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Dear Parents of Year 6,

Welcome back to the new autumn term. It has been lovely catching up with the children and learning about what they have been doing this summer holiday. I am delighted to have received 18 summer holiday homework packs with the tasks completed – thank you. Any outstanding packs can still be sent in.

This year PE will be on a Wednesday afternoon. The children can come to school wearing their school PE kit (trainers, white shirt, navy shorts or tracksuit bottoms, a navy hoodie or sweat top with no logos).

Homework is reading each night with an adult signing the book on **at least** two occasions a week, the children can read to themselves the rest of the time and sign their reading record. They also have spellings and tables set on a Monday to be tested on a Friday. At the weekend, they will have a page of alphabetical spellings to learn which are the common misconception words. In addition, each Monday they will bring home a completed arithmetic test. Please can you go through any questions they have incorrect and practise these at home. If you need an explanation of the method to use, just pop in and ask me to show you.

As the year progresses, any other areas which need revisiting will also be sent home as we need to ensure your child is ready for their end of key stage tests in May. Please check book bags and reading packs daily for additional information.

Your child needs to bring fruit for their breaktime snack each day; school does not provide fruit for Key Stage 2 children. Your child also needs their own drink bottle to use throughout the day.

Just a reminder that you should be signing your child up to their secondary school placement now. Further information regarding open evenings is to come.

Here’s to another productive and enjoyable year where we continue to work as a team together.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Kirsty Lamb