



# *St Mary's Catholic Primary School*

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Diocese of Plymouth*

14<sup>th</sup> March 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

Dates for your diary:

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March - CAFOD Family Fast Day - non uniform in exchange for a donation for CAFOD please**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March – Fraser Portraits –class photos**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March - Easter Egg donations for PTA Raffle**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March – Y1-6 Reports out**

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April – break up for Easter holidays 3.15pm**

## **Homework**

### **English – Set Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March - due in Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March**

Regular reading and spelling practice. We will be week 3 of the Spring 2 spelling list.

### **Grammar homework**

School has provided every Y6 child with a CPG revision book on spelling, punctuation and Grammar. These books must be looked after carefully and it is vital that they are returned to school every Thursday when this homework is due in, when they will be marked in the lesson.

Please refer to the page inside the front cover: this will tell you which pages have been set for homework.

**Please note that there are answers at the back of the book- encourage your child to work independently without reference to these. They can be cut out if preferred.**

### **Maths – Set Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March - due in Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March**

Complete the Maths questions worksheets

Times tables should be revised daily.

## **Our learning this week:**

**English** – We will be working on a piece of narrative writing which includes the development of a character and dialogue to advance the action. We will also focus on a range of sentence types and a range of punctuation.

**Maths:** This week we will be working on percentages and ratio and applying these skills to problem solving.

**RE :** This week we will be looking at the story of the Woman at the Well. We will think about what the Samaritan would have done after her encounter with Jesus and what we can learn from the story.

**Reading:** All children now have a book bingo sheet in their homework diaries. The aim is to achieve a line then a full house by reading a wide variety of books across the term. All reading must be evidenced by an adult. In our reading lessons we are reading The Adventures of Odysseus and working on the skills of inference, authorial choice, summarising and understanding words in context.

We have now had 30 children who have received a prize for completing a line (4 different books) and I hope to see more soon.

If you have any queries whatsoever, please do not hesitate to contact us as soon as possible.

Regards,

Year 6 Team