

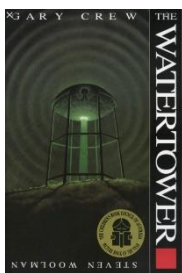


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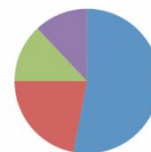
English

This week, the children's hard work has come together and they have created their own prequel to 'The Watertower'. Alien abductions, deadly viruses and government conspiracies abound! They have let their imaginations run wild with some very spooky results...



Maths

In maths we have been tackling timetables and pie charts. This has meant that the children have had to use all their brain power to recall and use the 24-hour and 12-hour clock, fractions and percentages! Let's hope their timetables work puts them in good stead for catching the school bus on time in September!



How you can help at home:

Don't forget, to continue working on at least 3 activities from your Tic Tac Toe learning logs. Due on Monday 24th May.

Read, Read and Read! Help your child's class win the Great Reading Race by reading with them every night and signing their reading record.

Please use Times Tables Rockstars to practise tables. It's essential children have all of them memorised ASAP. We don't want this being a barrier in their maths lessons.

Regular arithmetic practise is important too, and easy to find - google 'year6 arithmetic' or check out 'my mini maths'.

Book Recommendations:

'Holes' by Louis Sachar
Stanley Yelnats' has been sent to Camp Green Lake Juvenile Detention Centre. Every day he and the other inmates are told to dig a hole, five foot wide by five foot deep, reporting anything they find. Why? The evil warden claims that it's character building, but this is a lie. It's up to Stanley to dig up the truth...



Handy website

<https://nrich.maths.org/9027>

Brush up on your telling the time skills by having a go at some of the challenges on this brilliant website!

Non Negotiables:

- *Children to read at home daily (preferably with an adult) and signing diaries (4x weekly)
 - Diaries to be handed in on Friday and given back on Monday
- *Daily times tables practice (up to 12 x 12 rapid recall including related division facts)
- *Homework (Tic Tac Toe ongoing) *Full PE kit every Monday and Wednesday

Thank you for all the support you give. Great to work as part of a team.

Have a good weekend. ☺