



Frogs Newsletter – Summer Term

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the Summer Term! I hope that you all enjoyed the Easter holidays and had a well-deserved break. This term our topic will be **Incas** in Summer 1 and **Rainforests** in Summer 2. We will also have a visit from Eden Oasis which will fit in with our Science unit '**Animals and Living Things.**' Please use the Knowledge Organisers that will be emailed out to support learning at home in these areas.

PE is on a Tuesday and Friday so please come into school wearing your PE kit on these days.

Please ensure that all uniform is clearly labelled with your child's name. We have lots of jumpers building up and despite me holding them up on a daily basis they are rarely claimed! If you are missing anything please do ask and I will bring out what we have for you to look through. Every Wednesday the class will continue to be taught by Mr Hawley.

The homework grid will continue to be used which includes a variety of tasks based on our current topic (this will be emailed out next week). Children can either choose one task every couple of weeks, or spending longer completing a task over a series of weeks. There is no obligation to complete any at all however, the children do enjoy showing off their work to the rest of the class. We will share, celebrate and give feedback to children on **Thursday 27th May** so please bring in your homework on this date.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the other homework expectations.

1. Children should be reading every evening. I check the children's reading records every Friday for at least 4 parent signatures over the week to confirm the children have read. These children will get an extended break time outside on a Friday.
2. Spellings are brought home on Mondays and will be tested on the Friday. Throughout the week they need to complete the 3 read, cover and write columns.

The government Times Tables check has been cancelled this year along with all other statutory assessments. However, to aid fluency in Maths it is important that children are able to recall their times tables up to 12 x 12 with automatic recall. The websites below will help children with this:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

<https://urbrainy.com/mtc>

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns throughout the year.

Kindest Regards,

Mrs Bailey

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	Summer 2	Summer 2
<i>Topic</i>	<i>Incas</i>	<i>Rainforest</i>
English	Non Chronological Reports Free verse poetry	Persuasive writing Adventure stories
Maths	Decimals Time	Statistics Geometry
Science	Animals and living things	
RE	Islam: Holy Places in Islam -Cities of Makkah and Ka'aba -Features of Mosques -Inside Mosques	
Computing	Creating Media Desktop Publishing Program/s: Microsoft Publisher	
DT	Food and nutrition	
Art		Rainforest Art Exploring Materials, Patterns, Shapes and Textures
PSHE	Being my best	
PE	Cricket	Rounders
French	My Family -Family members, Reading stories, Pets and animals, Appearance & personality.	
Music	Bringing us together Disco music	