

St. Berteline's Church of England Primary School.

Dear Parents,

This short half term is a busy one for Year 6 children!

In class, there will be a main focus on skills of reading, writing and maths.

We, of course, continue with our music, performing arts, drama and PE/Games, which give them a welcome break from their focused work!

Children will also continue to develop their language skills in French and are having weekly sessions of Forest School this term.

As the Year 6 approach the SATs tests in the week of 12th May, we work hard to give each child the confidence to do their best and reach their potential. They have worked hard throughout this year and are well-prepared for the tests.



The lead up, therefore, is very structured in these subjects and gives the children a chance to try timed, independent assessments.

At the end of this term and moving into Summer 2, children will begin to move their attention to transition to high school which will be our main topic in PSHE.

Some high schools visit and speak to the children transitioning to them and all of them find out about the child through discussion with teachers - this will happen for all children and high schools before the end of the year.

Can you please ensure that your child has a good, reliable pen to use during the SATs week - some have gone astray during the year, or have simply run out. Blue ink if possible.

Many thanks

Craig Ellis