

## Homework Tasks

### You can help your child with their weekly tasks:

Learn weekly spellings	You could check and rehearse spellings with your child.
Reading their reading book	You could hear your child and ask them questions about the text. Record this in the home-school book so that your child gets stickers.
Learn multiplication tables	You may want to check and spot check your child with questions about the x table they are working on. All Y6 pupils should have logins for 'my maths' form Y5
Other sheets	Sometimes extra sheets are sent home for pre-learning before an activity or to reinforce learning at school.

### Project Tasks

This topic will last for 13 weeks, in this time the children are expected to choose **TWO activities** from the list and complete with the help of parents. One project must be brought in at any time before the 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015 and the second piece before 11<sup>th</sup> December 2015.

- ☺ Make a poster about your favourite tv-programme.
- ☺ Draw pictures of your favourite animated characters.
- ☺ Create some animation of your own with play dough.
- ☺ Create a biography for a famous actor.
- ☺ Ask your mum or dad to take you to the cinema. You could write a review of the film and whole experience.
- ☺ Create your own film set using mini props and a cardboard box.
- ☺ Create a survey to find out about people's favourite programmes. You could graph the results.
- ☺ Experiment to create a new and unusual popcorn flavour.
- ☺ **Any other creative idea that you can think of linked to the topic!**



## Curriculum Information Sheet

### Year 6

2015 – 2016

Autumn Term 1

**‘Lights, Camera, Action!’**

## **Main Topic Area: 'Lights, Camera, Action!'**

**Over the next term our topic will be about entertainment in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century.**



### **English**

In literacy we will be using the theme broadly to cover a wide variety of tasks including descriptions, diaries, non chronological reports, magazines, persuasive writing and reviews. We will be reading the book 'Hugo' as well as other texts. In our afternoon writing we will be trying to cover a wide variety of text types linked to the topic area.

### **Maths**

Our main focus this term will be all four calculation strategies including mental strategies and formal written methods. We will also be revising place value, handling data and 2D shape.

**Science:** In science we will be learning about light and electricity linked to our main topic.

**Art:** We will be looking at composition skills and will be improving our drawing, sketching and shading skills with graphic pencils. We will be exploring the world of printmaking.

**PE:** In PE we will be working with Mr Frankland, focussing on invasion games such as tag rugby and will be improving our gymnastic skills next half term.

**Music:** In music we will be working with Mrs Bennett, a specialist music teacher. She will be working with us on using bell plates and musical vocabulary. We will also start learning songs for Young Voices linked to this curriculum area.

**PSHE and RE:** In RE we will be learning about role models. In PSHE we will be learning about safety and taking risks during our visit to Crucial Crew.

### **Educational Visits**

We will be visiting the National Media Museum in October, further information will follow. We will visit Crucial Crew in October.

**Our Residential to Kingswood takes place on 18<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> May 2016**

**We have a meeting about this on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 3.30pm in the Lower Hall**