



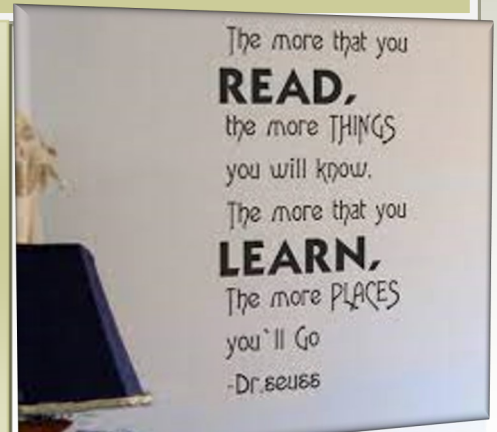
Year Six Summer Newsletter 2023

1 Term to go!

It's time for the big finish.... I can't believe how fast things have gone and I'm sure that in this term you

and your child will have mixed feelings.... Perhaps you and they will feel a little sad to leave St Gabriel's on the 21st July, but they will be excited to get ready for your new High School. Our job has always been to get your child ready for this next step in their education; both academically and socially. I know they will be ready!

Mathematics we have three units of maths to revisit before the Key Stage Two SAT tests, they are: Ratio Statistics and Geometry. I have been really pleased with how the children have used their mathematics homework book—please continue to support their learning with this extra practice at home. As always if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.



English - READ READ READ! I know that many of you are hearing your children read each week - please keep it up and please know it is making a huge difference. We have lots of new stories to read this term and plenty to get excited to write about.

In our English work over the next two half terms we will continue to practice our comprehension as well as improving our writing in creating pieces for real situations.

Y6 Specific Dates to remember

Tuesday 9th - Friday 12th May - SATS WEEK please see the attached timetable.

Wednesday 17th May - Y6 History and Art trip to the Imperial War Museum North. More details to follow.

Tuesday 4th July Junior Sports Day

Thursday 13th July Evening performance of our Y6 school show.

For other information about what we are covering please visit the school website

www.stgabrielssch.co.uk and check the half termly overview as they will give you more details. In the meantime if you have any concerns about any aspect of your child's learning or indeed school life do not hesitate to contact me.

Mr Cross

TIMETABLE FOR KEY STAGE TWO SATS WEEK

Tuesday 9th May - Friday 12th May

The children have worked incredibly hard throughout their time at St Gabriel's to meet the Governments measures of academic readiness for the next step in their education. Secondary Schools will use this information along with their own testing to assess which 'set' is best for your child.

The Government call this measure 'meeting Age Related Expectations' ARE. We will report these results to you once we have received and scrutinised them in your child's end of year report.

The children will be assessed through a week of National Tests which all Y6 children throughout the country will adhere to.

To give your child the best chance they have in these tests please ensure that they eat and drink well this week and get an early nights sleep.

Should you have any questions about any aspect of the tests as always please get in touch.

Many thanks

Matthew Cross

Tuesday 9th May 2023	Wednesday 10th May 2023	Thursday 11th May 2023	Friday 12th May 2023
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling paper 1—questions 50 marks 45 minutes	English Reading Comprehension Test The test consists of a reading booklet and a separate an- swer booklet. The children will have 1 hour to read the 3 texts in the reading booklet and complete the questions, which are worth 50 marks in total.	Mathematics Paper 1 Arithmetic The children will have 30 minutes to answer the ques- tions which are worth 40 marks in total.	Mathematics paper 3 - mathematical reasoning The children will have 40 minutes to answer the ques- tions which are worth 35 marks.
Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling paper 2— spellings 20 spellings 20 marks 15 minutes approximately		Mathematics Paper 2 - mathematical reasoning The children will have 40 minutes to answer the ques- tions which are worth 35 marks.	