

Dear Children, parents and carers,

We hope that you have all had a lovely Easter holiday. This term our topic is 'Globe Trotters' which will be linked to journeys and travel. At the end of this term we will all take part in World Awareness Week, where we will be travelling the world as we visit each classroom.

Our specialist French lessons will continue this term, from 9th May.

Home Learning

Your child has received a new Home Learning brochure with tasks linked to our topic for the next 4 weeks and after half term we will provide the final Home Learning brochure.

Children will continue to be tested on their spellings every Friday and the words they are expected to learn for their year group. Spellings will be given out every week for your children to practise at home.

In addition to weekly home learning, we expect all children to:

- Read daily (with an adult or independently)
 - Practise times tables, with division facts in a mixed order, up to 12 x 12 (www.multiplication.com and 'hit the button' are great websites for this)
- Request: Please can Maths homework be completed in pencil and not pen. It looks so much neater!

Mathletics

We will be unlocking more topic areas over the next few weeks, including shape and measure.

We often set tasks to recap the learning in school and expect children to complete these tasks. There is a question mark icon within each task to help children if they need support.

We hope to see more children receiving Mathletics merits in our Time to Shine assemblies.

General Reminders...

For the Summer term PE will be on the following days:

Year 3: Tuesday and Friday

Year 4: Tuesday and Friday

It is essential that children have a full, labelled PE kit in school, including a water bottle. If they don't have their kit, they won't be able to take an active part in the lesson.

Forest School sessions:

Year 3 on Tuesday 16th May

Year 4 on Wednesday 3rd May

Please send your child to school with appropriate waterproof outdoor clothing and footwear for these lessons as we don't have spare kit in school. Children **must not** wear shorts or short-sleeved tops, as their arms and legs need to be protected.

Water & Sun Cream

As the weather (hopefully!) gets warmer, please make sure your child has applied sun cream at home and has a refillable water bottle at school and a sun hat.

Miss Redman

Mrs Voss

Class 3 and 4 Topic Overview Term 5

Subject	Year 3	Year 4
Themes	Globe Trotters	Globe Trotters
Christian Value	Service	Service
English	Short stories Setting descriptions	Story writing GPS - paragraphs
Maths	Angles Measurement	Measurement: perimeter Angles Shape & symmetry
Science	Sound	Sound
ICT	Computer Networks	Coding
History		
Geography	Map skills	Map skills
R.E.	Hinduism	Judaism
Art & Design	Observational drawing	Observational drawing
Design Technology	Musical instruments	Musical instruments
P.E.	Mr Tanner	Mr Tanner
Music	Handel – class composer	Tallis – class composer
P.H.S.C.E.	Healthy bodies, healthy minds	Healthy bodies, healthy minds
French	Specialist tuition	Specialist tuition
Wow Events	World Awareness Week	World Awareness Week Malvern Show
Assembly for Parents		
Community Links		
SMSC Social Moral Spiritual and Cultural	Forest School Mindfulness with Ms Tromans	Forest School Mindfulness with Ms Tromans