

## Seven Stars Primary School Pegasus Curriculum News Letter

Yay for summer! Welcome back Pegasus I hope you all enjoyed the Easter holidays. We have plenty of learning opportunities to go as we reach Summer term. We are hoping to make the most of some good weather and get out and about exploring animals in their habitats. We are even hoping to visit our local River: the river Lostock to carry out some fieldwork for both Science and Geography. The fun doesn't end there! Year Four will be taking part in our end of year KS2 production, which means lots of acting and singing practise. Finally we will be completing our times table test to show off all the times tables we have learnt this year. We can't wait to get started! Mrs Wheatland

P.E - Our P.E is on Friday. Please could you ensure that your child is wearing full PE kit on this day. This includes a white tshirt, black shorts/leggings or trackies and plain trainers Swimming- The children have been working hard on their survival skills, which are incredibly important. Swimming is still on Thursdays. Please make sure your child comes into school wearing a costume/ swim shorts, a towel, spare underwear and a swim hat. Earrings need to be taken out for swimming.

## School Values

Our current whole school Value is Responsibility. The children will be trying hard to take responsibility for their learning and how much effort they put in. We will also be helping the children to take responsibility for their actions knowing that its ok to make a mistake and think about what they can do to put it right.

AT HOME - READ, READ, READ as much as possible. This can be done independently (for confident readers), with a grown up or a sibling. Develop comprehension by questioning your child about the text. Spellings are practiced every day in school but if you want to practice at home also, they are put up on Dojo weekly. Finally please find as much time as you can to practice your times tables. We will be revising all times table in a mixed format so the children are prepared for their times table test. Please do practice any you are not confident with.

English - Now we have finished our latest novel, The Firework Maker's Daughter, we are moving onto none-fiction work. The children will be reading many types of information texts. They will be able to identify the different formats and features of information texts and making their own fact page based on Japan. We will also be having a go at studying and creating our own kenning poems.

Maths We will be completing our final place value unit first which will tie up our understanding of decimal numbers. We will be ordering and comparing, rounding and placing decimal numbers on number lines. We will also be making sure we are confident with all our written and mental methods for addition and subtraction. The children need to be able to choose the best method for working out a calculation. We will be finishing the year completing some fractions work making sure the children are confident finding fractions of amounts and equivalent fractions.

## Other Subjects:

Science - Sound and Digestive System

ICT - Micro bits, Coding

DT: - Pavilions

Music - Singing in Spanish

RE - Christianity and the church / Islam

PSHE- Digital footprint, budgeting, our community

Art- Printing- Power Prints

Spanish-Weather and Families

History- Crime and Punishment Geography-Rivers