



Dates for your diary

Welcome back...

Start of term	11.04.16
<u>SATs week</u>	<u>w/c 8.05.17</u>
Reading test	08.05.17
SPAG test	09.05.17
Maths test 1 & 2	10.05.17
Maths test 3	11.05.17
Half Term	29.05.17 - 02.06.17
School trip - Chessington Adventures	07.07.17
End of term Summer Holidays	21.07.17

This is the final few weeks before the SATs tests in May and the children and the staff in Year 6 have been working extremely hard to ensure that everybody achieves highly. This is the culmination of all the time and effort everyone has been putting in and we are very proud of the way the children have worked throughout the course of this year - we know they will do us proud. We also appreciate your continuing support in the forthcoming weeks.

School Day: Please ensure that your child arrives at school on time each day. The school doors open at 8:50 am and school begins at 9:00. Every morning begins with a reading session; if your child is consistently late, they will miss out on this vital learning opportunity.

Uniform: Children must come to school wearing the correct uniform. Only black, flat shoes are allowed; plain black trainers are acceptable. The correct PE kit must also be worn for PE and Games lessons (sky blue t-shirt with a Montem logo, black or white trainers (non-designer) and navy shorts or tracksuit bottoms) Children will no longer be allowed to wear designer sports wear. If your child wears a headscarf please ensure that it is plain black, white or navy.

Attendance: It is vital that your child attends school every day in order for them to reach their full potential. The school's expectation for attendance is 96%. If your child is unable to attend, please make sure that you phone the school office in the morning and everyday thereafter.



ACHIEVEMENTS



We are extremely proud of all our children in Year 6 as they continue to make great progress.

Well done to the following pupils for making excellent progress in Reading

- Kaamil Shah - 6 Aspen
- Zainab Raja - 6 Sequoia
- Newal Abdirizak - 6 Redwood
- Walid Jaarkhel - 6 Sequoia



Well done to the following pupils for making excellent progress in Maths:

- Narcisa Mazarache - 6 Aspen
- Sefora Paun - 6 Aspen
- Khadijah Ikram - 6 Redwood
- Maryam Mumtaz - 6 Mahogany



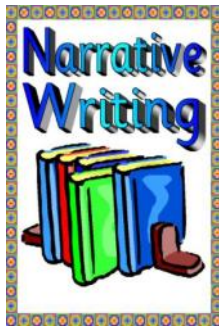
English



This term we will be continuing to use 'Talk for writing' with the Pie Corbett approach to teach children how to develop their writing skills. The texts that we will be covering are as follows:

Persuasive writing/Narrative

- **The Canal**
- **Stay fit and keep healthy**
- **Mombe and Momo**



Art

This term in Art we will be producing a tissue collage to make stain glass windows, printing and watercolours.

Later in the term the children will be also be making some sculptures.



Tuition

In order to raise achievement, the children who need additional support are now receiving tuition on:

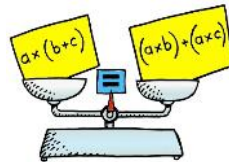
- **Tuesday afternoon**
- **Saturday morning**



Mathematics



- Formulae
- Missing angles
- Arithmetic
- Algebra
- Measure including time
- Fractions, decimals and percentages
- Coordinates (all 4 quadrants)
- Statistics
- Area, perimeter and volume.
- Shape, translation, rotation and reflection.
- Roman numerals



ICT

- Using computing progression pathway.
- Algorithms & IT.
- Projects with exciting learning activities.



Science



This term in Science we will be conducting some experiments to gain a better understanding of how micro organisms work.

These experiments will involve leaving food for long periods so that micro-organisms begin to thrive

The children will understand what benefits and dangers these micro-organisms may cause to health.



History

In History, this term the main topic that we will be covering is:

- **The Mayans**



Geography

This term we will be learning about different rivers in the UK and also around the world.

- Natural disasters

