



## Year 6 Newsletter

April 2017

We are very proud of how hard Year 6 are working in the run up to SATs, well done!

Thank you for your support with the work sent home during the Easter holidays.

Miss Capes, Miss Heagren, Mrs Dean, Mrs Meads and Mrs Sellar

### Advance Warning

#### SATs week

*Monday 8th May 2017—Friday 12th May  
2017*

It is very important that the children are in school and on time during this week.

### Homework

We are very proud of the children for completing their homework on time and to a very high standard. Thank you for your support with the changes that have been put in to place regarding homework.

Please can we remind you to listen to your child read and record in their homework diaries.

Well done Year 6 and keep up the hard work.

#### Mathletics Online Learning

Each week your class teacher will be setting Mathletics homework.

Please support your child each week to complete the set tasks.

You can access Mathletics through the following web address: [www.mathletics.com](http://www.mathletics.com)  
Please speak to your child's class teacher if you are unsure of your child's login or need support to use Mathletics.

### PE

Year 6 have PE every Friday. Please can parents ensure that children have their PE kits in school in a named bag. Tracksuits are advisable due to the unpredictable and colder weather.

### Term 5 - Brainbuilders

Due to SATs homework and revision, Year 6 will not be setting any Brainbuilders homework this term.

### Term 5 Curriculum

**Literacy:** Powder Monkey—variety of genres

**Maths:** Problem solving, shape, properties of number

**Science:** Circuits and electricity

**History:** Shakespeare

**Art:** Portraits

**Music:** Jazz



To ensure that your child progresses within reading, please support your child to read daily at home for 10-15 minutes in line with our homework policy.

Many thanks.



### Arethusa

Look out for information regarding Arethusa—this will be sent out after SATs



Dear parents and carers,

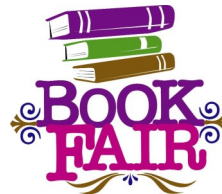
Thank you everyone for supporting the book fair at the end of term 4. We sold over £1000 worth of books which meant the school made £600 worth of commission to spend on topping up reading areas in classroom.

This is an amazing amount raised and the support you all gave is very much appreciated.

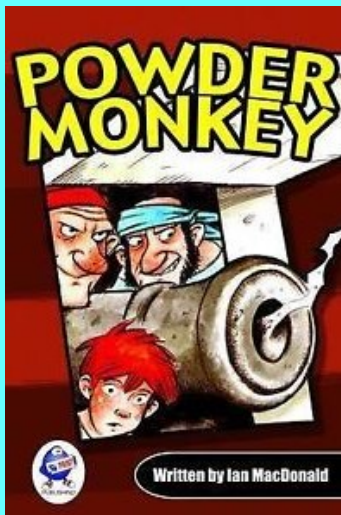
Happy reading!

Miss J Capes

Reading Leader



### Author Visit



Year 6 will be lucky enough to work with Ian McDonald, a local author, in literacy lessons again this term. The children will be writing stories, reports and letters, which will be inspired by his book 'Powder Monkey'.