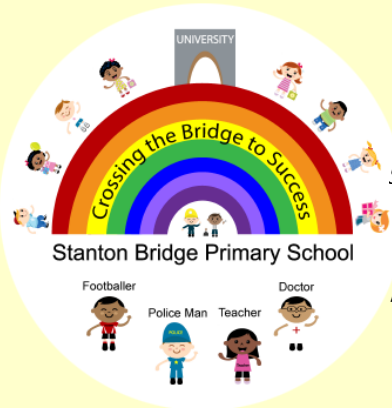


# Stanton Bridge Primary School Newsletter

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## Year 6 Newsletter



Greetings, this letter is to inform you about the year six's education over the Summer term. A massive *WELL DONE!* to all our year 6 children in completing their SATs tests and all their hard work!

The *Year 6* team consists of our teachers: Miss Cooper, Mrs. Usman, Miss. Dove and TAs: Ms. Kaur, Miss. Froggett.

### Home Learning

In our year 6 home learning we have been revising: Mathematics, English and reading skills. This has helped us consolidate our learning and become better learners.

### Spellings

In year 6, it is crucial to learn and memorise your spellings; it will allow you to become familiar with spelling patterns and apply them to unfamiliar words. It is useful within writing sessions too!

### English



In English, we have been looking at the story of *The BFG*. We have been writing narratives this half term and focusing on higher level punctuation and vocabulary. We've also learnt about speech and looked at formal and informal speech. We have looked at the informal language of *The Queen* and also enjoyed looking at the unusual phrases used by *THE BFG*.

During our SPaG sessions (spelling, punctuation and grammar) we have been revising lots of different grammar features and identifying them. We've revised conjunctions, active and passive voice, hyphens and tense changes.

### Mathematics

In mathematics, we have been revising all the key strategies and using them to solve word problems, in preparation for our SATs. We've been revising angles and properties of shapes, graphs, measurement and ratio and proportion. We will be enjoying a lot more investigations and problem solving next term!

### Science

In science we have looked at living things and their habitats, focusing on the characteristics of animals and classifying them! We've created our own curious creature from clay and wrote a biography about it; using our knowledge of species and their features and how they are able to survive in their habitats.

### PE

In PE we have covered athletics and developed a whole range of skills such as: long jump, short and long distance running and throwing.



### History

This half term we have looked about the Great Fire of London in 1666 and how the 4-day blaze ripped through London causing devastation. We've sequenced the events of the fire and what famous landmarks were destroyed. We applied our knowledge and facts of this tragedy to write a newspaper report, set back in time to September 1666, with interviews from Thomas Fariner and Samuel Pepys!

Year 6 Team