

Year 6 messages:

We hope that you have had a peaceful and happy Christmas holiday. We would like to wish you all a very happy new year. Please ensure the homework guides given out at the end of last term are brought in weekly. Homework club is on Tuesday at lunchtime, it is open to all children. A reminder that booster sessions start from Tuesday 8th January.

Maths:

We will begin the term with revision. We will revise number including ordering and sorting numbers, finding missing numbers in a sequence as well as rounding. We will move onto revising fractions including shading fractions, finding equivalent and ordering fractions.

Spellings: Check which spelling list your child should practise and help them at home.

nuisance	nuisance
neighbour	neighbour
frequently	frequently
aggressive	aggressive
persuade	persuade
necessary	necessary
category	category
excellent	
physical	
symbol	

English:

Year 6 are starting an exciting new book called Wolf Brother. Children will be introduced to the book as well the main character called Torak. We will have an opportunity to plan and write a diary entry in character.

Topic: We are starting a new topic: 'Turning Points in History (with Crime and Punishment)'. To start us off, we will be looking at timelines and share our knowledge of important events. We will place important events on a timeline and note connections, contrasts and trends over time.


SPaG:

This term we will focus on revision of SPaG already taught. We begin by looking at adverbials, preposition and dashes.

Science:

Our new topic this half term is 'Animals including Humans'. This week, children will identify and name the main parts of the human circulatory system, and describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood.

Homework: Children now need to complete compulsory homework from the reading comprehension book and the maths workbook. In addition, the spelling, perfect paragraph and weekly grammar and punctuation worksheet will be in the homework books. Topic and science homework will also be provided but these are optional. Homework is due on **Thursday**. New homework is sent home by **Friday**.

Week	Reading	Maths	Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling
Week 1  Due: 17/01/19	Pages 6-7 Why recycle?	Pages 8-9 Negative Numbers	Pages 8 -10 Synonyms and Antonyms

Every child is welcome to attend Lucy's homework club for support and access to the Internet every Tuesday lunchtime.