

Welcome to
Year 6

Helpful reminders....

- Only healthy snacks at break time.
- Mobile phones must be turned off before children come onto school grounds and only turned back on when they have left school.
- Reading records to be used for banded reading scheme books.
 - *Must be heard reading and signed by an adult*
- Homework will be emailed home each week on a Monday (starting next week!)
 - *There will an expectation that children practise their spellings, read at least 5 times and an optional practise SATs paper with example questions.*
 - *The SATs paper is optional but if your child chooses to do this and shows us their work they will receive house points for their effort.*
 - *TTRS is also expected to be used.*

Attendance

- Registers will be closed at 8:45am. Any child coming in after this time will be missing learning time and marked late.
- Any child coming in after 9am will be marked as absent for that morning session.
- **GO FOR GREEN!**
 - *Each week, your child's class teacher will see attendance data from their class.*
 - *On Mondays, any child who had 100% attendance the previous week will receive a GO FOR GREEN sticker and 5 house points.*

Year 6 SATs week

Monday 10th May 2027 - Thursday 13th May 2027

- The papers consist of:
 - *Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (Paper 1 - Grammar/Punctuation/Spelling) - Monday 10th May 2027*
 - *Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (Paper 2 - Spelling Test) -*
 - *Reading - Tuesday 11th May 2027*
 - *Maths (Paper 1 - Arithmetic) - Wednesday 12th May 2027*
 - *Maths (Paper 2 - Reasoning) - Wednesday 12th May 2027*
 - *Maths (Paper 3 - Reasoning) - Thursday 13th May 2027*

- Writing is assessed using evidence collected throughout Year 6. There is no Year 6 SATs writing test.

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- The tests take place during normal school hours, under exam conditions.
- The Year 6 curriculum ensures that the children are prepared for these tests.
- We use past SATs papers during our assessment weeks each term so that the children are used to sitting in exam conditions and understand the paper styles.
- We do not want the children to feel added pressure as a result of the SATs.
- From the Spring Term we offer tuition sessions after school to invited pupils.

SPaG example SATs questions

Circle the **relative pronoun** in the sentence below.

The children who were going swimming had their lunch earlier than we did.

Rewrite the sentence below in the **active**.
Remember to punctuate your answer correctly.

The dog was fed by Bill.

Insert a **semi-colon** in the correct place in the sentence below.

The suitcase was heavy the box was lighter but more awkward to carry.

Label each of the clauses in the sentence below as either **main (M)** or **subordinate (S)**.

After they had been for a swim, the boys had a drink

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because they were very thirsty.

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How does the use of the **passive** in the second sentence affect the way the information is presented?

1. Max dropped the red bucket.
2. The red bucket was dropped.

Tick **one**.

It does not say who dropped the bucket.

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It shows that the action happened in the past.

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It shows that it was an accident.

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It does not say why the bucket was dropped.

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Reading SATs example questions

Look at Vladik's answer to the question: ***Are there any particular lessons your father taught you that you still use today?***

How do you know that Vladik's father was a big influence on him?

Give **two** ways.

1. _____

2. _____

Think about the whole text.

What impressions do you get of Penelope as she describes her unusual experience?

Give **two** impressions, using evidence from the text to support your answer.

1. _____

2. _____

Arithmetic SATs example questions

2	1	6	7	2
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$$13.05 \times 1,000 =$$

$$\frac{2}{3} + 2\frac{1}{3} =$$

$$2\% \text{ of } 3,000 =$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 607 \\ \times 83 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$8 - 5.123 =$$

Maths reasoning SATs example questions

One Saturday afternoon, a total of 234,869 people attended three rugby matches.

- 80,978 people attended match 1
- 72,319 people attended match 2

How many people attended match 3?

Complete the calculation.

$$1,000 \times 416 = 10 \times \boxed{}$$

Ally chooses a whole number.

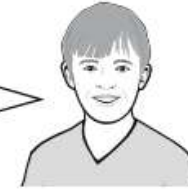
When she multiplies her number by **4**, the answer is **less than 100**

When she multiplies her number by **5**, the answer is **greater than 100**

Write a number that Ally could have started with.

Jack says,

When you square a prime number, the answer has only two factors.



Explain why Jack is **not** correct.

This table shows how many people finished the New York Marathon in each of the first four decades it was held.

New York Marathon	
Decade	Total number of people who finished
1st decade	24,863
2nd decade	170,932
3rd decade	282,420
4th decade	350,824

What is the mean number of people who finished the marathon per decade? Round your answer to the **nearest hundred**.

SATs scoring

The children will receive a scaled score between 80 and 120 for SPaG, Reading and Maths.

This is a conversion from their raw score.

