



Summer 2 Newsletter

Reception

Dear Parents,

Our topic for Summer 1 will be **Let's go on Safari!**

The books we will be using are:

- Handa's Surprise
- Handa's Hen
- The leopards drum
- Anna Hibiscus Song

Areas we will be covering throughout the half term:

- What animals live in Africa
- Similarities and differences between England and Africa
- African Jewellery
- Writing sentences
- Doubles & Halves
- Reading and writing tricky words

Things you can be doing at home:

- Read everyday
- Practice reading and writing numbers up to 20 and beyond 20 if they are confident
- Visit a zoo and look for animals they might see in Africa
- Find some non-fiction books about Africa and read them together.
- Practice writing your first name and surname

RE: Our next theme for RE is **Our World:**

For many people, some places in the world are special. For others the whole world is special. We all feel a need to look after what is special to us. Sometimes it is easy to explain why things are special. At other times it might be difficult to put into words why something is special.

Discuss with your child - What are your special places and why?

Maybe draw or write about a special place explaining why it is special to them.

Family Learning Project – Due in on Friday 2nd July 2021

As we are learning all about Africa – how about you find out some information about a famous person from there. You could find out about Mo Farah, Nelsen Mandela or find out about someone different! You can draw a picture and write some facts about them.

Please can you send your poster to: EYFS@st-peter.bardaglea.org.uk or upload it on your child's Google Classroom.

Stay safe and take care,
Mrs Jensen & Miss Jenkins
Reception Teachers