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Dear Pheasant Parents,

Just a quick reminder that, after half-term, we will be launching our split Y5/6 sessions in preparation for the forthcoming National Curriculum test week (Monday 13th - 16th May).

During these sessions, which will run Monday to Wednesday mornings and on Friday mornings in the run-up to the Y6 National Curriculum testing week, I will be working with the Year 6 children to help them prepare for the tests, while Year 5 will be taught maths and English with Mrs Jenkinson. Afternoons will be the whole class learning together as normal, and Thursday will also continue in the current format with all children working with Mrs Jenkinson.

Homework in Y5

For the coming weeks, homework will be set by Mrs Jenkinson and will follow the same format as currently set in class. There will be no homework over the Easter holidays, but some time playing on our various learning platforms: TT Rockstars, Maths Shed, and the Spelling Shed Mastery zone, would be worthwhile.

Homework in Y6

As part of the revision sessions, I will be asking Y6 children to complete homework on a more regular basis. By completing test questions and papers at home a few nights a week, it will free up time for us to go through and consider the best approaches to a range of questions and concepts in the mornings. It is very important, therefore, that this homework is completed at home by all children and brought into school ready for the next day's learning. Please can you encourage your children to complete these tasks as best they can so as to ensure they are as well-equipped as possible when the test week comes around.

A homework pack for the children to complete over the Easter holidays will also be provided before the end of term. As always, if you have any questions regarding this or any other part of your child's learning in school, please do pop in for a chat.

Kindest regards,

Dan Taylor

