





# SCHOOL NOTICE BOARD







Spring 1 2025 Newsletter

Welcome back after the holidays and a Happy New Year to you all. We hope that you have had a good start to the New Year and that the children are ready to start another term of learning. I am really looking forward to teaching the class again. (9)

What are we learning this half term?

## English

This half term the children will be looking at a story called Operation Gadactman by Malorie Blookman. It is a fast-poose adventure story featuring a schoolgirl detective, which I think the children will thoroughly enjoy. We will write a suspense story of our own, focusing on how to engage the reader effectively.

The children will read 'Charlotte's Web' during Shared Reading sessions and work in small groups for Guided Reading. Please do continue to support your child's reading at home as much as you can and encourage them to fill in their reading records. New books have already been set on Bug Club.

#### Maths

This term, the children will continue learning about multiplication and division. We will focus on the 4 and 8 times-tables, learning how to divide and multiply and how they link. To follow, we will learn how to measure in mms, oms and metres. Children will compare lengths and how to calculate the perimeter.

We will also revisit other areas of learning from both YI and YZ in each session to make sure that the children are revising their maths as much as possible.

Thank you

Miss Robin and Mrs Banks.

## Science 5

This half term the children will begin their learning by looking at Forces and Magnets. We will investigate different forces and the difference between a contact and a non-contact force. We will investigate what materials are magnetic and why some objects repel against each other.

### R.E.

We will be looking and learning about Christianity this term. Our learning in RE will look at the question, 'Can Jesus perform Miraeles?' Children will netell some of the stories from the bible and understand that people have different viewpoints. They will answer questions based on the miraeles of Jesus and give their own opinions.

## History

During History, we will be learning about The Romans and what life was like to live in Rome. We will focus on the Roman invasion and how Britain changed under Roman Rule.

# Geography

In our Geography lessons, we will be learning about the cities and countries of The UK and their physical and human features. To finish our topic, we will look at the topological patterns of the UK.

Homework will be sent out on Thursdays and can now be accessed online. We will be using Century AI this term to support home learning, so please do not hositate to ask if you have any questions. This term, homework will focus on learning times-tables and practicing weekly spellings.