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Friday, 1st April 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you will be aware, your child will be sitting their end of KS2 tests on the third week back after we return to school from the Easter break. Their tests will be on:

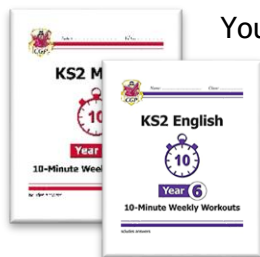
9th -12th May 2022

We will send you further information about this nearer the time, but wanted to make sure you have these important dates in your diaries.

As the tests get nearer, we will be doing additional work with your child in school to help them recap prior learning and how to go about tackling test papers in the best way possible. We are also going to change what your child is doing for their home-learning to help prepare them too.

Your child has been given three new home-learning books:

- A 10 min maths workout
- A 10min English workout
- A self-study notebook



Your child should complete one workout (a double page) each week in each book.

Children will complete:

- This week: Spring workout 1 (page 26)
- Week beginning 4th April: spring workout 2
- Week beginning 11th April: spring workout 3
- Week beginning 18th April: spring workout 4
- Week beginning 25th April: spring workout 5
- Week beginning 2nd May: spring workout 6

Your child should bring in their completed workout for English and maths, along with their self-study notes **every Monday** to be marked.

For your child to benefit from this as much as possible and remember what they have done, we recommend that children do not complete the workouts in one sitting, They should focus on a couple of questions in each book, each day. The idea is that each question should be the beginning of learning, not the end - if there is a word they can't remember what it means or concept they have forgotten, they should then do some research to recap this learning and get it into their memory. This is what their additional exercise book is for. There is further information about things they could do and useful websites in the front cover of their self-study note book.

Children will continue to have a weekly home-learning log task and should read daily, completing their reading log and bringing it to school each morning as usual. Children do not have to do their times tables or spelling books at this time as they do need time to rest and play after they have worked so hard.

If you have any questions about the home-learning please talk to me at the gate, or email year6@eastway.wirral.sch.uk

Many thanks for all your support,
Mr Thomas (Y6 class teacher)