

Visits out of school planned so far:

Y3 Roman visitor to school/ National Media and Science museum

Y4 Austerfield Study Centre/The Peak District

Y5 Bamburgh

Y6 Austerfield Study centre/Crucial Crew/Kingswood, Wales

Homework

Y3: Spellings and one other piece each Friday to be returned by Wednesday. Homework menu with a variety of activities on it, minimum of three activities to be completed each half term.

Y4: Spellings, times tables and one other piece each Friday to be returned by Wednesday. Homework menu with a variety of activities on it, minimum of three activities to be completed each half term.

Y5: Spellings and one other piece each Friday to be returned by Wednesday. Homework menu with a variety of activities on it, minimum of three activities to be completed each half term.

Y6: Spellings once weekly. English and maths given on Thursday for Wednesday. A homework menu will also be given each half term.

Please be aware that in the new National Curriculum for 2014 there is increased emphasis on learning spellings and times tables. All pupils

should practise these on a regular basis at home as well as their daily reading.

Water

Children may bring a bottle (500ml) of plain water. This should be named, kept in the classroom and taken home each night.

PE and Games

Please remember to bring suitable kit on Monday and leave it in the cloakroom until Friday.

Plain white t-shirt (no logos or colour), black shorts or jogging bottoms and black sweatshirt if cold. Pupils also need a pair of trainers for outdoor PE. No jewellery may be worn for PE and games. Long hair should also be tied back at all times.

PE Days:

Y3 - Monday and Wednesday

Y4 - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

Y5 - Tuesday

Y6 - Monday, Tuesday and Friday

Swimming for Y5 is on a Wednesday afternoon

Break times

Pupils will be provided with equipment such as skipping ropes, bats and small balls, so they will not need to bring any outdoor play equipment from home.

Although we have a variety of board games for wet breaks, it is still a good idea to bring a puzzle or quiz book.

Tickhill Estfeld Primary School



Key Stage 2 Information for Parents

Our topics 2016-2017

	History/Geography
Y3	Stone Age, Iron Age and Romans. Map reading and Our World. Contrasting localities in Europe and North/South America.
Y4	Anglo Saxons and Vikings Tickhill local study Water and rivers
Y5	Victorians. Egyptians Bamburgh/Northumberland
Y6	World war 2 Mayan Civilisation Ancient Greece.

If you have any photos, artefacts, books or useful contacts to speak to the children on any of our topics, please let us know.

	Science
Y3	Animals including humans Habitats Light Forces and magnets Plants
Y4	Teeth and digestion Electricity Sound Habitats Rocks, soils and fossils
Y5	Living things and their habitats Animals including humans Materials Earth and space Forces
Y6	Healthy lifestyle Light Electricity Evolution and Inheritance Living things and their habitats

	Design/Technology/Computing
Y3	Roman chariots Christmas cards & calendars Programming and bug fixing using Scratch. We are presenters (iMovie) We are network engineers. We are communicators (e-mail) We are opinion pollsters Moving minibeasts Baking
Y4	Communication (Word and Powerpoint) (Scratch) Quizzes (Scratch) Create a game Animation and safety - iMotion Musical instruments Cards and calendars Electrical games Levers and linkages
Y5	Developing interactive games (Scratch), Cracking codes (Scratch, Black Chamber website), Fusing geometry and art (Inkscape), Creating a website about cyber safety (Google, wordpress), Cards and calendars Designing a souvenir Christmas cakes
Y6	Multimedia presentations Controllable vehicles Christmas cards/calendars Wartime food Mexican food Control/Monitoring (Flowol) Control using Scratch iMotion animations