



Class 6 SpringTerm Newsletter 2026

Dear Parents and Grown Ups,

And just like that, the Christmas break is behind us, and we are in the full swing of 2026! On that note, I would like to take the time to say a huge thank you from the year 6 team for the Christmas goodies. The children have come back to school with a positive attitude that we hope to continue utilising over the upcoming term.

Throughout said term, our overarching topic will be The Battle of Britain – a local study. Many of the topics and activities will be linked directly to this unit so we would like to encourage any discussions, home projects or further research on the topic at home.

Please find below an outline of the topic:

The Battle of Britain – A local study	
English	Persuasive Writing, Narrative, Formal and Informal language, Reports Balanced arguments. Use of punctuation to enhance and clarify.
Maths	Decimals, Percentages, Algebra, Converting units, Perimeter area and volume, Ratio, Statistics
Science	Living things and their habitats, Animals including humans Light
History	The Battle of Britain – a local study
Geography	Mapping and grid references within the UK and other countries.
Art	Brave colour Exploring portraits
DT	Creating an installation using a light circuit
RE	Gospel - What would Jesus do? Salvation - What difference does the resurrection mean for Christians?
PSHE	Zones of regulation. Keeping Safe
Computing	Big Data, Artificial Intelligence, Python
Music	WW2 music/ Music based on using complex rhythmic notation
PE	Gymnastics, Football, Outdoor Adventure, Dodgeball.

As you can see, where applicable, we have tried to link our units to the topic as much as possible, whilst ensuring we are still in full preparation for the Year 6 expectations.

SATs

As the Year 6 upcoming SATs (Monday 11th May 2026 – Thursday 14th May 2026) grow closer, we will be holding a meeting soon to discuss the process and answer any questions you may have. If you have any questions in the meantime, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Reading and Homework

Reading at home is one of the best contributions you can make to your child's education. Children have received reading books and reading records for the school and parents to communicate through. The children's books are matched to their current reading ability, but should you enjoy reading other books with them as well, feel free to record anything else they have read. The expectation for reading at All Saints is 4 times per week at home with reading records being brought in every day. It will be checked at different times throughout the term to monitor reading habits. In Year 6, homework will be set online via spag.com, [spelling shed](http://spellingshed.com) and maths.co.uk. There will be paper based homework available on request. We will also begin using CGP practice books as part of our homework in the next few weeks.

PE

This term Year 6 will have PE on a Tuesday and a Friday. Please can we ensure that PE kits are in school throughout term time and, if possible, outdoor trainers/football or rugby boots to be worn on Fridays for PE. We will be outside for much of the unit, so please bring in warm clothing too.

Messages

We welcome messages on the gate/door in the morning for any reason e.g., if someone other than yourself is picking your child up in the afternoon. If you would like to arrange a time to talk with the teachers, please feel free. The children's safety and happiness are our number one priority. We have an open-door policy at All Saints so please do have a chat before or after school if you do have any concerns.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Holt, Mrs Ashton and Mr Davies