## Year 6 Home Learning Letter

# Term 2a Week 6. 12th February 2018

# **School Learning**

## **Literacy**

This week, year 6 have been trying to add more effect to their writing by adding fronted adverbials to the start of sentences. In reading we have been practising answering questions in short timescales, focusing on language and inference skills.

## <u>Maths</u>

This week we have been learning about algebra and how to substitute letters and numbers. We have been solving missing number problems using visual and writeen techniques.

## <u>Topic</u>

In our Topic this week we have been learning about air resistance and making parachutes to find the best materials we can use. We have been learing what makes an effective parachute and have designed our own version.

## Family comment/Questions/Messages

#### Home Learning Activities

#### Year 6's Home Learning (Homework now given out on a Friday and handed in the following Thursday to fit in with our revision timetable).

The children have had a revision session (each Friday morning) and we have re-capped things previously taught. We have discussed the methods needed and have set the following homework linked to these lessons:

## Maths (2 weeks)

Please complete pages 52-59 – Fractions. Please try and complete a challenge from each section (4 challenges in total).

## <u>English (2 weeks)</u>

Please complete pages 40-43 – Progress Test. Please try and answer as many questions as you can in 30 minutes.

Other – Please try and continue to read and practise spellings.

# Every Monday Lunchtime there will be a drop in session for children who need a little extra support with their homework revision.

### Other information

Mrs Birmingham will be teaching our class on a Thursday. We are now having PE lessons on a Tuesday and Thursday afternoon. Please ensure your child brings their indoor and outdoor PE kit in case of bad weather. Children need to bring their water bottle with them every day.