

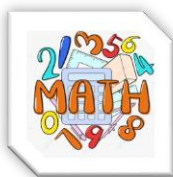
Featherstone Primary School



Year 6 Weekly Newsletter – 1st May 2026

What have Year 6 been up to this week?

This week in writing, year 6 planned, created and edited their narrative building atmosphere and using speech purposefully. To end the week, we explored the features of a blog and considered how it is structured.



This week in maths, we continued to revise some of the key topics in preparation for the upcoming SATs week. On Monday, we converted between fractions, decimals and percentages. On Tuesday, we found percentages of amounts. Next, we converted between variations of measurement. Finally, we calculated the area, perimeter and volume of a variety of shapes.



In history, we examined the causes and consequences that Robert Mugabe's rule of Zimbabwe had on society.

In geography, we investigated the location of Germany before considering the main human and physical features that Germany has.

In PE, year 6 learnt how to bat correctly in cricket to gain an advantage.

In PSHE, we considered how we could take care of our mental health and how we can help ourselves and others when worried about a mental health problem.



6A's Star of the Week

Mary for her incredible attitude towards learning every single day in every lesson. Mary goes above and beyond to ensure she is focused and participating. I am particularly proud of the progress she has made in maths, completing the tricky reasoning challenges independently. Well done, Mary!



6B's Star of the Week

This week's star has shown an excellent commitment to his maths this week. He has worked incredibly hard to make sure that he is able to work incredibly hard to complete the reasoning questions.



6A's coin total – 86 coins
6B's coin total – 83 coins

Reminders for this half term...

Our P.E lessons will take place every Tuesday or Wednesday. Please ensure full kits are in school.

Children have been set reading, SPaG and math's homework on SATs Companion. This is due on **Wednesday 6th May**.

Reading records to be completed by **Wednesday 6th May**.

Year 6 have been set their weekly spellings. They will be tested on **Friday 8th May**.

This half term's homework project is due on **Wednesday 20th May**.

KS2 SATs will be taking place week beginning the **11th May**. Please return SATs breakfast slips as soon as possible.

Letters regarding leavers hoodies have been set out. The deadline for ordering/payment is **Wednesday 20th May**.

Our trip to Drayton Manor is on **Monday 29th June**. In order for the trip to go ahead, the cost of the trip is £30.00, which will need to be paid by **Friday 19th June 2026**.

Well done, year six! Have a lovely weekend.

From Miss Nicholls and Mr Hunt