

# GROVE ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Year 6 Gold class! Miss Romp and I are thrilled to be leading your children through their final year at Grove Road. I have no doubt it feels like yesterday when they started in Reception. We have an exciting year ahead of us with many interesting topics, trips, visitors and learning.

Below are some of the things we are learning this half-term in English & Maths, as well as the homework expectations for this term:

English	Maths
<p>Spelling, Punctuation &amp; Grammar:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adverbials and cohesion</li><li>• Subordinating conjunctions</li><li>• Subjunctive form</li><li>• Expanded noun phrases Parenthesis</li><li>• Relative clauses</li><li>• Semi-Colons</li></ul> <p>Writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Historical Narrative</li><li>• Recounts</li><li>• Biographies</li></ul> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Understand that texts reflect the time and culture in which they were they were written</li><li>• Participate in group discussions about books, building on their own and others' ideas and challenging views courteously</li><li>• Summarise the main ideas from more than one paragraph</li><li>• Discuss complex narrative plots</li></ul> <p>Speaking &amp; Listening:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Explain my viewpoint, or another's, to someone who needs help or clarification</li><li>• We will also be continuing to have Book Talk sessions.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Number and Place Value: Numbers to 10 million</li><li>• Comparing and rounding</li><li>• Calculations: Four Operations on Whole Numbers</li><li>• Multiplying and dividing 2- and 3-digit numbers</li></ul>

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Homework	Books We Will Be Reading
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Monday:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Spelling test – the spellings for this term are already in the planner.</li><li>○ Planners checked for parent signatures.</li><li>○ Mathematics/Reading eggs checked.</li></ul></li><li>• Wednesday:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Arithmetic practice task.</li></ul></li><li>• Friday:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Targeted grammar or reading comprehension.</li></ul></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Letters From the Lighthouse by Emma Carroll</li><li>• Rose Blanche by Ian McEwan</li></ul>

Attached you will find information about what we are learning in our topic, ‘Why Did 1.5 million Children Go on Holiday in 1939?’ This includes key knowledge and facts that will be covered and a list of key vocabulary and definitions. Please ensure that your children are familiar with these words, including the spellings, as they will be using them throughout their topic.

Please don’t hesitate to email me at [gold@groveroad.hounslow.sch.uk](mailto:gold@groveroad.hounslow.sch.uk) if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours sincerely,

*Miss Glenister*

KS2 Phase Leader and Gold Class Teacher

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