

Class 2/1 Information for Summer Term 2014

Here are some snippets of information to inform you of the kinds of things we will be doing this term in our classes.

In maths this term we shall be focussing on: Counting, understanding tens and units, securing number facts including pairs to =10, doubles and halves, counting in 2's, 5's and 10's, understanding addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, mental calculation strategies, 2D and 3D shape, problem solving, halves and quarters, money and handling data. Basic mental skills are embedded so they can be used in other more challenging mathematical problems.

In English this term we shall be focussing on: Writing accurate sentences with correct punctuation. Riddles. Poetry. Story writing. Information writing. Comprehension. Character descriptions. Fact sheets.

The topics this term are:

- Global Garden and Roydon
- Under sea Life

<i>Geography</i>	Maps & plans of school grounds Coral reef Contrasting location oversea
<i>Science</i>	Living things Plants and their environment Variation and classification
<i>ICT</i>	Finding information (using internet)
<i>DT</i>	Garden design Sewing
<i>Art</i>	Plant based artwork Clay printing
<i>RE</i>	Christianity prayers How do Christians speak to God The importance of worship to Christians
<i>PE</i>	Games, Dance , Gymnastics and Athletics
<i>PSHE</i>	Caring for our environment

Reminders and Requests

Please make sure that your child has PE Kit on Tuesdays and Fridays and that it is clearly labelled with their name. Please make sure your child returns their library book every Friday.

Homework Timetable

Spellings: We will not be formally testing the children's spellings on a weekly basis but they will be issued with some words to learn using the 'Look, Say, Cover, Write and Check' method. Evidence of knowing spellings will be found within the children's work.

Maths: Occasionally the children will be asked to learn times tables and number facts at home.

<i>Reading should be practised daily and recorded in the Reading Record book. Spellings should be in by Thursday.</i>	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Reading, spelling and number facts	Reading, spelling and number facts	Reading, spelling and number facts	Reading and number facts Spelling books in for marking	Reading, spelling and number facts New spellings given out every Friday

