

**Year 6 – week beginning 4<sup>th</sup> May**

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| <b>Reading</b>          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Read for at least twenty minutes each day. You may want to read some of the short stories or poems in this new online book, 'The Book of Hopes.' It has been created by a range of authors for this time while you have to be at home. <a href="https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/9-12/book-hopes/">https://literacytrust.org.uk/family-zone/9-12/book-hopes/</a></li> <li>• Choose an activity each day from the reading rainbow activities (week 5).</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Spelling</b>         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Follow this link: <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zt62mnb">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zt62mnb</a></li> <li>• Watch a spelling video each day and create a table with word lists for that spelling.</li> <li>• At the end of the week, complete the spelling quiz.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Writing</b>          | <p>This week we will continue to explore 'The Lost Myth of Mathos.'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Log onto Purple Mash and click 'Serial Mash', click on 'Sapphires'.</li> <li>• Open the myth 'The Lost Myth of Mathos'.</li> <li>• Read and complete the activities for Chapters 5 and 6.</li> </ul> <p>In addition, follow this link to the BBC website <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/dailylessons</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There will be a daily lesson on English each day. Choose at least three lessons to take part in. Remember you have the activities above so you need to think about organising your time and selecting what tasks you will do when.</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Maths</b>            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• From this week, White Rose maths have teamed up with the BBC to create daily lessons that will help you to cover topics that you will need to focus on to help you prepare for Year 7. This week there will be a focus on fractions. Follow this link to the White Rose website: <a href="https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/">https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/</a> There will be a video for you to watch and then it will give you a link to the BBC website where the lesson will continue on their site.</li> <li>• Explore some games and investigations on <a href="https://nrich.maths.org/primary">https://nrich.maths.org/primary</a></li> </ul>   |
| <b>Curriculum Tasks</b> | <p>History:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Following the History task set in the first week of this half term, complete the thought shower. You can print the document or create your own.</li> <li>• Think about your prior learning, did the Ancient Greeks come before or after these events: The Romans, The Tudors, Ancient Egypt, Vikings, Victorians. Order these historical events using the document to help you.</li> <li>• Look at the events specifically within Ancient Greece. Use the document to help you to create your own Ancient Greek timeline.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>VE Day</b>           | <p>Friday 8 May is the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE day (Victory in Europe). Think back to all you learnt about WW2 in the autumn term and in Year 3 and have a look at these clips about VE Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48201749">https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48201749</a></li> <li>• <a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks2-ve-day/z7xtmfr">https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks2-ve-day/z7xtmfr</a></li> <li>• <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NEavcsrMoMw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NEavcsrMoMw</a> (original footage)</li> </ul> <p>Have a go at these recipes: <a href="http://cookit.e2bn.org/historycookbook/index-20-world-war-2.html">http://cookit.e2bn.org/historycookbook/index-20-world-war-2.html</a></p> |

**Online resources**

There are some fantastic online resources that have been set up. Have a look and take part in some online lessons.

<https://www.thenational.academy/online-classroom>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize>