Greswold Primary School: Year 6 Homework

Autumn 1, Week 7	Due: 23.10.26	Spelling test: 23.10.26

Spellings:	our	extinct	aren't	retrieve
Synonyms	are	bacteria	can't	retrieval
Revision	friend	there	something	explanation
	which	their	curious	disappeared
	witch	they're	queue	tore

English task:

Rules for apostrophes:

- An apostrophe for **possession** shows who or what owns something. The apostrophe goes in a different place depending on whether the owner is singular (one) or plural (more than one). E.g. the girl's, John's, the animals'
- An apostrophe for **contraction** is used when words are shortened. The apostrophe usually shows where letters have been left out. E.g. can't, won't, shouldn't

Extension (extra HPs available if shown to your teacher):

Write your own sentences using apostrophes.

1. *Put the apostrophe in the correct place to show possession.*

   This week, we celebrated my friends birthday with a party.

   The childrens toys were scattered across the floor.

   Our speeches about the environment focused a lot on animals habitats.

   We stayed at my parents' house for the weekend.

   The dog's tail wagged happily when we walked through the door.

2. *Circle the words that can be shortened to a contraction, and write the contraction above.*

   We could not remember what day it was and had to double check.

   Thinking ahead, we were not sure what to pack for our next holiday.

   My brother has not finished tidying his room but it is almost time for dinner.

   With a sigh, we noticed we had not closed the window before it started raining.

   It is not a good sign for the planet that the temperature is increasing.

3. *Circle the contraction, and rewrite it in its expanded form above.*

   We weren't ready for the quiz but we gave it a good go.

   Even though he was invited, he isn't coming to the football match.

   Despite the cold weather, the dogs wouldn't stop playing in the mud.

   On the way to the supermarket, we realised we didn't remember to bring the list.

   Don't forget to practice your spellings for Friday's test!

Year 6 Mathematics Homework

To revise column addition and subtraction, complete the questions below on squared paper. Remember to line the digits up carefully. If there is a decimal, you need to line the decimal points up and add placeholders where required.

	Th	H	T	O
	2	4	5	7
+	3	9	1	6

	Th	H	T	O
	8	9	3	2
−	4	1	5	7

	Ones	Tths	Hths
	6	5	8
+	7	2	9
		8	7

1) 5296 + 3597 =

2) 3249 + 9845 =

3) 6485 + 1236 =

4) 5209 + 7853 =

5) 3496 + 7206 =

6) 4390 + 7539 =

7) 2583 + 4139 =

8) 9317 + 7135 =

9) 2376 + 8513 =

10) 65814 + 52896 =

11) 42359 + 12485 =

12) 71596 + 42593 =

13) 18654 + 23746 =

14) 32597 + 65812 =

15) 32486 + 27510 =

16) 10269 + 45038 =

17) 55421 + 81329 =

18) 69842 + 42659 =