

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome back to term 3! Below are a few messages and reminders:

PE

PE is on Tuesdays and Wednesday. Please ensure children wear PE kit on these days including **navy blue** shorts/joggers and team coloured top. Tops with logos including football shirts are not permitted. Many thanks for your support with this. Swimming is on Wednesdays so please ensure children bring their kit into school.

Homework

Please ensure your children reads every day at home and practise their spellings ready for a test on Fridays. Children should also access Times Table Rockstars and Ed Shed to practice their times tables and spellings.

Best wishes,

Mrs. Hockley, Miss Burnley and Miss Valentine

English

This term we will be working from the text *Leon and the Place Between* by Angela McAllister. The children will be learning to write a narrative. They will be using expanded noun phrases, varied sentence openers and speech. The children will work towards creating their own book.

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Maths

The children will be learning multiplication and division. They be exchanging, reasoning and scaling. We will then move on to length and perimeter. They will use mm, cm and m and learn to calculate perimeter. The children will also be adding and subtracting lengths. We will also be starting our number fluency programme.

Science

This term the children will be learning about forces and magnets. They will learn about types of forces, friction and magnet strength. They will carry out investigations.

History

Our question to investigate this term is 'Why did the Romans invade and settle in Britain?' They will study ancient Roman life, invasion and artefacts.

RE

The children will be focusing on the question 'is scripture central to religion'. They will look deeper into Jewish, Muslim and Christian faiths.

ART

The children will be learning about Henri Rousseau and post-impressionist art. They will look at shading, the colour wheel and experiment with different mediums.

Computing

The children will be learning about networks. They will learn what a network is, how information moves around a network and how a website works.

PE

This term the children will be taught football and swimming. The children will learn dribbling, shooting, passing and game play. They will also learn basic swimming strokes.

PSHE

This term we will be looking at dreams and goals. They will learn about challenges, how to face them and how to be successful.

Music

This term the children will be learning about pentatonic melodies and composition. They will write and perform a pentatonic melody and compose as a group.