



OUR TOPIC THIS TERM:

"Edmund Hillary – A Quest For Adventure."

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope you have all had an enjoyable Christmas break and are ready to start the next term. Again, we have a very busy term ahead with lots of exciting learning opportunities planned. Our topic this term is all about Edmund Hillary, the explorer, where we will become nature detectives. We will be continuing with our Commando Joe Missions each week, focussing on our RESPECT curriculum. If you have any questions, then please come and chat to us.

Mrs Tustin and Miss Smith



SUBJECT OVERVIEWS

MATHS: Compare and order numbers from 0 to 100 use < > and = signs; compare and order volume/capacity; identify 2D shapes on the surface of 3D shapes; solve simple problems in a practical context involving addition and subtraction of money of the same unit, including giving change; calculate using multiplication and division.

ENGLISH: Narrative language. Booklets, leaflets, diary and recounts.

SCIENCE: Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees; identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees.

GEOGRAPHY & HISTORY: Hot and cold areas of the World.

D+T: Explore existing food products and investigate how they have been made.

ART + DESIGN: Observational drawings – landscapes.

COMPUTING: Programming and Simulations.

PSHE: Dreams and Goals. Healthy Me.

RE: Key question – How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?

MUSIC: Rhythm and Rhyme.

PE: Dance

BRITISH VALUES: Self-awareness, positivity and excellence.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

TUESDAY: Is our P.E. day. Please leave P.E. kits in school until the half term holiday.

THURSDAY: Is our Commando Joe Mission day and also our library day. Books will need to be returned so that they can be changed.

FRIDAY: Is spelling test day. New spellings will be sent home for children to practice.

READING BOOKS: Please read with your child every day and record comments in their diary. Reading books will be changed at least once a week and two new books will be allocated. Please read both books with your child. Children will read at different times during the week. Please ensure your child brings their reading book and record to school every day.

UNIFORM: Please can you make sure that your child's uniform is **clearly labelled**; we have so many children that items of uniform and P.E. kit are easily lost. Children with long hair must have it tied back in a hair bobble.

WATER BOTTLES: Please make sure that children bring a clearly labelled water bottle into school every day.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Week beginning 5th February– Children's mental health week.

6th February– Safer internet day.

12th February Homework to be handed in.

Wednesday 14th February– Homework to be displayed at 2:30 in the hall.

Friday 16th February – Last day of term.

SCHOOL RULES

Ready – Respectful – Safe