Dear Year 6 Parents

First of all may I take the opportunity to say thank you for your support during the last two terms, whether that is providing resources, Easter eggs for our bingo or your time.

As an upper key stage our next topic is 'Oh! What a performance'. Year 6 will be will be focusing on Shakespeare and we hope to visit places relating to him that the children will find interesting. We will also be looking at stage and screen plays and will be doing some acting and directing ourselves.

As you know the SATs are approaching quickly, therefore at the beginning of the new term we will be revising fiction and nonfiction text types, all areas in Numeracy and Science.

Throughout our topic we will be looking at writing scripts and poetry as well as fantasy stories.

In Numeracy we will be doing lots of investigations and applying all that the things that the children have learnt during their time at Grangefield. After the SATs, the children will look at all subjects in blocks of time, be that a few days or a week. We also have an exciting science week to look forward to.

In RE we will be discovering who believers find inspiring and how this influences their life choices and decisions.

We are hoping to look at Graphic art and graffiti, researching how artists use different mediums, such as paint, charcoal and printing to produce pieces of art.

We will be composing our own songs in music lessons. In PE we will be looking at the traditional summer sports of cricket, rounders and athletics. We will continue to have PE on Monday and Friday afternoons but please ensure your child has a complete PE kit in school every day in case we decide to go off timetable. It should be plain blue shorts, white T-shirt and a blue jumper. Should there be a need for joggers, please makes sure these are also blue.

We will, as always, have a combination of Literacy, Numeracy and project based homework although over the Easter holidays there will not be a project set but reading is a must.

A treat for all you music/dancing fans, Year 6 will again be involved both performing and helping at Grangefield's Got Talent.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me. I hope that the children will be as interested and involved in this topic as they were the last.

Many thanks

Miss Bennett & Mrs Lack