Class 2 Summer Term.

Dear Class 2 Parents,

Welcome to the summer term, the final one of the school year! The chart below gives a brief overview of the varied and interesting areas of learning we are going to be covering this term.

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| Subject: | Topics to be covered: |
| Maths | * All areas of maths will be covered through this term: number sense, arithmetical reasoning, geometric reasoning and multiplicative reasoning. We will continue to develop written methods for addition, subtraction and multiplication as well as introducing more formal methods for solving division. Times tables will continue to be a focus. |
| English | * Non chronological report - linked to our science topic on habitats. * Poetry – exploring poetic devices using acrostics. * A narrative character description and short story. * Big write. We shall be continuing with our big writes each third Friday this term. We will support the children with planning this in school but please help by listening to their ideas at home. |
| Science | * Habitats and Classification – investigating how we identify animals and their habitats using flow diagrams. * We will also cover our sex education module in the second half of term. |
| PHSE | * We will be covering work for our rights respecting award and completing a joint project with our partner school, Naming’azi School in Malawi. |
| Project work | * Mountains, volcanoes and fossils – how these structures are formed and their effect on our lives. This will include a whole school visit to the Jurassic coast. * D+T unit will include the construction of erupting volcanoes. |
| French | * We will continue to look at everyday vocabulary including days of the week, animals and clothing. * We will watch ad listen to French books and DVDs. * We will explore towns and cities within France. |
| PE | * Athletics. * Striking and fielding based around Dartmoor 3-ball. * Swimming – (four Monday afternoon sessions starting after half term). |

Homework will continue to be set on a Friday and need to be handed in on the following Wednesday. Don’t forget your child should try to read at home, for about 10 minutes, each day.

As always, if you have any questions or problems please do not hesitate to drop into school or contact me.

Kind regards

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