



CHERRY CLASS MRS BOSWELL TERM 5 2020-2021

Can we all be friends?

Welcome back to Term 5. We hope you had an enjoyable Easter break and were able to see loved ones.

This term we are asking the big question 'Can we all be friends?' Our main texts will be 'The Selfish Crocodile' - by Faustin Charles & Michael Terry and 'Hug Me' by Simona Ciraolo. We will be sharing and finding out facts about crocodiles. We will also be learning some more traditional tales and looking at the relationships within them. This links well with our PSHE topic where we will be looking at 'relationships' between our family members and friends and what roles and responsibilities we have within these relationships.

We will also have more of a focus on handwriting as we slowly start to build the children's stamina and resilience ready for Year One.

As always, if you have any worries or just want to ask us a question please send us a message via Tapestry or the office.

Mrs Boswell and Mrs Bell 🙂



Term dates Monday 3rd May – Spring Bank Holiday

Friday 28th May – End of Term 5

Tapestry

Please take the time to have a look at Tapestry regularly throughout the term. We regularly add observations for your child and it is a really good way for you to see what we have been doing at school. This will then spark discussion at home about the children's learning. We love to read your comments on the observations and to see that you have 'liked' them! Also, please add to your child's learning journal regularly, posting videos and photos of things they do at home!

Routines

<u>Physical Development</u> Focused teaching of PE will be on <u>Thursday</u> mornings. Please make sure ALL PE kit is named and kept in school.

Read Write Inc Phonics

The children will be reassessed in phonics this term to ensure they are continuing to progress relevant to their next steps.

Please remember to send your child in with a water bottle **and** his/her book bag every day.

Welly Walks will continue this term for Cherry pupils on Friday afternoons.

Reading books should be in school daily and will be changed once a week. Please make sure you record in the yellow reading record & hear your child read at home at least 3 times a week.