

# FALCONS SUMMER NEWSLETTER



Dear parents/carers, thank you very much for your support during the spring term. We are looking forward to our summer term's learning very much. Please read the following information that will support you to talk about your child's learning throughout the term.

## Maths

In our Maths lessons, we will be covering the following areas: decimals, time, money, statistics and shapes. We will also be working on our times tables.

Please encourage your child to practise their timestable by logging in to their 'TTrockstar' account through 'Wonde'.

## English

This term in English, we will be reading 'The Child's Garden' and 'The Twit'. Our writing pieces will be based around these texts.

Alongside our work on our class novels, we will continue to practise our comprehension skills. Our text this term is 'Stig of The Dump'. We will also practise our handwriting skills and improve our grammar.

## Topic

This term our topic will be The Romans. Our learning will focus on The Romans invasion of Britain. We will study how they affected our language, our culture, our architecture and even the way we think.

## Spelling

Please encourage your child to practise their spellings by logging in to their 'EdShed' account through 'Wonde' to access their area of Spelling Shed.

## P.E

On Tuesday's and Wednesday's, the children will have P.E. Please ensure your child has the correct P.E kit on these days: shorts/tracksuit bottoms and white T-shirts. Please make sure all items of your child's P.E kit are named.

## Science

Our Topic in science this term is States of Matter. The children will compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases. They will observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled. In addition, they will measure the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), building on their teaching in mathematics. The children will also identify the part played by evaporation and condensation in the water cycle.

## Reading

Just a few minutes reading with your child each day makes a huge difference. Please ensure your child has their reading book in school every day. We appreciate your help to look after your child's reading book and record. Please ensure the reading record is signed regularly and is kept in your child's book bag.

## Important dates

On the 15<sup>th</sup> of April is our INSIPRE session.

Multiplication Table Check begins wk commencing 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

There are many whole school events going on this term, so please refer back to the Burnt Tree Newsletter for these dates.

If you have any quick questions or concerns, please feel free to catch us in the morning before school or at the end of the day. Mrs Wright and I are very happy to answer your queries and it is always good to see you! If you would like to speak with us more privately, please contact the school office to arrange an appointment. We look forward to a successful year of learning and love!