

Welcome back to school, we hope you had a wonderful break!

Our topic for this term is 'The Living World'. Please look at the attached Topic Web to find out what we're doing for each subject.

Children are expected to read every night and can change their reading books as and when they need to. They will be sent home a banded reading book which they can read but they can also read books from home. We will be sending home a homework web for the children to choose some homework activities linked to our topic to complete. This homework needs to be completed by the end of the term and can be sent in on some paper or via Class Dojo. Children will also be expected to complete their times table booklet homework weekly.

Please continue to practise times tables at home in preparation for the Multiplication Tables Check this term. Being able to recall all of the times tables and division facts quickly will also help with the more complex calculations involved in Year 5 and 6. There is an excellent practice test on www.timestables.co.uk and MTC - Multiplication Tables Check - URBrainy.com

Please also make sure that toys remain at home as children do not need to bring these into school. However, children can bring in their own pencil cases with school equipment.

If you would like your child to have a snack at break time, please provide a healthy snack such as fruit or vegetables e.g carrot sticks, apple, banana.

PE this term is still on a Wednesday and Thursday. This term we will be outside learning how to play handball and rounders. PE kits must have a white t-shirt, black jogging bottoms/shorts and a black jumper. Trainers will also be needed. Long hair must be tied back and jewellery removed or covered where possible. As the weather continues to improve, could we please ask that hats are brought in. It's also recommended that children bring in sun cream to apply as and when needed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to speak to us or send us a message on Class Dojo.

Thank you so much for your continued support,

Mr McGann