



Year 6 Summer 2 2026



Dear Families,

Welcome back to the final half term of primary school for your children! This is going to be an action-packed half-term because in addition to the activities we have planned, the children will be taking part in transition days with their new schools to support with settling in. Either way, we hope to fill their last weeks with lots of happy memories!



The theme for Year 6 this half term is '**Thrills and Spills**'. This is a Science unit based on forces and how rides work at theme parks. The children will be investigating the science behind the rides at Paulton's Park on our trip. Additionally, they will complete a Maths project in which they create their own theme park, market the park and ensure that budgetary constraints are met—a great opportunity to apply their Maths skills in a 'real life' context!.

We also have our Leavers' production, '*Oliver with a Twist*' to prepare. Please ensure your child has their script in school every day, as we will be rehearsing as often as possible. Any extra support at home that can be given towards learning lines would be greatly appreciated.

Our PE sessions will continue to be on Wednesday's; however we may have extra sessions (particularly if we are lucky enough to get some sun!), so please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school as often as possible.

This final half term always feels frantic because it is interspersed with transition days for secondary schools. We will support the children with their transitions through our PDL learning.

To help you plan, we have included key dates opposite. If you have any concerns or questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Even though SATs are over, we are continuing to set weekly spellings and arithmetic homework and continue to expect that children read at least once a day—this is to ensure that they are in the strongest possible position to start secondary school. Please

continue to support this by signing their reading records and ensuring homework is submitted on Monday mornings.

Finally, please can we gently remind you that children need to arrive at school with sun cream already applied as we will be taking every opportunity to move learning outside in the good weather. The children can keep a named bottle of sun screen in their lockers if they need to top up during the day.

Best wishes,

Mrs Wallace, Mrs Cornish & Mrs Dyer



Curriculum Information Theme: Thrills & Spills

English: Writers' Workshop

Maths: Theme Park Project

Science: Forces and Movement

DT: Designing and making Fairground rides

RE: Pentecost & Mission and Sacraments

PDL: Growing & Changing; Resilience & Teamwork

Computing: iProgramme

PE: Athletics

Music and Art: *Oliver with a Twist* (Y6 production)

French: Les Transport Continued

Diary Dates

1st June: INSET day

3rd June: Dodgeball Tournament

5th June: Paultons Park trip

9th June: Class Photos

12th June: St Anthony's Feast Day

19th June: PSA Father's Day sale

23rd June: Sports Day (KS2 PM). 25th June—reserve

w/c 29th June: Whole-school '999 Heroes' Theme Week

3rd July and 6th July - Y6 Bikeability

9th July: Y6 Production (6pm)

10th July: PSA school disco

13th July: Day of Reflection at Burr ridge CC

16th July – Leavers' mass 10:30am, picnic lunch & Leavers' Assembly 1:30pm

17th July — Last day of term; finish at 1.30pm