

Autumn 1  
Welcome Back!



## Galapagos Penguins

Welcome back everyone, the books (and Mrs Burridge) have missed you! I hope you had a lovely summer break and were able to spend lots of time relaxing with your loved ones.

I am delighted to be teaching you, some of you for the second time - what an absolute privilege. We have so much fun planned for this term and I can't wait to get started.

We begin our term with a couple of hook days focused on our big question 'Where will our future take us?' and will then begin our exciting topic: Ancient Egypt.

In art we will learn about the line drawings and painting by a modern artist named David Hockney.

Together we will continue to learn our core skills in reading, writing and maths. I know you

will all amaze me with how brilliant you are and I can't wait.

A few notices:  
PE will be on Tuesdays and Fridays. Please attend school in P.E kit. (see school policy)

Each day you should bring with you:

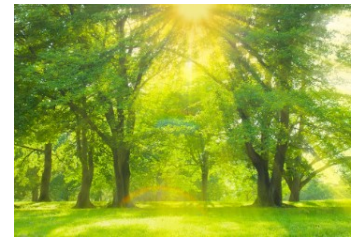
- suitable outdoor clothing
- A water bottle
- Your reading diary and books

Homework is set weekly.

### What about outdoor learning?

We will be taking our learning outdoors as often as we can, but as a minimum we will have outdoor learning fortnightly.

Please make sure that you can access purple mash for updates on dates and home learning.



#### Key dates for the diary:

8th September - Career Dress Up Day

11th September - Meet the teacher 3.30-4pm

13th September - PSHE Curriculum meeting 2.45pm

24th September - School Fayre

29th September - MacMillan Bake Sale

3rd October - Reading Workshop (Details TBC)

16th, 18th October - Parents Evening

17th October - Learning Showcase

20th October - End of term

#### Reading in Key Stage Two

We ask the children to read daily and we read with each child individually each week.

Keep reading and sharing your favourite stories with one another. Mrs Burridge is always looking for recommendations!

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