

# Oak class

## Welcome!

Welcome back, I hope that you have all had a really good Easter break.

The children have settled in well after the break and we are well on the way with our learning this term.

This newsletter is intended to give you a guide to what is going on in our classroom.

If you have any questions or queries please come and speak to me.

## What we are learning term:

We have now finished our "Misty Mountain Sierra" topic. We have just begun our new topic called "Road Trip USA". This is a Geography based topic where we going to buckle up, put our sunglasses on and go on a road trip across the good old U,S of A!

After half term our new topic will be called "Blue Abyss" Where we will be learning all about the underwater world of incredible coral, and mysterious sea creatures.

## English this term

We are beginning this term by looking at stories from other cultures. Using a lovely text called Mufaro's beautiful daughters. We are also going to look at and read a range of Nonsense poems, where the children will read a range of humorous poems, ending the unit with them writing their own. The children will then be writing and creating chronological reports.

## Numeracy this term

We are going to be rounding 3 and 4- digit numbers to the nearest 10/100 and 1000.

We are going to be multiplying or dividing by any integer up to 1000 by 10 and 100.

We are going to subtract 3 and 4 digit numbers. Check results with the inverse calculation.

We are going to find differences by counting on.

We are going to use and know x9 multiplication/division facts.

We are going to use 8-point compass, measure clockwise and anti-clockwise turns.

We are going to understand that angles are measured in degrees.

We are going to locate a position on a grid using coordinates.

We are going to understand and use standard units of weight.

We are going to learn about negative numbers in relation to temperature and money.

We are going to be learning and working with Roman Numerals.

We are going to be learning to be able to add and subtract decimals.

## Big Maths, Beat that!

We are going to continue to try and beat our best ever scores!!!!



In RE we are focusing on the appearances of Jesus with an explanation of the road to Emmaus story. Pupils are introduced to and examine the Ascension and what it teaches us.

## PE

Can PE kit please be in school on a Tuesday and a Thursday every week.

Finally we are hoping that the weather warms up! So can the children please have their water bottles in school.

