



Welcome

Year 6



Welcome to Year 6

Teacher

Miss Hopwood

Teaching Assistants

Mrs Hopwood



Practicalities

- Your child should be wearing summer uniform until half term. If you haven't already done so, please label all of your child's uniform.
- Your child should have a waterproof coat with a hood in school.
- Packed lunch boxes should be labelled. All children should have a named water bottle which contains only water.
- Break times - KS2 pupils have fruit available to buy at the Junior Snack Bar (for 20p-40p) and toast is available on a Friday.



Practicalities continued

- If, for some reason, someone different is picking your child up, then please phone the office in advance so that they can inform their class teacher.
- School starts at 8.55am. Please drop your child off at the electric gate. If your child is late they must enter school via the office.
- School finishes for Year 6 at 3.25pm. If you are collecting your child then please wait on Princess Ave.
- Any child walking/biking to school or home needs to have brought in a signed slip.



P.E

- In Year 6, your child will have P.E on Thursdays and Fridays (for this half term) . Please ensure that they come dressed in P.E kit on these days.
- Jewellery must not be worn for PE (earrings must be covered with plasters or taken out by the child)
- Long hair must be tied back during school and all P.E lessons (only plain navy or blue hairbands are acceptable).



Behaviour

- A copy of our behaviour policy is available on our website (this will be updated this term).
- It is important that we work together as a partnership and that you understand how behaviour issues are dealt with at school.
- At St Chad's we promote positive behaviour throughout and we have many positive reinforcements in place. For example in Year 6 we reward with 'adopt a monster', 'scrabble tiles' and the 'caught you being good' jar.
- Children are also chosen for Star Of The Week and Learner Of the Week Awards.
- We will be having House Captains, School Captains and Vice Captains who will be expected to promote positive behaviour.
- All children in Year 6 act as a buddy to our reception children and will all have an extra responsibility/job in school



Parent Partnership

Reading

- We expect that your child reads each night.
- Comprehension skills are very important. Please discuss your child's reading book with them and ask quiz questions about the text they have read.
- Our aim is to promote a love of reading!



Parent Partnership

Home Learning

- Your child will receive home learning each week for English and Maths. It is very important that homework is completed and returned on the day requested so that it can be marked and returned with their next homework.
- In Year 6, home learning and spellings are given on a Tuesday and are due back in school the following Monday.
- As the children will be moving onto high school next year, there will be consequences for late homework or forgotten spelling books.
- We feel that it is important that the children learn how to manage their home learning and take responsibility for it also.



Remote Learning

- * At the start of the year, your child will be issued with login details for: Seesaw, Purple Mash and Accelerated Reading
- * Please keep these safe and let us know asap if you are having difficulties logging on.
- * If you have any problems with accessing technology please let us know straight away.
- * Remote Learning if needed will be using the Seesaw platform and the expectation is 3-4 hours per day.

Expected Outcomes for Year 6 in Reading

- See reading handout for further information



Expected Outcomes for Year 6 in Writing and Maths

<https://www.poultonstchadsce.lancs.sch.uk/english/>

<https://www.poultonstchadsce.lancs.sch.uk/mathematics/>



Statutory Tests

Year 6 SAT's

- * Year 6 will undertake SAT's tests in May 2022.
- * These papers are spread out over 4 days.
- * The children will take a reading paper, a SPAG and Spelling test plus 3 maths papers (one arithmetic paper and 2 reasoning papers)
- * These tests are based on all the learning your child has had throughout Key Stage 2.
- * We will be holding a SAT's evening early next year to give you more information.

Reporting to Parents

Parents Evening- Thursday 21st October 2021

Parents Evening – Thursday 10th February 2022

End of Year reports Friday 15th July 2022



Open door policy

- St Chad's operates an open door policy. It is important that if you have an issue or concern, you discuss it firstly with the class teacher.
- Please understand that first thing in the morning when the door is opened or when the teacher is seeing the children out at the end of day, is not always the most convenient time to discuss matters.
- You can call the office to make an appointment to see the class teacher or ask for them to call you back.
- A quick message for the teacher via email is fine. However, we prefer not to communicate via email over any issues or concerns- these are ALWAYS best dealt with in person or over the phone.



Thank You

Any questions?

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