

# LEARNING LETTER

Class 6

Mr Stoppard supported by Miss Wilbourn  
Summer 2 2025-2026



## NEW TOPIC – Geography -

This term the children will be expanding their geography skills to learn about a completely different area of the world – Northern Brazil. This topic will allow us to learn how to compare where we live with one which is completely different. We will be looking at both the physical and human geography of the area and comparing it to Northeast Derbyshire. I am looking forward to learning something new.



## SUPPORTING LEARNING AT HOME

### **Class reader**

Thanks for an excellent start to our reading challenges this year. It is a credit to you all how much reading has taken place throughout the year both in school and at home. It is still vitally important that all children can read fluently, and your help is appreciated. If you can continue to read and sign your child's reading diary 3 or 4 times a week, this help soon adds up, and your child will benefit hugely. Each daily read contributes to their Reading Olympics tally.



### **P.E.**

Our PE days are **Thursday** and **Friday** so please ensure PE kit is worn for these days. We are also continuing our new sport (Tag Rugby), but we are also lucky enough to have a series of cricket lessons and other sporting activities being delivered by outside organisations.

### **Activities**

Throughout this term, different children will be taking part in different events, and you will be informed about the events as they happen. Firstly, we have a Sports Hall athletic competition for the Y6 children followed by other events throughout the term. Please keep an eye out for the events.

### **A very important year**

Thanks to everybody who has been helping their child to achieve their best in our assessments; every time you read or help with homework is a real bonus. It is now only two school weeks until our final writing moderation (w/c 14/06) and every minute counts. It is therefore vitally important that all children continue practising using the material I send home and that we ensure that time off school is minimised and that all children are here on time every day. Your help is much appreciated.

## THIS TERMS VALUE

This terms value is 'Independence'. As our children grow up, they need to become more independent and self-reliant. This term, we will be working on making sure they are ready for their move up through school. For instance, they need to be able to organise themselves to have the right things at school every day whether it be their reading book and diary or to have brought back letters for school. It also important to take responsibility for their own learning by making sure they are prepared for learning every day.

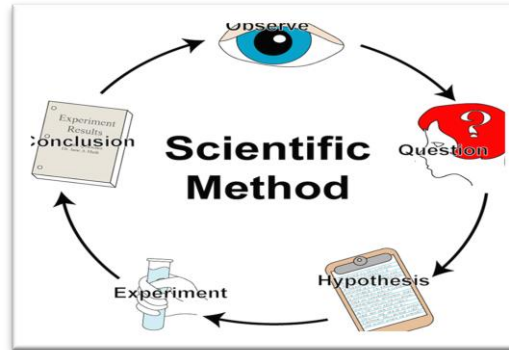


# HOMWORK CHALLENGES – CLASS 6 SUMMER 2 2026

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This term, we will be broadening our use of geography skills and learning all about northern Brazil and how it compares to Derbyshire. We will also be using our writing skills and trying to improve the standard of our writing ready for our final writing moderation. For your homework, you can choose which activity to complete. For some of them, you could record your results electronically, or the finished project could come to school. Remember, it does not need to be here until nearer the half term holidays so have a think and take your time.



For your Geography homework, why not design a fact file all about Northern Brazil. Try and find out as much as you can about this amazing area. Look at the different physical and human geography of the area and see what you can find out.

Science is all about using the scientific method to try and answer questions about our world. Have a think about some questions you could answer where you live. What questions could you ask about things in your house or perhaps out in nature. How might you be able to use the scientific method to find the answers?

In P.E., we are going to have a go at Tag Rugby. For most people, this will be a new sport. Try and watch an example of a game involving year 6 children to see if you can pick up a few tips. Why not make a little video of what you learn and send it to school so we can all watch it.