# Term 5 Newsletter



## Welcome Hello! back!

Welcome back to school! We hope that you all had a nice Easter break and spent lots of time having fun with friends and family. Hopefully you were lucky enough to have a little chocolate at Easter too!

Last term, you all impressed us with your hard work and efforts, so well done and keep up the good work!

This year seems to be flying by, as we are now in the first of our two Summer terms, so let's make it a brilliant one!



## Class Targets and Carrots

We will continue to earn our carrots for our class chart by displaying key BUB behaviours. These include not speaking over others, sitting nicely and quickly when asked and doing the very best work that we can.

#### Homework

Reading books shall continue to be changed as and when needed. You read lots at home last term, which is fabulous! Keep up the good work! Spellings, as before, shall be given out each Thursday and tested each Wednesday.

Please could you also try to complete your online Maths Shed tasks each week, if possible. These are repetitive by nature to help build our fluency.

#### Key Dates

23<sup>rd</sup> May – British Values Day 29<sup>th</sup> April – Class Photographs 24<sup>th</sup> May – Last day of term 5

### Term 5 Curriculum Overview

Maths – In our sessions we shall be exploring volume and capacity, before exploring multiplication and division and revising our fraction work on halves and quarters.

English – We shall be using key texts such as 'Tortuga' by Paul Geraghty, to focus on our book talk, inference and deduction skills, descriptive writing, punctuation, sentence structure and vocabulary choices.

Science – This term we shall be discussing habitats and matching these with both animals and plants suited to each. We will consider how these different habitats provide for the basic needs of the animals and plants living within them.

Art/DT - In Art and DT, the rabbits will be focussing on 'printing'. We shall look at the work of William Morris, the textile designer and artist, recreating printed designs and creating our own printed artwork in a variety of ways.

Music – In Music we will be listening to, discussing and appraising music from different countries within the UK and will be performing together.

RE - In their RE sessions, the rabbits will be exploring what makes a place sacred or special. These sessions will be led by Mrs Berry each Friday.

PSHCE – In these sessions we shall be exploring who helps to keep us safe and what to do should we ever feel worried or afraid.

Computing - During our computing sessions, we shall be exploring how to group data. We will be describing images and objects by adding labels and grouping them to answer questions posed.

Geography – We will be looking into the characteristics of the four countries within the UK and learn about the country in which live. During these sessions we will be looking at the flags, national symbols, capital cities and learning similarities and differences.

PE – I shall be taking one of our PE sessions this term, focussing on yoga and dance and Mrs Berry shall be leading the other session of the week, focussing upon building cricket skills. PE this term is held on Tuesdays and Fridays.