



P6 Literacy activities – Monday 22nd – Friday 26th June

BugClub – remember to do some reading each day! Don't forget to click on the bugs to challenge your comprehension skills and earn rewards.

Spellings – download the PowerPoint and the Words for Sorting. This week's sound is "tion". Remember to think about the meaning of each word.

Newsdesk – don't forget to log on each day and read the latest stories. Add a comment too.

Since it's the last full week of term, we've decided to do things a little differently!

- Go to our "Brooklands PS P6 Home Learning" YouTube channel and you can listen to Mrs Bell reading "Mister Skip" by Michael Morpurgo. This is a wonderful story set in Ireland. The story is divided into seven chapters so why not listen to one chapter each day? You'll find Chapter 1 here <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S5aN910n4dQ> and all seven chapters will be available by Tuesday.
- You will find out who your P7 teacher will be on Friday – all the details will be on the Whole School Home Learning page. This week, we would love for you to write a letter to your new P7 teacher introducing yourself.
You could write about your family, your hobbies, what makes you happy, your friends, what you are looking forward to doing in P7, anything at all!
On Friday, you can add the name of your new teacher to the start of the letter "Dear _____"
Then email a copy of your letter to your P6 teacher and we will pass all the letters to the P7 teachers before the summer holidays.

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- We were really impressed with last week's work based on the "Catch It" animation – well done to everyone who sent their story writing in!
This week, we are going to watch an animation called "Catch A Lot" about a fisherman who wants to introduce his son to whale hunting. Watch it here <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OAJi8DILjFs> and then download the "Catch A Lot activity pack" which contains discussion points and lots of different activities. Choose which ones you would like to complete at home.
- Since lots of us will be spending our summer holidays in Northern Ireland this year, why not learn a little more about where we live and perhaps plan to visit some of our wonderful tourist attractions? There are lots of PowerPoints and activities to you to download on our Literacy activities page.
- A preposition is a word that tells us the position of one thing in relation to another
e.g. the ball rolled under the bed. Log in to Education City, open the "Prepositions" city and use the Learn Screens and activities to find out more about prepositions and to practise using these words. If you would like to do some additional work, download the "Prepositions Unit 17" written task on our Literacy activities page. The answers are also available.

If you're not doing the AQE practice papers this week, log in to Education City and try the activities in the "Homophones" city as your Literacy activities for Day 5 of this week.

Practice paper – AQE CEA 2009 Paper 3 plus Windmill Series 3 Test 2 (weekend paper)

The next set of practice papers for use during the summer holidays will be available to collect from school when you are picking up your child's report this week. **Please remember to ask for the practice papers.** There are seven tests in your pack (one per week) and the answers to each test have also been included.

Pupil reports will be available for collection from the school assembly hall on the following dates

P1 Tuesday 23rd June	10.00am - 12 noon
P2 Tuesday 23rd June	1.00pm - 3.00pm
P3 Wednesday 24th June	10.00am - 12 noon
P4 Wednesday 24th June	1.00pm - 3.00pm
P5 Thursday 25th June	10.00am - 12 noon
P6 Thursday 25th June	1.00pm - 3.00pm
P7 Friday 26th June	11.00am - 1.00pm
Friday 26th June	1.30pm - 3.00pm Final chance to collect reports if other times are unsuitable.

Parents can only collect reports for their own children and if you have more than one child at the school you may collect all the reports at the same time.

Entry to the school will be through the front gates and main entrance only. Please observe social distancing regulations when you are in the school.

This week, you have two tests to complete.

Have a go at doing the AQE test in one sitting and see how much of it you can complete in one hour. When you have only ten minutes left, start to look for the questions where you think you can gain the most marks in the time you have left.

These tests are supposed to be challenging and there will be some questions which you will find difficult. If there are particular questions which you are getting stuck on, it can be really useful to ask an adult to make up some extra questions - the more you practise, the better you'll get!

As always, a digital copy of each AQE test is available on our website which has been annotated to show how the working-out may be set out and providing you with the answers to each question so that you can mark it together with your child.

Good luck! Don't panic!