

## St Ignatius RC Primary School Reception Spring Term 2



Dear Parents/Carers,

It is difficult to believe we are now half way through the year! We hope you had a restful holiday. Please see below for a summary of the work we will be covering before Easter.

## Our Connected Curriculum Topic is "Ground Air and Water"

We will be learning about:

- Stories relating to the topic such as Jack and the Beanstalk, Jim and the Beanstalk, A Seed in Need
- Planting beans and learning about how plants grow
- Mini beasts and their habitats
- The elements needed to tell/write our own stories
- The changes that we observe as Spring approaches
- Subtracting small numbers of objects
- Simple subtraction number sentences
- Pictograms and pattern.

RE: Our Topic this Term is "Sorrow and Joy"

## General Reminders:

- The children do **PE** on **Thursdays**. Please ensure your child has their full PE kit in school and that **all** items are clearly labelled and in their **green PE bag**.
- Book Bags Please ensure your child brings their book bag every day. Book bags should contain your child's reading record, word folder and reading book.
- Junk Modelling Please continue to send in any clean, cartons, boxes, cardboard tubes etc for the making area.
- Piggy Money is £5 per term or £15 a year. This contribution enables us to fund any cooking or tasting activities, as well as any additional resources we buy to make your child's learning experience more interesting and varied. Please give your contribution to the class teacher in an envelope with your child's name on it.
- Volunteers to help us improve our outdoor area (painting, building, gardening, tidying) would be most welcome. Please see your child's class teacher for further information.

Thank you for your support

Ms Haddon Ms Foster Ms Vivien Ms Maria