Spring Term 2 : 2023-2024

Dolphin Class

English-writing

We will be exploring warning tales and working towards writing our own. There will be extra emphasis this term on spelling, punctuation and grammar, giving children the tools they need to become confident writers. Don't forget you can login to The Spelling Shed to play games that support the spellings we are learning.

English—reading

Reading is central to everything we do in Dolphin Class and we will continue

to read and comprehend a range of fiction and non-fiction books in our reading sessions. We have also invested in a range of high quality texts which are recommended reads for each year across the school. This reading spine should be attached to this letter, and the books can be found in our library to borrow and read.

Maths

This term we will be continuing to work with fractions and move onto measurement. Children will have opportunities to apply these skills in other subjects such as science and geography.

History

This half term we will be learning about the Persia and Greece , including the Persian Empire, Greek gods and the Greek—Persian War.

Geography



Our topic this half term is agriculture—very relevant to those living on the moors! Children will learn about different ttypes of farming and the changing landscape.

RE

IN RE we will move on to a new religion—Judaism. Children will learn about Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the Hebrew Bible.

French

Our lovely French teacher, Mrs Ward, will be joining us again for French lessons. The children enjoy learning through games and have a wide range of opportunities to practise their skills.









Science

This half term the children will be learning about electricity. They will learn and investigate circuits in a range of practical experiments. We also have a science area where the children can explore in their own time.



Music

We had a slight delay with our guitar lessons, but they are now due to start this half term.



Wider curriculum

Children will also take part in regular art, PSHE and computing lessons.

Assemblies

There will continue to be a family assembly every Friday (unless you are informed otherwise) at 3pm. All family and friends are invited. The children will use this as an opportunity to share their work with you and celebrate their successes.

Clubs

After school clubs start this week, please return book in as soon as possible. We encourage all children to take part as it is a great way to boost social skills or take up a new hobby! There will also be before and after school provision available which can be booked online.

Lunches

If you would like your child to have a school dinner, please make sure you have booked before 8.30 am as we cannot guarantee a meal after this time. For packed lunch and snacks, we would encourage you to help us promote healthy eating by reducing the sweets, chocolate and other high sugar items.

Thank you for all you do for the school, we wouldn't be here without you and your children! I am available to chat to you before or after school, but if you would like a more formal conversation either email me on

head@st-breward.cornwall.sch.uk or ring the school. No issue is too small and I am happy to help.

Miss Moore and Mr Moseley Dolphin Class

