



Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome back! I hope you all had a lovely Easter break and that your child is looking forward to the term ahead. I thought I would inform you of a few things that you will need to know about.

## Topic

Our topic this term is called 'Hunter Gatherers', focusing on the Stone Age to the Iron Age and our Science focuses will be evolution and earth and space. Attached to this letter is a curriculum overview for the summer term.

## Homework

Thank you for encouraging your child to read at home and helping with spellings and homework. Homework will continue to be set on a Thursday for it to be completed and handed in by Tuesday of the following week.

Weekly spellings and its rule will continue to be sent home on a Monday, ready for a spelling test on Friday of the same week. Please continue to support your child with their spellings and remind your child to bring their Spelling Home Log Book into school on Fridays to highlight any words they didn't get right in their test.

Please continue to encourage your child to read at home (independently and to an adult) on a regular basis (daily if possible but at least 3 times a week). These should be recorded in your child's reading record book. Their reading record book and reading book need to be in school everyday so that adults in school can hear your child and record their comments. It is also important to discuss what your child has read to help develop their reading comprehension skills.

## Forest School, Daily Mile and P.E.

A P.E. kit will be required for P.E. on a Wednesday and Thursday (unless the class is doing Forest School) afternoon, however their full P.E. kit should be in school at all times as we sometimes have these lessons on different days. Please ensure your child has the correct kit for lessons and all items, including their school uniform are clearly labelled. No jewellery is to be worn and earrings must be removed.

Classes will continue participating in the 'Daily Mile' at least three times a week and trainers or daps will be needed in school at all times to change into after lunch.

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On a Thursday afternoon, the children will have a Forest School. Please refer to the bottom of the newsletter or the school app to find out which dates your child will be involved in forest school and the clothing they need to wear.

Should you have any concerns or queries, please do not hesitate to see me at the end of the school day or make an appointment at the office.

Thank you and kind regards

Miss Williams

