

Dear Parents and Carers,

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RE: Y6 Final Term Arrangements and Key Dates

As Year 6 enter their final term at Brooke Primary Academy, we would like to share with you the key dates and events.

KS2 Standard Attainment Tests (SATS) – Monday 9th – Thursday 12th May

As you will be aware, the KS2 Standard Attainment Tests (SATs) are currently going ahead and will take place WC 9th May (Monday – Thursday).

We are now only 3 weeks away and we felt it was important that we shared with you how hard the children have been working. We know that not everyone agrees with the tests and it is often said that it is impossible for these tests to measure the true character of a child. In some ways they are right, your child has skills way beyond their ability in Maths and English and we celebrate these talents every day in school.

In addition to the academic measures, SATS measure many other things too; children's **determination** to achieve their best, **courage** to speak out when unsure and sometimes be wrong, **thoroughness** in all their answers, **thoughtfulness and kindness** when working to help and encourage each other, **confidence** to give it a go and their **patience**.

This year has been hard work, yet they continue to make us proud, and whatever they achieve, we can honestly say they have tried their best and that's all we have ever asked.

We now turn to parents and carers and ask that, over the following 3 weeks, you continue to support your child to; attend school, revise, attend school with a positive mindset and ensure they have lots of sleep and rest, so that they can achieve their own individual potential.

Year 6 Celebration Day – Friday 13th May

As a celebration for completing their SATs, the children will take part in a range of activities throughout the day. We are hoping to take them to the ice cream parlour in Thorne, paid for by the school. Please do not send your child with any additional money. This trip will be covered by local visit consent.

Year 6 Celebration Trip – Harry Potter Studio Tour Friday 17th June 2022

To celebrate the hard work and determination shown by the Y6 children, we have organised this fantastic trip, which we know they are looking forward to.

[Harry-Potter.pdf \(brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk\)](#)

Year 6 Final Day Arrangements – Friday 15th July 2022

Morning

On this day, the Y6 children are invited to wear an old shirt for signing. We also invite those children purchasing a hoodie to wear it on this day.

We will be making this final day special for them by holding a whole school 'special assembly' and organising many more exciting events for them during the morning.

Afternoon

In the afternoon, we would like to invite parents/carers to the Leavers Concert. This is where the children will share their memories from their time at Brooke Primary Academy.

Parents'/Carers should arrive from 1.30 and be seated by 1.45pm.

Only 2 adults per family are permitted to attend the event. If your family situation means that you require more adults to attend, please contact the school office to discuss this further.

Siblings who are not of school age may attend with parents. However, we ask that you leave the event (temporarily) if your child becomes unsettled and starts to disrupt the event.

We hope you can join us. Please can you confirm your attendance by emailing BR-admin@vennacademy.org by **Friday 17th June**.

Year 6 Transition week at Trinity Academy – Monday 18th July – Friday 22nd July

The majority of our children will transition to Trinity Academy, and therefore they will begin their secondary education at Trinity Academy on Monday 18th July. Brooke Primary Academy closes for the end of term on Thursday 21st July, however, Trinity encourage the Y6 children to attend for the full week.

Children who are not transferring to Trinity are expected to continue to attend Brooke. For those children attending other secondary schools, we are waiting for details regarding their transition arrangements, and will contact their parents as soon as we have the information.

We really hope to make the final term a term to remember.

Kind regards,

Mrs Emma Levers and the Y6 team