



Pike Fold Community School - UKS2  
Newsletter  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2018



What we have been up to this week in UKS2

Across our key stage, this week, we have been completing assessments in maths, reading and SPaG. These assessments will help to set individual targets for the children and essentially help the children to lead their own learning.

**Year 5:** This week in Year 5 we have been looking at place value in numbers up to 6 digits. In our theme sessions we have continued to look at what life was like for children during the Victorian era and will be producing a piece of writing next week.

**Year 6:** This week in Year 6 we have been finding out what it was like to be evacuated during WW2. In Literacy we have been reading 'Goodnight Mr Tom' and writing diary entries for William's first day as an evacuee.

All children have completed a full set of practice SATs tests which will provide a baseline assessment for the year.

Homework

**Year 5** Maths – MyMaths

Literacy – Comprehension pages 10

**Year 6** Maths – MyMaths

Literacy – Learn Year 3/4 spelling list found in journal. (To be tested next Thursday)

App Downloads!

Please ensure you have downloaded the following apps:

Class Dojo App

Studybugs App

Group call – Xpressions (all newsletters and parental letters will be uploaded to this app)

Please ensure the Class Dojo App is being used only as intended. All important messages should be passed on to teachers via phone calls.

Important Dates and Notices

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September – Year 6 SATs meeting for all Y6 parents – 9.20am and 3.45pm

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September - Year 6 SATs meeting for all Y6 parents – 9.20am

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September – Manchester Bee Trail trip (ARC children)

PE Kits

Please ensure that children come to school with the appropriate PE kit. Kits should be brought in at the start of the term and taken home at the October break to be washed. If for any reason you are unable to provide kit please contact the school and let us know so we can help.

General Reminders

- Please contact our school office with regards to places at after-school club.
- Thank you to all parents who are parking sensibly before and after school, it helps to keep everyone safe!
- Chair of governors Eddie Roberts can be contacted by email – [chair@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:chair@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk)
- Family engagement officer: Mrs J. Gallimore. Tel: 0161 795 4614
- As ever, if you have any questions then you can email the KS2 team at [KS2@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:KS2@pikefold.manchester.sch.uk).
- Please remember that children's footwear must be black shoes or trainers.