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Year 6 Parent/Carer Newsletter – Autumn 2 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

We hope that you and your family enjoyed the half-term break. The Year 6 children had a successful first half-term where they quickly settled into the routines and rose to the challenges set for them. Below, and on the reverse of this newsletter, you will find some useful information about the new half-term.

Homework

Thank you to all the children who completed the English Homework Challenge on time for last half-term. Overall, throughout the year group, homework challenges were kept to an exceptionally high standard, with some truly fantastic examples of hard work and creativity.

Thank you for ensuring your child is completing their mymaths online homework as well as the maths worksheet each week. Spellings will continue to be set and tested each Monday and shortly there will be a grammar piece of homework to complete each week.

Book Wars has just been launched for this half-term's English Homework Challenge. All the information is inside your child's English Homework Challenge book. We look forward to hearing about some fantastic reading going on at home.

Attendance

Well done to both classes for their good attendance, especially towards the end of last half-term. However, it is extremely important in Year 6 that this is maintained as time is valuable in preparation for the end of year assessments. Similarly, work is often completed first thing in a morning so children must arrive at school for 8:45 am.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,
The Year 6 Team

Important Dates:

Wednesday 8 th November	Trip to watch Dunkirk (see separate letter)
Monday 13 th November	Making the right choices workshop – based in school (free activity)
Wednesday 29 th November	Trip to St Cuthbert's Church (free activity)
Friday 1 st December	Christmas Fair
Monday 11 th December	Y6 Christmas Party
Wednesday 13 th December	Trip to synagogue - morning visit (see separate letter)
Wednesday 13 th December	Christmas dinner
Thursday 14 th December	Carols by Candlelight – letter to follow
Monday 14 th May 2018	SATs week begins