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Building success, inspiring curiosity

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Dear year 6 parents,

Firstly, the whole team would like to say how proud we are of every pupil and all the hard work they have put into their learning this half term. We know that lots of children are very keen to continue building on this progress and below are some suggestions of areas your child could focus on over the next few months.

To support your children in the run-up to SATs, we have returned their recent SATs paper tests for you to look at. The children have already looked at these in lessons but may benefit from revisiting some questions again. Your child will know what their teacher has set regarding learning from the study books to complete over the holidays.

Maths

1. Make sure you know your tables and inverse operations (division)
2. Know your conversions for time, length, mass and volume (e.g. how many days in each month, 24 hours = a day, 100cm = 1 m, 100ml = 1 litre)
3. Know your shapes – 2D and 3D shape names and properties (e.g. edges, vertices, faces)
4. Know the meaning of tricky vocabulary (e.g. radius, diameter, circumference, perimeter, parallel, perpendicular, types of angles, multiple, factor, squares, primes, composites)
5. Know how to use time tables (e.g. train) and interpret graphs
6. Use the “Key Maths Facts” sheets to revise key facts.

Reading

1. Read more challenging texts and discuss what you have read with someone. Try to work out the meaning of unfamiliar words from the context.
2. Read at speed (with good understanding). Lots of children did not manage to finish the whole text because of the length of the texts.

SPAG

1. Make sure you are familiar with the word types (noun, verb, adjective, adverb, preposition etc.)

Use the CGP revision guides to help with any areas you are finding difficult. Don't forget that you can check the answers using the back of the books and your teacher will always be happy to explain any questions you have.

Most of all, have a fantastic holiday and make sure you have a break from your learning.

Yours sincerely,

The Upper School Team

