

# Sherwood Primary School

# Y6 NEWSLETTER

Summer Term 2026



Dear Parents and Children,

This is it! The final term at Sherwood. In the first half, we are having our final push towards SATs which will be held w/c 11<sup>th</sup> May. We want the children to feel as prepared and confident as possible when they sit the tests, so will continue with our focused revision lessons. Thank you for always encouraging your child to complete their revision homework and accessing SATs Companion each week – it really helps! After SATs, many of the children will be heading for a week of adventure at Plas Menai. Those remaining in school have lots of exciting activities planned too.

It is a jam-packed term – see highlights below! – so please ensure that you continue to check the calendar for key dates.

As always, we access the Year 6 email daily so please don't hesitate in contacting us with any questions or similarly speak to us in the playground.

Thank you for your continued support!

## HIGHLIGHTS FOR THE SUMMER TERM

SATs	Magistrates Visit
Outdoor Day	First Aid
Plas Menai	Sports Day
Year 5/6 performance	Spelling Bee
Leavers' Assembly	

## VOCABULARY TO LEARN AT HOME

Knowledge of these words are essential for learning this term. Please share and discuss together at home:

**Contentment, latitude, longitude, committed, classification.**

## HOMEWORK

For the next few weeks, the children will continue to have revision homework set – using the revision guides. We ask that the study books are returned after the May half term holiday.

After this, Year 6 homework will revert back to the standard homework:

Weekly homework **may** include:

- Daily reading;
- Grammar and handwriting tasks;
- Maths activities including the CGP book;
- Activities related to our current topic.

Homework will be set every Friday through our Y6 Class Page on the Website. Homework is to be handed in the following Wednesday; please encourage your child to organise their time effectively

Please make sure that your child completes their homework to a high standard – with a focus on clear presentation and detail.

## THIS TERM WE ARE READING

**Boy Overboard** – Morris Gleitzman

**Wonder** – R. J Palacio

**War Game** – Michael Foreman

**The Story of the Second World War** – Non-Fiction

**Selected song lyrics**

## OUR CURRICULUM

It is an action-packed term of learning in Y6. For our full Y6 curriculum documentation, please visit [our website](#) (Curriculum – Sherwood Curriculum). This provides an overview of key learning across the Curriculum.

## READING

This year is the **National Year of Reading**, where reading for pleasure will be celebrated across the country. To support with this initiative, we will be planning a range of exciting activities linked to reading. Please support this through encouraging your child to read the things that they enjoy and that focus on their interests. It could be fiction, non-fiction, magazines, or even song lyrics! **Regular reading builds stamina, vocabulary, creativity and focus – which will not only support the children in their SATs, but with all future aspirations.**

Reading book pages read and a list of any new vocabulary that you have discussed, should be recorded in the homework diary and initialled each night by a parent.

Diaries will be collected in and signed on a Monday. Thank you!