# Year 6 Newsletter

## Summer 1





Eastern Multi-Academy Trust Empower - Motivate - Aspire - Transform

#### Dear Families.

Welcome back to the start of the Summer Term. We hope you had an enjoyable Easter half-term. We look forward to showing off our knowledge in the upcoming SATs week.

#### The children are having an assessment between the 9th-12th May. Please ensure your child has had a 'hearty' breakfast each morning.



In **Mathematics**, we are revising arithmetic questions, including the four operations: addition, multiplication, subtraction and division. Also, we are deepening our reasoning skills to secure our knowledge further.

The children will read the book 'Oliver Twist' by Charles Dickens in English to understand how language can change over the years. In Writing, the children will write an adventure story using the literary device of suspense. We will continue to develop our spelling, grammar and punctuation skills. This will focus on relative clauses, past progressive tense, hyphens and parenthesis.





Within the wider curriculum, the children will learn about Africa in Geography, Electrical Systems in Design and Technology and Reproduction in Science.

The Y6 team

## **Home Reading Challenge**



This half-term home reading challenge is to read 25 or more times. Every child who achieves this will receive a bookmark and the highest number of reads will receive a star reading badge.

## PE

This half-term our PE is cricket and is on **Fridays**. Please ensure your child arrives in school in the correct PE kit - A plain white tshirt, black shorts and trainers.



### **Important Dates**

- 01 May Bank Holiday
- 08 May Bank Holiday

#### 09-12 May - SATs

- 15 May RSE Consultation
- 25 May Class Photos
- 25 May Rock Kids
- 26 May Climbing Wall
- 26 May Last day of half-term

#### **Home Learning**

Weekly homework is set every **Friday** and is due back into class on the following Thursday.

Weekly homework is:

- Spellings
- Maths- Revision books and White Rose revision booklet.
- Reading–Revision books