Year 6

In every piece of writing, I should be:

- using neat, joined handwriting
- using paragraphs to organise ideas
- using long and short sentence lengths
- using a range of verb forms accurately
- using ambitious con junctions to link clauses
- using accurate punctuation . A , () ; :
- using spot-on spelling, including Y5+6
 words
- using dictionaries to check and correct spellings
- using formal or informal language appropriately
- using adverbial phrases to begin sentences in interesting ways

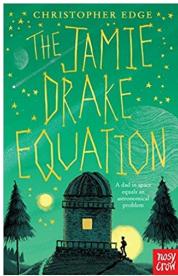
DOING THIS WILL HELP ME BECOME AN AWESOME WRITER! Good luck.

work hard

and en joy!

We look forward to seeing your work in school.





Summer Homework Booklet

Name	 	
Class		

To be handed in every Tuesday.

Remember to keep filling in your moon diaries.

This is Year 6's homework brochure.

Children should be encouraged to use the support or extension tasks as appropriate.

Summer

Weekly Tasks

Take care of this leaflet as it contains all the English homework tasks between now and February half term. Bring completed tasks into school every Tuesday, in your English Homework books. The different pieces of work may be displayed in school so HIGH QUALITY work is expected.

Your presentation is very important, but the content of your work is even more important.

Always give yourself enough time to produce a high quality piece of work and check it through carefully.

Use the star challenges to help you produce the best pieces of work.

Writing tasks and practical 'making' tasks are alternated to make the tasks fun and appealing to all. We hope you really enjoy these activities!

We will also give you a Maths activity to complete that is linked to our learning in school and at an appropriate level of challenge. Spellings should also be completed regularly — please!

From Miss Thomas and Miss Perring

for Tuesday 24th April

Imagine you are the boy, Jamie Drake from of 'The Jamie Drake equation'. Write a diary entry from a day in his life, explaining what happened and how you felt.

- * Use paragraphs to structure your writing and conjunctions like while, when, as, because and but.
- ** Use interesting phrases or time words to link from one paragraph to the next. Use co-ordinating conjunctions (and, but and yet) and subordinating conjunctions (while, since, until and although).
- *** Use semi colons, dashes, commas, colons and conjunctions (like the ones in I and 2 star) as appropriate. You must use relative embedded clauses. ensure formal and informal language where appropriate.

for Tuesday Ist May

Design and draw a picture of what you might see in space (perhaps you could draw what you would see at the beginning of the story or what you could see that has been mentioned). You need to include some annotations.

- * Label each feature.
- ** Explain in your labelling why each of these areas matter, relating to space-specific vocab.
- $\star\star\star$ Select appropriate colours and materials when creating your artwork

for Tuesday 8th May

Write an information text about space travel. You may wish to research space pioneers, the space race or modern-day space travel.

- * Write your ideas under 3-4 clear subheadings. Make sure your paragraphs are clear.
- ** Structure your information text with appropriate sentence and high-quality vocabulary. Use embedded and relative embedded clauses. Use semi-colons correctly.
- *** Use brackets and varied parenthesis to develop your ideas and add extra detail.

for Tuesday 15th May

SATs week for Year 6

Year 5

Imagine you are a space explorer and you have discovered intelligent life (aliens). write a letter to the new species, introducing them yourself, Planet Earth, the human race and other features.

- *Include Dear, yours sincerely and a minimum of 3 paragraphs
- ** Use relative embedded clauses and complex sentences
- *** (as 2 star) and semi-colons and dashes.

for Tuesday 22nd May

Most of Year 6 are in London

Write a book review about 'The Jamie Drake Equation'. Talk about your favourite scenes but don't give too much away! Use the example below to help get started (Your review needs to be a minimum of 3/4 of A4 page:

'The Jamie Drake Equation is the new book by Christopher Edge, author of the highly acclaimed, Carnegie-nominated The Many Worlds of Albie Bright. This is another phenomenal novel for children, combining great storytelling and science. . . '