

## Year 6 - Hawks

Date: 8 <sup>th</sup> May 2026	<b>This week we have been learning about ...</b>
<b>Other information and reminders</b>	<p>* In the blink of an eye, we have found ourselves at SATs week! Your children are, as ever, awesome and totally ready. As much as possible, we will have a relaxed, calm week with just a sprinkling of ‘fun quizzes.’ I know Mrs Duhig has already sent a letter about requirements for the week but I just wanted to add a couple of things. Please make sure children have whatever they require to make them feel comfortable - a <b>water bottle</b> and <b>small mascot</b> to sit on their desk are definitely needed, plus fidget tools, coloured overlays or ear defenders where necessary. We will take classroom supports that are commonly used. Unless any parent asks us not to, we will give children a <b>biscuit and glass of squash</b> before each test. I put a guide for children on Seesaw during the Easter holidays but if you, as parents, want to know anything else there is a great guide at <a href="https://primary.lbq.org/hub/ks2-sats-guide-parents">https://primary.lbq.org/hub/ks2-sats-guide-parents</a> . If you have any other questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to email. I will check messages on Sunday as I will be doing my planning.</p> <p>* <b>PE Days: For the rest of term will have rounders on Tuesdays and swimming in Dover on Fridays.</b></p> <p>* On <b>Friday</b> we will spend the <b>morning</b> at Barham park. Children can bring a <b>snack</b> of their choice (nut-free and no sharing) and some have also asked to bring a <b>soft toy</b>. I am hoping to give them a sweet treat, too but please do say if you would rather I avoid this.</p> <p>* We will travel to Dover Leisure Centre to swim on <b>Friday afternoon</b>.</p>
<b>English</b>	<p>* Reviewing areas where children felt concerned.</p> <p>* Finishing our creative writing.</p>
<b>Maths</b>	<p>* Reviewing areas where children felt concerned.</p> <p>* Maths Zoo quizzes.</p>
<b>Other curriculum areas</b>	<p><b>RE</b> - How does Christian Aid try to make the world more like God’s Kingdom?</p> <p><b>PE</b> -Bowling and batting practice in rounders and a fun swim in Barham Pool.</p> <p><b>Music</b> - Garageband.</p> <p><b>PSHE</b> - Valuing diversity.</p> <p><b>Computing</b> - Beginning to debug our games.</p> <p><b>Science</b> - How do we use classification keys to group plants?</p>
<b>Homework</b>	<p>No specific homework this week - concentrate on staying calm and happy. Do practise times tables and read to keep your brain busy! If you want more to do, login to Maths Zoo or have a go at Spellings or Grammar on Spelling Shed.</p>