Welcome to Year 6!!!



6C – Ms Begum, Mrs Burnett & Mrs Saini

6V – Miss Latham, Mrs Burnett & Mrs Solanki



Class Pages on website -

- Timetable
- Curriculum newsletter



https://www.chadvale.bham.sch.uk/

Homework



Will be online this year.

Will start this week.

Will be on Microsoft Teams

SATS books from January.

Reading in Year 6

- Whole class reading
- Reading for pleasure





Chad Vale KS2 Reading Strategies



nks to their own life, other texts and the world around



Agood reader can predict and ask questions about what happens next as they



A good reader can talk about the main points of a text and order events correctly.

Vocabulary



A good reader can use the words in the book to help them understand what they are reading.

Retrieve



A good reader can look back and find answers in

Explain

A good reader can think

like a detective and use

clues in the text to help

them understand it.



A good reader can explain the patterns and themes in texts. and how meaning is shared through content and language.

Point

Explanation

Evidence

Sum up the main idea in your paragraph.

Provide Evidence for the point you are making.

Why is the quotation significant? What effect does the quotation have on the reader? Why has the writer used

this technique?

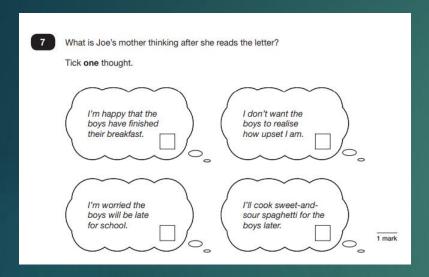
- In my opinion...
 Arguably... The writer uses.
- Similarly
- Firstly.
- Secondly.
- · In contrast One of the language features
- ·For example.
- -An example of this is...
- ·This is shown... +This can be seen
- ·This is demonstrated
- ·We know this because.
- *The evidence for this is...
- · This shows
- This suggests...
- · This implies ...
- . This is effective because... The writer has chosen this
- technique because.
- · This would make the reader
- This has been used because.



Y6 Assessment:

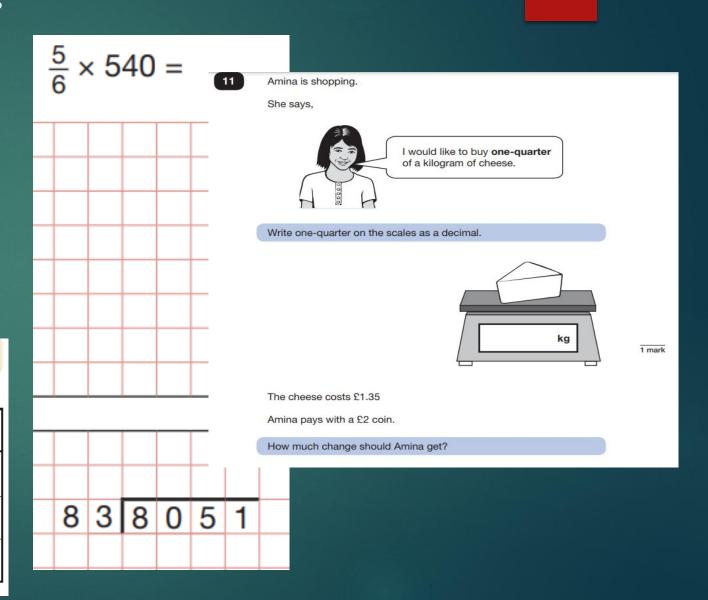
- Reading, Maths, SPAG
- Writing assessment
- How you can support your child
- SATS Week Monday 11th May Thursday 14th May 2026

Sample Questions:



Tick one box in each row to show if the underlined conjunction is a **subordinating conjunction** or a **co-ordinating conjunction**.

Sentence	Subordinating conjunction	Co-ordinating conjunction
I like ice-skating and roller-skating.		
Jamie likes roller-skating, <u>but</u> he has never tried ice-skating.		
Jamie will go ice-skating <u>if</u> l go with him.		



Attendance in Y6

- Attendance data for KS2 (Key Stage 2) shows a strong link between higher attendance rates and attainment
- Higher-attendance pupils far more likely to achieve expected standards in reading, writing, and maths.
- ▶ 84% of KS2 pupils with 100% attendance in 2019 achieved the expected standard (EXS), while only 40% of persistently absent pupils achieved EXS.

Impact of Absence:

- ► Even 90% attendance can mean a child misses the equivalent of **four weeks** of lessons in a school year.
- Curriculum is squeezed into two terms not three as assessments are after Easter. The pace is rapid!
- Summer term is focussed on transition, teamwork, and learning WILL continue!!



















Most social networks have a minimum age of 13, and are often not suitable for younger children

Online Bullying / Cyberbullying

- ► In the latest research by anti-bullying charity <u>Ditch</u> the <u>Label</u> it was found that 69% of young people under 20 have done something abusive to another person online, while 20% of young people have experienced cyberbullying
- The most common way for children to be bullied via technology was through **text or messaging** apps (56%), followed by **social media** (43%) or **online games** (30%).
- Only 6% of children said they reported the online bullying.



Cyberbullying can include:

- Sending unkind or threatening messages
- Deliberately excluding someone
- Sharing videos or pictures without consent
- Manipulating images to cause upset or embarrassment
- Using racist, sexist, homophobic or offensive language
- 'Pranking' or sending deliberately misleading information



What can I do?

- ▶ (31%) of 8- to 17-year-old children who game online say they chat with strangers while gaming, however children will not always see someone they only know online as a 'stranger.'
- ▶ 20% of children aged eight to 15 have been bullied online in some way,
- Over 400 hours of video are uploaded to YouTube every minute, including explicit or inappropriate material

- Check parental controls on all devices
- Talk to your child about their 'online' life and any concerns
- Limit screen-time
- Report /discuss any concerns
- Keep up-to-date with new info around AI, technology, online 'language' such as emojis and Youtube / social media trends

^{*}Statistics above via Ofcom

Trips

- ► Autumn Term:
 - ▶ Lapworth Museum
 - ▶ Botanical Gardens (tbc)
- Spring Term:
 - ► Pantomime@ Birmingham Hippodrome
 - ▶ Steelhouse Lane Police Museum
 - Condover Hall
- ▶ Summer Term:
 - ▶ Local Study Walk
 - ▶ West Midlands Safari Park







Y6 Expectations & life after SATS!

- Punctual and focused
- Role-models
- Enjoyment as well as assessment!!
- Opportunities to develop other skills...







Any questions?



