



Year 6

Spring Term 1



Welcome back to school for 2019! We hope you had an enjoyable Christmas and New Year. 2019 is going to be an extremely challenging but fun year for your child's last year at Bader Primary!

Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts.

Winston S. Churchill

We are starting off the year with a two week project on the man himself - Douglas Bader. Children are carrying out their own research and will be writing a biography. Exciting news - Some lucky children will have their work published in Thornaby Pride so keep your eyes peeled.



Parents are invited into school on Friday 18th January to look at children's work. You can expect to see some brilliant writing and fantastic art work.
- Time and details to follow.

SATs Week - Monday 13th May - Friday 17th May 2019

Kingswood Residential - 13th - 15th February 2019

We are extremely excited about our upcoming residential. Children will have an amazing time: they will build their confidence, work in teams and most importantly have fun outdoors. Please remember to make your payments each week to ensure that the balance is paid in time.



P.E.

Year 6 P.E. lessons will be every Monday for this term. As always, your child will require a **plain green t-shirt**, plain **black shorts** and trainers.

Uniform

Please support us in ensuring that your child is in full school uniform each day. School shoes or trainers should be all black. Children should not wear jewellery or nail varnish.

Read for the stars! / Home Learning / Spellings

We encourage all parents, carers and family members to **read 5 times per week** with your child to support them with their reading fluency, accuracy and understanding. Many children are getting closer to '*reaching the sun*'; some already have! All children have now received a SATs home learning exercise book for Maths, Reading, Grammar and Punctuation. These booklets are designed to consolidate all learning taught in class, which will be a fantastic aid to the children in preparing for SATs assessments in May. Could we remind parents, that the children take good care of each booklet and bring them into school when required by their class teacher. Weekly spelling practise will continue as normal; children can now access 'Spelling Shed' online to practise their weekly spellings. If you have any questions about how to support your child, please ask.

Thank you for your continued support!

Miss Rider

Miss Logan

Mr Brown

Mrs Watson

Mrs Alder