

# Year 6 News

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022

This week we have missed Mrs Batten, but 6BK have all been super learners and have worked brilliantly for all their teachers. This week the children have been learning about percentages in maths, how to draw facial expressions in art and finding out the differences between democracy and tyranny in history.

Mr Pattison, Mrs Batten and Mrs King

## HOME LEARNING

**Reading** – Children should aim to read at home for 20-30 mins daily. This may be reading to an adult or independent reading.

The comprehension home learning has been sent home with the children and should be completed and returned to your teacher by Wednesday.

**Maths** – There are some challenges on MyMaths for you to try. Please ensure you let your class teacher know if you are having problems logging in or need to use computers in school to complete it. This must be complete by Wednesday

**Times tables** – Please focus on the x table shown on your ‘heatmap’ as one you need to speed up on. Play <https://play.ttrockstars.com> for 10 minutes per day.

**Spelling to learn this week** – rhyme, rhythm

Remember to listen for how many syllables there are and think about the spelling of each syllable like we have done in class. (these are from the year 5/6 spelling list)

## SUBJECT SPECIFIC VOCABULARY

Maths – algebra, percentage, input, output

History – The Blitz, evacuation, rationing

## PE

**6BK**- PE on Monday (Dance) and Thursday (Netball)

**6P**- PE on Monday (Swimming) and Friday (Netball)

Please remember your PE kits. Our kit is blue shorts, blue Brixington T-shirt and trainers.

## Other information

In English, we are writing stories on Earnest Shackleton and his journey to the South Pole. On Friday, it was reported about an expedition to try and locate his ship, The Endurance, in the Weddell Sea. Over the weekend, keep an eye out for any more news stories about this as it may have some helpful facts to assist with their learning. Here is a link to the article that was released on Friday.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/science-environment-60239105>