

# FRIDAY LETTER

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## Staying Safe Online!

On Monday this week, Y6 children had a visit from PCSOs, Jack and Becky, to discuss staying safe when using the Internet. During their visit, the children learned the **SMART** acronym to remember:

- S** Stay safe on the Internet.
- M** Never **m**meet anyone you have only met online.
- A** **A**cept only media/emails/requests from people you know.
- R** **R**eliable - check people are who they say they are.
- T** **T**ell a trusted adult if you feel uncomfortable.

They were also told to -

**ZIP IT** – Keep your personal information private.

**BLOCK IT** – Block out any messages/people that make you uneasy.

**FLAG IT** – Tell a trusted adult your concern so they can help you.



All the children engaged well in the session and were very clear on how to keep safe on the Internet. Please encourage your child to talk to you about what they are doing at home on the Internet and help us to keep all of our children safe.



## Year 6 Statutory Testing Monday 14 - Thursday 17 May 2018



The Key Stage 2 tests will be taken nationally on the following timetable:

Monday 14 May 2018	English grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 1: questions (45 mins) English grammar, punctuation and spelling Paper 2: spelling (15 mins)
Tuesday 15 May 2018	English reading (60 mins)
Wednesday 16 May 2018	Mathematics Paper 1: arithmetic (30 mins) Mathematics Paper 2: reasoning (40 mins)
Thursday 17 May 2018	Mathematics Paper 3: reasoning (40 mins)

We are exceptionally proud of all our children and Year 6 are certainly no exception. We know that children who are determined, proud and who believe they are capable will always perform at their best. We work together on this mission to enable all our young people to head on to their next phase in the best possible place to continue their success at secondary school.

How can you help?

- Ensure children **complete homework**/Study Books and **prove their answers** and thinking.
- Support children to **reread through their writing**, consider **spelling** carefully and use a **dictionary** to support
- **Read regularly** and support access to, and high comprehension on, **reading plus**
- Learn **times tables and maths facts for passports**
- Ensure that children are **in school every day**.
- Help the children to **feel good about themselves**, feel positively determined, know we are proud and aim to keep calm.

If anyone has any questions or queries in relation to the tests or how to support their child, please do not hesitate to speak to Mr Stansfield, Mrs Andrews or Miss Holmes.

## Warrington Wolves

Year 3 and 4 children have been taking part in rugby coaching lessons this week with staff from Warrington Wolves. These lessons will continue for 10 weeks and, during this time, the children will be taught many of the skills needed to be a good rugby player. We look forward to seeing how much the children learn and achieve during the course and, who knows, we may have the next big signing for Warrington Wolves in our midst!



<b>STARS OF THE WEEK</b>			
★	<b>FS1 AM Darin</b>		★
	<b>FS2 Siobhan</b>	★	
	<b>Year 2 Dillion</b>		
★	<b>Year 4 Louis</b>		
	<b>Year 5K Josh R</b>	★	
		<b>FS1 PM Agata</b>	★
		<b>Year 1 Natasa</b>	
		<b>Year 3 Tony-Junior</b>	
		<b>Year 5C Bethany</b>	
		<b>Year 6 Aimi</b>	★

<b>SEAL THEME</b>			
 <b>“Showing respect towards others, understanding similarities and differences”</b> 			
Children spotted this week:			
<b>FS1 AM</b>	<b>Grace A</b>	<b>FS1 PM</b>	<b>Redgie</b>
<b>FS2</b>	<b>Dwayne</b>	<b>Y1</b>	<b>Sky</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Dylan</b>	<b>Y3</b>	<b>Maisy</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Anas</b>	<b>Y5C</b>	<b>Alfie W</b>
<b>Y5K</b>	<b>Phoebe</b>	<b>Y6</b>	<b>Jessica</b>

**BEST ATTENDANCE**

Year 2 - 99.3 %

Well Done!






**captain's table**  
 Congratulations to our Stars, SEAL and Headteacher Award winners, who will all be invited to enjoy their lunch on the Captain's Table.



## Headteacher Award

The Headteacher's Award is given each week to children who have shown impeccable behaviour, outstanding attitudes and admirable learning skills.

### This week the Headteacher's Award goes to:

**Foundation Stage – Liam (FS2)** for such positive engagement in school. Liam is contributing so well in class and making great learning choices – he's even helping the Gruffalo to do the right thing!

**Key Stage 1 – Amy-Grace (Y2)** for writing an AMAZING setting description and including all of the skills she's been taught recently – tremendous progress Amy-Grace!

**Key Stage 2 – Jonatan (Y6)** for superb engagement in lessons. Jonatan is showing determination and positivity in the run-up to his tests, completely in 'the zone' and applying his skills exceptionally well – a great example to us all!



## WORD OF THE WEEK!

**This week's word was: "Suspicious"**

'My sister looked a little suspicious when she was heading towards MY x-box one!' (Rhys, Y4)

'I was very suspicious when the gingerbread man disappeared before Mrs Whalley's birthday' (Dwayne, FS2)

'I stared at him suspiciously.' (Blake, Y5C)

**Next week's word - 'convinced'**

The challenge is set to see how often we can use these words in our talking and in our writing, both at school and at home with families. Please send in any examples used at home after half term, so we can celebrate this out of school learning with the children.



## Year 4 Time Workshop!

Year 4 parents and carers joined their children in class on Thursday morning, where they worked alongside each other learning about time. The parents and carers enjoyed it so much that they took some worksheets home with them to do with their children. The turnout for Year 4's workshop was amazing and we would like to say a big thank you to everyone who visited our class today. We really enjoyed our "TIME" spent together!



## Year 5 Residential

On **Wednesday 16 May–Friday 18 May**, Year 5 children will be going on their residential to Forest Camp. During their time there, they will have the opportunity to camp outside with their friends in a safe environment. The children will also be doing a number of exciting and character building activities aimed at developing resilience and teamwork. The activities will include climbing, kayaking and mountain biking, to mention just a few. We look forward to finding out all about what the children learn and enjoy on their return. Don't forget to pack their teddy!

