

# The Sandhurst Times

## What is happening in Year 6?



### Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope that all our families have had a fantastic summer break! As always, the Year 6 Team are truly excited about the school year ahead as your child begins their final year at Harehills Primary School.

There is much learning to be done this year as the children IMMERSE themselves in all areas of our wonderful curriculum. Your child will be enjoying many exciting events and activities this year and we really believe that your child will have a memorable final year with us at Harehills!

If you ever need to speak to a member of staff about your child's progress, please feel free to approach any of us and we'll be happy to help! Alternatively, send an email to: [sandhurst@harehills.leeds.sch.uk](mailto:sandhurst@harehills.leeds.sch.uk) and a member of Year 6 will reply. We encourage children to send us emails too! It is lovely to hear they are learning at home! 😊

### P.E

During the Autumn Term, Year 6 children will be building their confidence and challenging themselves through the 'Real PE' scheme. PE will be taught on the following days:



Sandhurst 1 - Friday  
Sandhurst 2 - Tuesday and Thursday  
Sandhurst 3 - Monday and Friday  
**P.E. kits and suitable outdoor BLACK trainers are essential and can be worn to school: a white t-shirt with black, blue or grey joggers or leggings (no skirts).**

### I.M.M.E.R.S.E

We have high expectations in Harehills Primary School and want every child to fully immerse themselves in their learning during Year 6. Children have set themselves targets based on the following: **independence, motivation, maturity, effort, respect, support and endurance.** We look forward to working together as a team!



### Important dates:

#### Half term 1:

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023:** School closes for half term.

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023:** TRAINING DAY.

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023:** Hello Yellow Day (children to attend school in yellow clothing)

**Week commencing 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2023:** Parent consultations.

#### Half term 2:

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023:** We return to school.

**Week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> November 2023:** Anti-Bullying Week

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November - 1<sup>st</sup> December 2023:** Herd Farm Residential

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2023:** School closes for half term.

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2023:** TRAINING DAY.



### Theme Learning

This term we will be concluding our history focused theme and moving onto a new theme called: **'Where in the world?'** The children will look at countries around their world whilst learning new and exciting **geography-based skills.**



### Malham!

As part of our theme, we are visiting Malham Cove in the beautiful Yorkshire Dales to undertake fieldwork.

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September: S3**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September: S2**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September: S1**

**New Year 6 Planners:** This year the children have a planner to record their homework, spellings, every time they read and things to remember. Please check your child's planner weekly.

### Homework:

Reading is such an important aspect of your child's education. **Please encourage your child to read at home as often as they can. They can record this in their planner.**

**Your child has a log in for:**

[ttrockstars.com](http://ttrockstars.com)  
[mymaths.co.uk](http://mymaths.co.uk)  
[maths.co.uk](http://maths.co.uk)  
[spag.com](http://spag.com)

### Homework

**Homework will be sent home to meet the needs of the children. When children require to do additional work or practice, they will receive homework.**

**Every week, the children will get:**

- Reading to do at home (equivalent to 1 hour).
- Spellings to learn.
- Timetables to learn (the children know which ones they should be practicing).

### Our Year 6 Team:

Assistant Headteacher for Years 5 and 6:  
Mrs. McMullen

**Sandhurst 1:** Mr. Waddington.

**Sandhurst 2:** Mrs. Roclawski

**Sandhurst 3:** Mrs. Mann (Year Group Leader) and Mrs. Hall

**Year 6 WISH Team:** Mrs. Aslam, Mr. Lawton, Mrs. Begum, Mrs. Hussain (learning mentor), Mr. Kerr, Miss Methven (French) Miss Vickerman and Miss Close.