

# Sapphire Class Newsletter Summer 2

Welcome back to the start of our last half term of the year.  
We are looking forward to working hard and have an exciting half term in store!

*Miss Towers*

**Our Gospel Value theme is Courage.**



## English



Poetry: Narrative Poems

Myths and Legends

Daily guided reading, spelling, grammar and punctuation

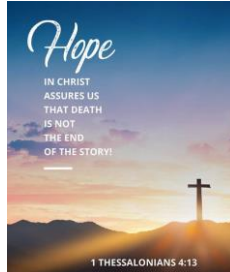
## Maths



Fractions, decimals and percentages  
Measurement  
Problem solving

Daily arithmetic

## RE



### **Loss, Death and Christian Hope**

#### Key Questions

What is death?

What does it mean when something or someone dies?

Is death an ending or a beginning?

What happens when we die?

Where do we go?

Where is heaven?

What is heaven like?

## History



### **Ancient Greece**

A study of Ancient Greeks' life, culture and achievements and their influence on the Western World.

## Music



### **Lark Ascending**

Listen and reflect on a piece of orchestral music

Invent their own musical motifs and structure them into a piece

Perform as an ensemble

Learn musical language appropriate to the task

## Computing



### **Modelling**

## Science



### **Properties and Changes of Materials**

(All Summer Term)

Compare and group together everyday materials on the basis of their properties, including their hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity (electrical and thermal), and response to magnets.

Know that some materials will dissolve in liquid to form a solution, and describe how to recover a substance from a solution.

Use knowledge of solids, liquids and gases to decide how mixtures might be separated, including through filtering, sieving and evaporating.

Give reasons, based on evidence from comparative and fair tests, for the particular uses of everyday materials, including metals, wood and plastic.

Demonstrate that dissolving, mixing and changes of state are reversible changes.

Explain that some changes result in the formation of new materials, and that this kind of change is not usually reversible, including changes associated with burning and the action of acid on bicarbonate of soda.

## PE



Mondays: Swimming  
Thursdays: Invasion Games - Hockey

## Homework



### **Daily**

- ~ Reading to an adult at home every day
- ~ Learning spellings

### **Topic Homework**

To be handed in by **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July**

## DT



### **Food**

Understand seasonality, and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed.

## PSHE



### **Growing and changing**

Managing difficult feelings  
Managing change

How my feelings help keeping safe  
Getting help

## French



Sharing opinions



**Please remember to bring these items to school every day:**

- ~ Reading book and reading record
- ~ Water bottle