



Houghton Regis Primary School

'Growing minds, shaping futures and inspiring lifelong learning'



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Monday 13th April 2026

KS2- Year 6- Summer 1- Curriculum Map

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we begin the Summer term in year 6, we would like to share with you what we will be covering over the coming weeks in our final preparation for SATs. We will be continuing the changes we made to our timetable, where the children will be working in smaller groups with a focus on:

Maths- We will be recapping particular areas and continuing to cover new concepts. We will begin our day by developing our arithmetic skills and then moving onto SATs reasoning questions, developing strategies to enable us to answer problem solving questions.

To continue to support this learning at home, please encourage your child to use:

Arithmagicians: <https://arithmagicians.com/>

SATs Boot Camp: <https://www.yearsix.co.uk/sats-boot-camp/>

TTRockstars: <https://ttrackstars.com/>

Rollama: <https://rollama.com/login/>

Reading- We will be using a range of comprehension questions and previous SATs questions to support the children to answer a range of different style of questions. Continuing to read as frequently as possible at home will also support your child to increase their reading age in preparation for high school.

Spelling, punctuation and grammar- We will use previous SATs questions to help us revise for the spelling, punctuation and grammar paper, as well as using Rollama.

This can also be accessed at home via: <https://rollama.com/login/>

English- We will be writing a biography and then a narrative. In preparation for writing our biographies, we will be reading 'Survivors: Extraordinary tales from the wild and beyond' by David Long and Kerry Hyndman and focusing on developing skills of using passive verbs, hyphens, parenthesis and colons in a list. We will then write a narrative featuring 'Blackberry Blue and other fairy tales' by Jamila Gavin. We will focus on the skills of using the perfect form of verbs, describing settings, characters and atmosphere as well as integrating dialogue to advance action. We will learn to embed the use of semi- colons and use cohesive devices to link paragraphs. We will then assess the effectiveness of our own and others' writing and propose changes to vocabulary, grammar and punctuation to enhance effects and clarify meaning.

PE days: Children are to come into school wearing their PE kit on their PE days. In Year 6, our PE days will be:

Indoor PE: Monday

Outdoor PE: Wednesday

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Homework:

English/maths: The children have a CGP targeted English and Maths work book set on a Friday and due the following Wednesday.

Spellings: Spellings will be given out on a Friday to be learnt and then tested the following Thursday. The children will bring their spellings home in a yellow spelling book, where you will be able to see their spelling score and any highlighted spellings they may need to work on.

Reading: Please ensure children are reading at least 3 times a week at home and their reading records kept up to date. Reading records will be checked every Friday.

TTRockstars, SATs Boot Camp, Arithmagicians and Rollama- as regularly as possible.

Upcoming dates:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
Tuesday 14th April 2026	8:15am and 4:30pm	SATs Parent Meeting
Monday 20th April- Thursday 23rd April 2026	Mornings	Mocks Week
Monday 11th May- Thursday 14th May 2026	Mornings	SATs Week

SATs dates:

Monday 11 May 2026 English grammar, punctuation and spelling Papers 1 and 2

Tuesday 12 May 2026 English reading

Wednesday 13 May 2026 Mathematics Papers 1 and 2

Thursday 14 May 2026 Mathematics Paper 3

A reminder that the school day for Year 6 will finish at 4pm on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays until SATs.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or would like further information, please do not hesitate to ask us at the classroom door or via our Class Dojo.

Miss Rogers, Miss Coleman, Miss Lancaster and Mrs Cobb.

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