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## Curriculum Information Letter - Year 6 Summer 1 2025-2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you had an excellent break during the Easter holiday. There are just four weeks to go until the SATs so we will be putting the finishing touches to our exam preparations and consolidating our test skills. Closer to the time, I will send out a letter containing more information about what the week comprises and how to support your child during it.

<b>Curriculum Plan for Summer 1 2025-2026</b>	
<b>English</b>	We begin our English study this term looking at Roberto Innocenti's beautiful picture book, <i>Rose Blanche</i> . The class will produce diary entries from the main character's perspective as her hometown becomes unrecognisable in the midst of World War 2.
<b>Mathematics</b>	We have covered almost everything that needs to be taught from the Key Stage 2 National Curriculum so the children will be consolidating their understanding in the run up to SATs and keeping those arithmetic skills razor sharp. Oak class will also continue to examine Algebra as well as Shape, Position and Direction.
<b>Science</b>	We will continue to investigate circuits and after that we will delve into the circulatory system, blood and the heart.
<b>Humanities: Geography</b>	Can I carry out an independent field enquiry?
<b>RE</b>	How has the Christian message survived over 2000 years?
<b>PSHE</b>	Year 6 will be learning about positive self-talk, transitions from primary to secondary school and healthy relationships among other topics.
<b>PE/Games</b>	Striking and field games and net games.
<b>Art</b>	Oak Class will continue to examine the art of Banksy. After that, they will be designing and making shadow puppets.
<b>Music</b>	The children will continue to learn about digital music production before starting preparations for their end-of-year play.
<b>Homework</b>	In the run-up to SATs, the children will be bringing a homework book home every night with reading comprehension or maths tasks in it. Please can they bring this in daily.
<b>French</b>	We will be teaching the children how to give directions.

### How Can You Help?

Thank you for completing the Easter practice work given to the children. Quite a few of the class have told me that they are using SATs revision guides at home to help prepare for their

exams. That's brilliant news - thank you for purchasing these and for encouraging the children to use them.

They have been given knowledge organisers for maths and SPaG as well as a guide on how to be successful in the arithmetic maths paper. Thank you for supporting the children to use them. They should also be doing weekly spelling practice.

To be at their best over the next few weeks, the children need to be well-rested. So, my biggest ask of you is that you please do everything you can to help your child get the rest and sleep they need. For some, that might involve a little less screen time in the evenings - but that is as much as I will say for you know your own children better than anyone and know what works for them.

If you have any questions at all regarding this term or the upcoming SATs, please don't hesitate to get in touch or come in to school to see me.

Best wishes,  
Jo