



Welcome back to the Summer Term

English: This term we will be reading the book Beowulf by Micheal Morpurgo the text will help children to explore different writing styles as well as writing their own letter of advice, dialogue, recount, character and setting description and summarizing captions. Throughout the term, the children will continue to study grammar and punctuation with a focus on the use of modal verbs, prepositions, relative clauses, the apostrophe, parenthesis and the use of bullet points.

Maths: This term we will continue working on our multiplication, division and percentages. We will be learning about volume and capacity and 2-D shapes. We will extend our knowledge of fractions by practicing the multiplication of fractions and whole numbers. In geometry, we will be looking at the rotation of shapes and in statistics the focus will be line graphs. We will revisit place value and the written methods of the four operations regularly.

To support your child in maths, please ensure that he/she can tell the time and please continue to practice times tables and number bonds as the fast recall of these facts helps the children in all areas of maths.

History: We will be studying The Industrial Revolution and The Victorian Age.

Geography: We be studying New Zealand and the South Pacific and doing a local study.

Art: We will be exploring photography.

DT: We will be making stuffed toys.

Science: We will be looking at plant lifecycles and we will be exploring how environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers and have an impact on living things. We will also be looking at how living things can be classified into broad groups.

Religion and Worldviews: We will be discussing Christian's view of salvation by studying the question: What did Jesus do to save human beings. We will be looking at the question What happens when you die if you don't believe in God.

PSHE: We will be looking at relationships and changing me.

Computing: We will be studying flat-file databases and learning about some more programming.

French: We will be studying family and friends and school life.

PE: We will be doing hockey, swimming, and athletics.

Music: We will be looping and mixing and looking at musical theatre.

Upcoming Events

PE Summer Term in on a Monday and Swimming on a Thursday.

14th June Shared learning morning

28th June PTA summer fair

3rd July Sports Day

15th July INSET

19th July Reports

25th July End of term 1:40pm

Homework:

Spellings are set on Friday and are tested on the following Friday. Spelling frame is updated every Friday and the children can access it throughout the week to practice.

Daily reading - please read with your child and encourage them to look up any unfamiliar words as well as recording these words. In school we call it Magpieing.

English and maths homework is set on Friday and due in on Wednesday. (The children will self-mark their homework on a Wednesday.)

If there is a problem with completing homework, the children will have an opportunity to discuss with their class teacher on a Monday morning.

Please go on Doodle Maths daily and Doodle timetables