

# Bowling Park Primary School

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Hello, Y6 families,

We are so proud of the progress the Y6 children are making. It is not long now until they will get an opportunity to show their progress in their SATs tests in May (11<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>). They are working incredibly hard in school and we were proud of their effort during Mock SATs week. Below are some links so they can continue their learning at home to prepare them for their SATs tests in reading, maths and SPaG:



## 1. SATS BOOT CAMP

It is a brilliant resource (as we all know) and we really encourage you to complete some revision tests on there. It will help us to identify the areas of improvement for each of you. Remember, there is also a revision section (for every maths, SPaG and reading skill) on here with videos and practice questions. We will be giving lots of golden tickets out for children who have completed activities on there.

<https://www.yearsix.co.uk/>

## 2. TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

Why not spend 10 minutes a day practising your times tables?

It is **essential** that you know all your times tables including division facts. If you are confident with your times tables, you could set yourself a speed challenge. How fast can you do them? Can you improve on your speed?

<https://trockstars.com/>



## 3. SPELLING SHED

Practise spellings and any SPaG activities that have been set for you.

<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/>



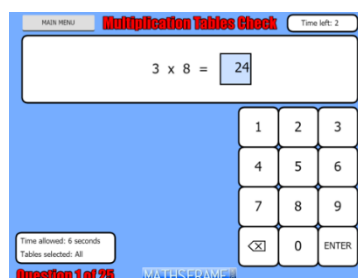
## 4. MATHS FRAME

Practise maths in a fun way! There are lots of brilliant games on there which are both fun and educational.

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/>

Maths Frame username: bowlingpark

Maths Frame password: maths123



As well as revising for our SATs in school, we are still exploring other areas of the curriculum:

In DT, our topic is titled, 'Come Dine with Me!' Within this unit, the children will be researching suitable recipes, recording utensils and ingredients needed, writing and following a recipe (with only 3 ingredients) and then scoring each other's meals – just like the real Come Dine with Me! We will also be exploring where certain food comes from before it enters the supermarket. It certainly sounds like a lot of fun to me! Hope you're hungry and hopefully the children can share their talents with you at home!

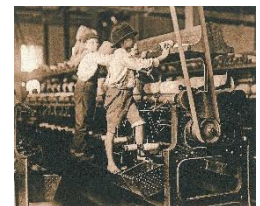


**Continued learning:**

**Art-** we are really excited to continue our topic, 'Photo Opportunity'. Children will have opportunities to take and edit photographs in developing their understanding of using photography within abstract art. They will explore the work of Derrick O. Boateng and create their own album cover inspired by the artist. Not only this, but they will be given opportunities to use photography creatively to design and recreate famous paintings. This will enable them to create their final outcome: a photorealistic self-portrait.



**History-** we will be delving further into the history of our local area. Students will expand their historical research skills through investigations about Victorian working conditions: focusing on Bradford's Industrial Revolution and child labour. They'll use their knowledge of census data to describe societal changes across time, deepening their understanding of historical contexts.



The Year 6 teachers are excited to see the progress that the children will continue to make. Please continue to ensure that your child is eating well and is well rested for the day. Any questions, please speak to a member of the Year 6 team.

**SATs timetable**

Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> May	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> May
Punctuation and grammar paper – 45 minutes  Spelling paper – 15 minutes	Reading paper – 1 hour	Arithmetic paper – 30 minutes  Reasoning paper 1 – 45 minutes	Reasoning paper 2 – 45 minutes

**Enjoy the half term.**

**The Year 6 teachers!**