English grammar, punctuation and spelling

Raw score	Scaled score
0-2	No scaled score
3	80
4	81
5	82
6	83
7	84
8	85
9	85
10	86
11	87
12	88
13	88
14	89
15	90
16	90
17	91
18	91
19	92
20	92
21	93
22	93
23	94
24	94
25	95

Raw score	Scaled score
26	95
27	96
28	96
29	97
30	97
31	97
32	98
33	98
34	99
35	99
36	100
37	100
38	101
39	101
40	101
41	102
42	102
43	103
44	103
45	104
46	104
47	105
48	105
49	106
50	107

Raw score	Scaled score
51	107
52	108
53	108
54	109
55	110
56	110
57	111
58	112
59	112
60	113
61	114
62	115
63	116
64	117
65	119
66	120
67	120
68	120
69	120
70	120

80 - 99 - Working towards Year 6 standard

100 - 109 - At expected Year 6 standard

110 - 120 - Above Year 6 standard

Culmington Manor

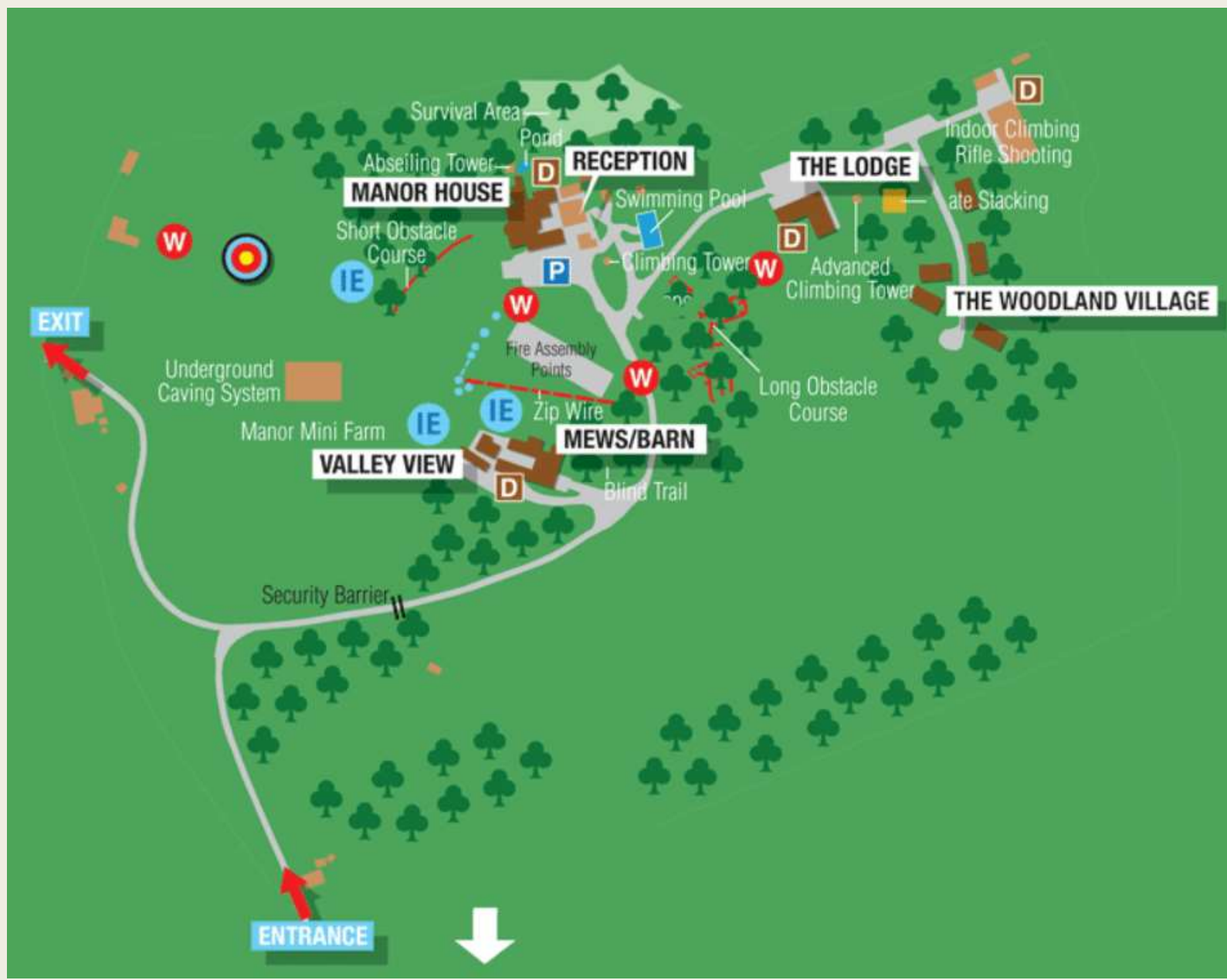
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- Where?
 - *Shropshire, England - (approx. 2.5 - 3 hours away)*



- When?
 - *Wednesday 19th May - Friday 21st May 2027*





On Site Facilities at Culmington Manor

[View our full list of activities](#)

- 🌲 Heated swimming pool (May - September)
- 🌲 Crate Stacking
- 🌲 High ropes
- 🌲 Indoor rifle range
- 🌲 Indoor climbing wall
- 🌲 Indoor Bouldering
- 🌲 Artificial caving system
- 🌲 Beginner and intermediate climbing walls
- 🌲 Two obstacle courses
- 🌲 Abseil tower
- 🌲 Two archery ranges
- 🌲 Blind Trail
- 🌲 Zip Wire
- 🌲 Sports fields
- 🌲 Woodlands
- 🌲 Wet weather shelters

Culmington Manor

- The purpose of the Year 6 residential is to:
 - *Provide the children with an unforgettable experience with their friends towards the end of their primary school time.*
 - *Provide opportunities to push limits, gain team-working skills, try new activities and have fun after a challenging year.*



Why Manor Adventures?

