

Pope Paul Primary School Home learning

Week beginning 6th July 2020

Dear Year 6,

For this week, your afternoon learning features activities to celebrate the year you've had and to ease your transition to your new school in September. Each day, there is an activity to do that focuses on a different aspect of the transition process, as well as a potential secondary school scenario that you can reflect on and discuss with the rest of your family.

I hope you find the activities enjoyable and worthwhile.

Monday	HOPES AND WORRIES
Hope and Worries Box	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This can be a box for hopes, worries or both.• Make the box using this template.• Decorate the box.• The box can store the hopes and/or worries.
Secondary School Scenario	<p>I've got two really good friends who don't like each other. One keeps inviting me to things and leaving the other one out. It's getting awkward and I don't know what to do.</p> <p><i>What should you do?</i></p>
Tuesday	REFLECTION OF THE YEAR
Letter	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Write a letter to a child in the year below.• Tell them about what to expect, what to look forward to, year highlights, things they could do over the summer to prepare, any tips, etc....• Explore the ideas of reflection, memory and recall.
Secondary School Scenario	<p>My friend added me to a group chat and there are some unkind comments about another child in my year group. I don't want to get involved but I'm worried about the child.</p> <p><i>What should you do?</i></p>
Wednesday	GOODBYE
Thank You Cards	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make thank you cards for your teachers and parents.• Reflect on what you particularly enjoyed and are your proudest moments from the year.• Discuss the feelings of moving on and moving up.
Secondary School Scenario	<p>After being at secondary school for one month, I still feel like I'm on my own. I have felt too shy to talk to people in my classes and I haven't joined any lunchtime clubs, because I'm not sure what is being offered. I don't do much at lunchtimes.</p> <p><i>What should you do?</i></p>

THURSDAY	HELLO
Postcard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a postcard to your new teacher/teachers. • Draw pictures that relate to you on the front. • Write about yourself on the back – your name, what you like to be called, age, birthday, favourite subjects, subjects you find tricky, hobbies, interests, pets, favourite colour, who you work well with, who do not work well with, etc.... • Write any questions you have for your new teacher/teachers.
Secondary School Scenario	<p>I feel that I have tried really hard in one subject I struggle with and spent lots of time preparing for the test. However, when I get my test result back, I find that I got a low mark. It just seems unfair, because I did work hard for it.</p> <p><i>What should you do?</i></p>
FRIDAY	LOOKING FORWARD
Letter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Write a letter to your future self. • Include your hopes, dreams, aspirations and goals for the year ahead. • Give the letter to your new teacher. These will be opened at the end of the academic year.
Secondary School Scenario	<p>By the end of the first term, I feel happy at secondary school. I am in a sports team and have a group of friends I can laugh with. But recently my grades have been dropping, I have got into trouble in class, and my name has come up as part of a bullying incident. I haven't intended to hurt anyone and I want to do well, so I can't understand what went wrong.</p> <p><i>What should you do?</i></p>