continues to be an important part of your child's independent learning. Children can continue to use SATs Bootcamp if they wish to revise in the run up to SATs but this will now be non-compulsory. (https://www.yearsix.co.uk/sats-boot-camp/)

Topic homework is also optional this half term as there will be more of a focus on SATs preparation. However, if children still wish to do so, they can choose a task from the menu.

Compulsory Homework as follows:

- Maths reasoning or arithmetic depending on your child's area of need.
- GPS SATs practice questions.
- Reading SATs practice questions.
- Spellings (weekly) see the paragraph above. One set of ten spellings to be learned each week.
- Reading (*daily*) up to 15 minutes' reading of your child's school reading book.

Homework will be given out on a Monday and will need to be completed and returned by the following Monday.

As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please speak to a member of the team. We will be happy to help!

With best regards, Miss White and Miss Stanhope (Year 6 Class Teachers)

