



JUNIPER CLASS

MR BROWN,
MRS SMITH,
MRS CLAPHAM

The World In Our Hands

WELCOME BACK

Welcome back, we hope that you have had a restful Easter holiday. This term, our focus will be on 'The world in our hands', we will be diving into this topic to look at the question: *'What is it like to live by the coast?'*

In Maths, we will be looking at recognising and writing fractions of both whole numbers and shape. We will dive into finding halves, quarters, thirds, 3-quarters and building up to a whole. We will be making use of drawings and physical objects to aid us in recognising these different fraction types.

Reading remains important and we aim for children to be heard by an adult as often as we can. All children are heard reading three times a week in their phonics groups and when we do guided reading. You may see a comment or a stamp in their reading records to show this.

In terms of homework, we will be continuing to set the maths work booklets on a weekly basis (to complete a double page spread per week). You will also have a weekly spellings set. Both of these activities will be reviewed on the Friday morning of each week as a whole class.

If you have any worries or just want to ask us a question either pass on a verbal message at drop off or email the school office who will pass the messages on to us and we will contact you as soon as we can.

Mr Brown, Mrs Smith & Mrs Clapham

This term's
Christian value is:

Courageous

Dates for your diary:

Monday 17th April – START OF TERM

Thursday 27th April – Grab a grown up (then every other Thursday afternoon @ 3pm following).

Monday 1st May – School Closed (BANK HOLIDAY)

Monday 8th May – School Closed (BANK HOLIDAY)

Thursday 25th May – School Disco

Friday 26th May – END OF TERM

Routines

Physical Education

This term we will be having our P.E session on a Wednesday morning. Therefore, can you please ensure children arrive to school wearing PE kit with their uniform brought in their bags.

Reading Records

We will continue to change reading books once a week. Your child's change day will be stuck on a label on their reading record.

Reading at home

Please try and listen to your child AT LEAST 3 times a week. Remember for every two times our child reads with an adult at home they receive a reading star, which is worth 10 house points.

General Reminders

Please ensure your child has the correct school uniform and a NAMED water bottle in school at all times.

Please ensure your child has a pair of wellies and a coat in school EVERY DAY.