More bespoke timetable of activities tailoring to the needs of our school and children.

Smaller capacity - less schools on site at one time - giving a more personal experience. Brilliant reviews from schools across the country. We have had 3 successful years there!

- Children will be staying in dorm rooms of 6-12.
 - *Nearer the time of the residential, children are given opportunity to have a say in who they would like to be in a room with and who they would like to be in an activity group with.*



■ Activities available to us:

Open Canoeing · Abseiling · Aeroball · Mountain Biking · Axe Throwing · Rifle Shooting · Climbing · Archery · Scavenger Skills · Orienteering · Evening Walk · Zip Wire · Kayaking · Fencing · Team Games · Manor Olympics · Swimming · Compass Work · Bivouac Exercise · Nature Trial · Hill Walk · Blind Trail · Obstacle Course · Wide Games · Water Polo · Grass Sledging

Nearer the time of our stay, we will be given a chance to make our timetable for the weekend. These are all the activities available, we will be able to do 9 over the course of the three days.

SAMPLE THREE-DAY COURSE

DAY ONE

Arrive at the centre for 2pm

Session 1 (pm)
Obstacle course

DAY TWO

Session 2 (evening)
Fencing

DAY THREE

SAMPLE THREE-DAY COURSE

DAY ONE

Session 1 (am)
Rifles

Session 4 (pm)
Abseiling

DAY TWO

Session 2 (am)
Climbing

Session 5 (pm)
Zip-wire

DAY THREE

Session 3 (pm)
Blind trail

SAMPLE THREE-DAY COURSE

DAY ONE

Session 1 (am)
Paddle boarding

Depart after lunch at 2pm

DAY TWO

Session 2 (am)
Archery

DAY THREE

► What to pack

Here's a list of things you'll need to pack – along with a few that aren't essential but could be useful.

Things you need

- Luggage – please restrict this to one case plus one piece of hand luggage.
(Metal framed rucksacks should be avoided as they are difficult to fit into the coach)
- A freshly laundered sleeping bag and pillow with pillowcase
- A drink bottle (essential in the summer)
- Torch (for evening walk and if staying in tented accommodation)
- Rucksack
- Toiletries etc (please note deodorants must be roll-on, no aerosols or glass bottles)
- Old clothes for activity sessions – (long-sleeved shirts/jumpers, trousers / jogging bottoms (Not denim jeans), T-Shirts and closed-toe shoes are required for nearly all sessions so bring plenty).
Clothes, shoes and underwear for other times.
- Waterproof clothing (jacket / trousers)
- Large plastic bag for dirty clothes
- Bath towels x 2
- Hat & Gloves in the winter
- Sunglasses, sun cream and hat in the summer
- Pyjamas and slippers
- Swimming kit if you have swimming on your programme (this applies for Culmington Manor only)

Meal times

THE FOOD IS CHILD FRIENDLY, PLENTIFUL AND NUTRITIOUS

- Full cooked breakfast
- Substantial lunch
- Excellent cooked dinner
- Always plenty of choice
- Vegetarians, Vegans & special diets catered for

- Manor Adventure provides three meals everyday for guests.
- Arrival day: first meal is evening meal.
 - *Children will need a packed lunch for the first day.*
- Departure day: last meal is lunch
- Menus vary day to day.
- There is always a choice of hot and cold dishes, vegetarian options and a fresh salad bar, with meals served in a communal dining area. We must be made aware of any specific religious or specific dietary requirements so that we can cater for them accordingly.
- **Will cater for all special dietary requirements. Can share rough idea of menu for our stay in lead up to our visit.**

COURSE BENEFITS FOR EVERY CHILD

Every child benefits enormously from the course, especially children who are not necessarily academic or sporty.

- Education outside the classroom
- Develop an inner confidence
- Personal achievement
- Develop self esteem
- Develop social skills
- Develop team building skills
- Experience new / exciting outdoor pursuits
- Learn respect for others

Longridge Activity Centre

Thursday 20th May and Friday 21st May

NOT AN OVERNIGHT STAY

<https://www.longridge.org.uk/>

- For the children not going on the residential, there is a two day trip to Longridge on Thursday 21st May and Friday 21st May. The cost of this trip is £130.
- The children will do very similar activities to the ones that we do on the residential. They just won't stay overnight.
- The children will need to be dropped and collected at Longridge Activity Centre on both Thursday and Friday - there is no coach (to keep costs down)
- The children will be expected to be in school on Wednesday. They will do fun activities in school as a group.



What next?

If you have paid the deposit, you will be contacted by the office about the monthly payment plan.

If you have not paid a deposit but you would like your child to come, you need to pay the deposit by Friday 2nd October 2026.

If you have not told us that your child will not be coming, you need to speak to the office so that they can be added on to the Longridge trip.