

Year 6 Homework

Set: 24/9/20

To be completed by: 1/10/20

Spellings:

Programme of Spelling words:

Hyphens for compound adjectives				Word List 6:3
<i>The compound adjectives are two or more words that together describe a noun.</i>				
<i>When they come directly before a noun they usually have a hyphen.</i>				
<i>The hyphen shows that together the words make one adjective describing the noun.</i>				
long-term	fire-proof	hot-water	free-range	part-time
well-known	well-behaved	brightly-lit	cold-blooded	six-foot-tall
dark-brown	bright-red	well-written	up-to-date	man-eating

National Curriculum:

average	awkward	bargain	bruise	category
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**Please remember, it is important NOT to use capital letters in spelling words unless they are proper nouns.
The use of capital letters (when not needed) in a test will affect your score.**

There is no expectation to record evidence of spelling practice on class dojo. We will test pupils on their spellings on Fridays.

Reading task:

We continue to provide the link for the 'Top 100 recommended Reads for Year 6' in case you have not chosen a book to read yet (independently or as a family) between now and the end of Autumn Term. We strongly encourage you to have a go at one of these texts to broaden your reading horizon! <https://www.thereaderteacher.com/year6>

During SPaG lessons, we have been consolidating expanded noun phrases. We need pupils to not only recognise these in their reading, but also to use them competently in their writing.

This week, pick and post 10 expanded noun phrases from a book you are reading.

Remember, a phrase does not contain a verb. It is not a sentence so a capital letter and end punctuation is not needed.

Here are a few examples from 'Goodnight Mister Tom':

- a harassed middle-aged woman in a green coat and felt hat (page 1)
- an old threadbare armchair near by (page 3)
- a sheltered, secluded sort of place (page 9)

Maths Task:

We're back to consolidating the basic times-table facts using 'Hit the Button'.

Chip away at the ones you know need the most work and then challenge yourself with the 'Mixed Tables' option.

Once you are achieving perfect scores (13/13, 18/18 etc.), aim to answer more questions in the set time.

We have a weekly times-table test in class so practice at home will really help to boost your scores.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>