



Moredon Primary & Nursery School

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Welcome to back for Term 3. We hope you had a wonderful Christmas break and are ready for the start of a brand-new year.

A reminder that doors will be open from 8.30am, with the register being taken promptly at 8:35am. After 8:45am, your child is marked as late. We seem to be continuously having children come into school late and would like to again stress the importance of children's punctuality and attendance in Year 5. Pick up time is at 3.30pm and 1.30pm on Fridays.

Our topic for this term is 'Romans and Celts'. For English, we will be using the text 'Coraline' and animation 'Francis' to inspire our narrative and non-fiction writing. These are slightly spookier texts and animations which really hook the children into their learning and we hope the children will really enjoy them. We have lots of exciting things planned for this term.

As before, children are expected to read their banded books every night to ensure they keep up their fluency and understanding. We will give pupils a new book to read once they have finished the one they are currently reading. They should also practise their spellings which are posted weekly on Class Dojo and practise their times tables daily. We will be continuing to send home weekly homework for Reading, Grammar and Maths which is due in every Tuesday.

Unlike Terms 1 and 2, both classes now have PE on a Monday and Tuesday. Please make sure that children have a full PE kit in school in line with our PE kit policy (white top, black short/joggers, and a black jumper). Monday's PE lesson will be outside so a jumper may be necessary as the temperature continues to be chilly. A reminder that jewellery must be removed for PE and long hair must be tied back.

Please make sure that your children come to school with a healthy snack and water bottle every day.

If you do have any questions or concerns, please use Class Dojo to contact us.

Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Brasier-Ayres and Miss Rumble