



11th January 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back, and Happy New Year! I hope you've had a restful Christmas. Here are the topics for the coming term:

	Spring 1	Spring 2
Maths	Decimals, Percentages, Algebra, Converting units, Perimeter. area and volume, Ratio.	
English	Argument and Debate, Short Stories, Reports, Narrative Poetry.	
Science	Electricity	Animals including Humans
Humanities	How has life in Britain changed since 1948?	
Computing	Communicating and Collaborating Online, and E-Safety	
Art/DT	Artwork linked with Topics	
RE	Symbols and symbolism	Sacred writings
PE	Dance	Golf
PSHCE	Going For Goals	Good To Be Me

Homework will be given on a Friday and needs to be completed and handed in by the following Tuesday. This will involve activities based on English, Maths, or Topic and may include spellings/times tables to learn.

P.E will be on Wednesdays and the children are invited to wear their PE kits into schools on this day. It is vital that all children have the correct P.E kit to enable them to take part in these lessons. This includes suitable footwear such as pumps or trainers, as when possible, P.E will take place outside.

As we already know, for our residential, we are going to an activity centre called Bushcraft on **Thursday 7th and Friday 8th July 2022**. There will be further information later in the year to discuss in more detail.

The National SAT tests usually take place in the second full week of May. However, due to current circumstances, this could change. It is vital that all children are present in school during this important week, but also in general so as to not miss any further learning.

All children have logins for 'iamlearning', 'Spelling Shed', and 'Timestable Rockstars', which, along with the resources given out to the children during the Autumn term, will help consolidate and further their knowledge. I also encourage the children to read regularly.

I continue to have extremely high expectations regarding the effort the children put into their work and their behaviour around school and in class. Every child is aware of our class rules, which they decided and agreed upon, and the rewards and consequences which follow their behaviour choices.

If you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to come and see me and I will help in any way I can.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr. Dawson

Deputy Headteacher