**What we have been up to this week in UKS2**

**Year 5:** This week in Year 5 children have been completing baseline assessments in all core subjects. The results of these tests will be used as a means to track their progress throughout the year.

In English they have been practising using both dictionaries and thesauruses to edit and redraft their work.

Y**ear 6:** This week in Math sessions with Mr Graham Year 6 have been recapping place value and rounding numbers up to 7 digits. Have a look at our website page to see photos from one of our sessions. Next week we will be moving on to prime, composite and negative numbers.

In English with Mr Johnson, children have been reading ‘Goodnight Mr Tom’ and writing diary entries recounting the experience of evacuation. Our chosen book for class read this half term is ‘The Boy in the Stripped pyjamas’ which both classes are thoroughly enjoying.

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**Homework**

**Year 5** Maths – Mathletics activities (usernames in journals)

Spelling Shed.

**Year 6** Maths – Mathletics activities (Usernames in journals)

English – Comprehension activity and spellings

**Year 4**

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**Timestables**

Knowing all times tables is a national target for the end of year 4 and is crucial if children are going to make excellent progress in our key stage.

We ask that all parents continue to practice and test times tables with their children to ensure fluency.

The website for children to practise is:

<https://ttrockstars.com/login>

**Notices**

Thursday 19th September – Year 6 induction meeting @ 4pm. All parents encouraged to attend one of the meetings if possible.

Friday 20th September - Year 6 induction meeting @ 9.15am.

**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) .