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Dear Parent/s and/or Guardian/s

I hope you all had a great half term.

During our last topic the children worked really hard and produced some fantastic work. Please can you continue to listen to your child read as much as possible, and also look at their sound mat (reading and writing), tricky word bookmark and word sheet.

Thank you to those of you who had the opportunity to spend time with your child on a Friday morning to read with them, which gave them the opportunity to share their work with you. Next term, I would like to invite everyone only on Friday 3rd July. There is also a “Mum’s Math’s morning” on Friday 26th June.

Please would you continue to check your child’s book bag regularly- any letters home and also your child’s homework will be placed in there. Do not hesitate to talk to me if you have any questions or comments in the morning or after school or alternatively please record in your child’s Home School Book. Also if your child’s pick up arrangement is different please ensure that a teaching staff member is informed or there is a note in their Home School Book.

Other Information

- PE kit will be required every Tuesday and Friday. Please keep their PE kit in school at all times.
- Library books will be changed every Monday.
- Reading books will be changed every Tuesday and Friday so please ensure your child brings their book on these days.
- Homework books will be collected on Thursdays.

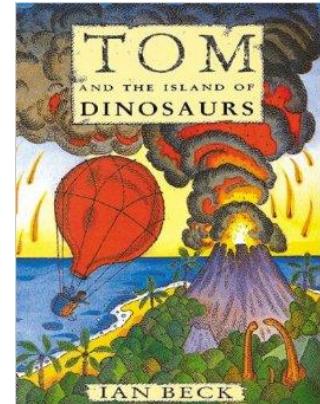
Curriculum information

Class 2 will continue to learn about “Where food comes from”. They will research a chosen food, grow cress and have a school trip to Tesco. They will complete lots of Art work and D.T and find out lots about plants in Science.



Literacy and Numeracy

In Literacy we will be looking at “Tom and the Island of Dinosaurs” and they will be writing their own story. They will be writing a non-fiction sheet about a chosen food and looking at Poems about nature. There will also be the daily teaching of Phonics and we will be revising the letters and sounds already taught. We will also focus on reading and writing “tricky” words.



In Numeracy, the children will be developing their counting, addition and subtraction skills. They will then move onto money, capacity, place value and fractions. They will also look at time, 3D shapes and multiplication and division. We will include Mathematical investigations involving measure and calculation in the topic wherever we can and investigate how much food costs.

Science

In Science they will identify and describe a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees. They will also identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees. The children will gather and record data for their sunflowers and herbs. They will be involved in Science investigations including making paper planes and find out the purposes of different materials.



Foundation subjects

In Art they will be involved in making animal collages, pressed flower cards and pasta collages. In D.T they will use sculpture to make a scarecrow and modelling clay to make farm animals. They will also complete some Art work relating to the seasons.

In R.E they will be looking at Special People in Christianity and in P.E they will be involved in Gymnastics.

In ICT we will be learning about E-safety, understand what algorithms are including how they are implemented as programs on digital devices and create and debug simple programmes.

Yours sincerely, Miss Willson