Welcome to our Year 6 information evening.

Thank you so much for coming along. We will begin at 5:45pm.





The Team:

6C Mrs Fiona Chapman6B Mr David Bonner6F Miss Hannah Fowler



Mrs Barr Mrs Nicholls Miss Stonehouse Mrs Pearce Mrs Angell Mrs Martin Mrs Butler Mrs Carrier Miss Stoneman Miss Seabourne Mrs Parker Mrs Gaze Mrs Cawley

Some Key Information

- Arriving at 8:30am allows them to pack as much learning into their day as possible.
- This half term, Year 6 will take part in their Forest School Sessions and will need to arrive at school with long trousers and long sleeved tops as well as a coat.

6F Wednesday 6B Thursday 6C Friday

On alternate Tuesdays, classes will be covered by PPA teachers

6C Mrs Nicholls 6F Miss Stonehouse 6B Mrs Barr

- Homework days are now Wednesday (English) and Friday (maths) Reading every day
- Bad habits start to creep in please monitor morning snacks of fresh/dried fruit and vegetables only.

What's so great about Year 6?

- Residential trip to Osmington Bay PGL Centre
- Buddies to Year R children
- Evacuation Day
- Christmas celebrations nativity tableau and activities with buddies
- Winchester Cathedral trip for leavers' service
- Year 6 theatrical production
- Leavers' hoodies
- School leavers' service
- Leavers' party/disco
- Year book (subject to interest/consent)
- Bikeability outside of school term time

Working with our buddies Begins November 2024 Evacuation Day December 2024 Christmas time with buddies and parts in the carol service tableau

Bikeability Training

A Leavers' Service at Winchester Cathedral and at school. A Year 6 Musical Production Leavers' Disco made possible thanks to parents. Leavers Hoodies made possible thanks to parents.



Leavers Book – subject to permissions and interest St. Mark's C of E Primary School





SATs – (End of KS2 Standard Assessment Tests)

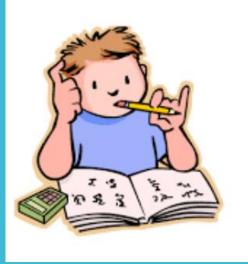
• Monday 12th May - Thursday 15th May 2025.

- Information Evening End of November (specific date TBC)
- Regular 'mock' assessments using previous SATs papers first will be taken before half term.
- CGP books for homework frequent and regular practice of SATs style questions
- Letter has been sent out about these last week £21 by Monday 1st November please

A Typical SATs Week New dates not yet confirmed RSE (Relationships and Sex Education)

- Taught in the final half term next June/July
- Information evening for parents (to see resources and videos used) will be held a few weeks before.

Homework



• Reading - daily

- Times tables practice (2x weekly on TT Rockstars is a great way to consolidate learning)
- Spellings practice on Spelling Shed or Wordshark
- Weekly English (sent home on a Wednesday, due in the following Wednesday)
- Weekly maths (sent home on a Friday, due in the following Friday)

Independence Organisation Preparation for Secondary



Organisation and responsibility of resources

- Book zippy wallet reading book and log
- Correct homework books on Wednesday and Friday
- Coat
- Water bottle
- Packed lunch if necessary
- Phones handed in switched off
- PE kit worn on Monday (until half-term) please adhere to the uniform requirements.

Navy or black bottoms, white plain t-shirts and school jumpers. Trainers for all children



The year to come



Autumn 1 – Olά Brazil! A focus on Brazil and the Amazon Rainforest Autumn 2 – Keep Calm and Carry On World War 2 Spring 1 – Frozen Kingdoms The Arctic and Antarctica Spring 2 – Temples of Doom The Mayans Summer 1 – Shocks and Sparks! **Electricity and Technology** Summer 2 – From Creation and Beyond Evolution & our personal journeys ahead



Focus: Responsibility

Being role-models for the rest of the school ©

Year 6 are buddied up with a child in Reception class.



Secondary School Application Form

- Online application site opened in September
 2024
 https://www.hants.gov.uk/educationandlear
 ning/admissions
- Deadline for completed forms 31st October
 2024
- Which school to choose? Attend open evenings/virtual open evenings and keep your options open.
- Filling in more than one choice
- School allocation letter/email 1st March 2025



Year 6 Q&A year6@stmarksce.org.uk

Residential trip information will follow ...

