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Summer Term 1

Dear Families,

Welcome back to another busy half-term.

In the first half of the Summer Term both classes will be reading 'Apes to Zebras', by Liz Brownlee, Sue Hardy - Dawson & Roger Stevens. Please continue to hear your child read as often as possible (3 - 5 times a week would be ideal). Don't forget to fill in the Reading Record Book. You can also write in when they have read other books from home, magazines or instruction booklets etc!

This half term our main science topic is Animals including Humans. We will be focusing on our diet, types of skeleton and the joints and muscles of the human body. The topic overview is included with this letter - outlining what your child will be learning, to enable you to support them at home. As in other half terms we will also set a family homework task linked to our topic. This half term the homework task is to research and make a poster about an animal of your child's choice. This should include factors such as habitat, diet, predators, prey and any unusual facts that they may uncover about their chosen animal.

Year 3 pupils should be able to recall their 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8 and 10 times tables by the end of Year 3. We focus particularly on 3s, 4s and 8s, please practise these with your child.

Both classes will need to wear their PE kits on Tuesdays & Fridays. We ask that children arrive at school in their PE kit on these days please. PE kit includes: blue round neck T-Shirt, navy shorts or jogging bottoms, trainers for outside PE and a navy jumper (normal school jumper will be fine). Please note that most of our PE will be outside when the weather allows.

Our PPA activities are on Thursday and will be led by Mrs Tilling for Computing, Mrs Bradbury for Cookery, Ms Wheeler for Library Skills & Mrs Kingsbury for Arts and Craft.

In PSHE this term we will be discussing healthy lifestyle and healthy choices as well as keeping safe.

Please contact the office to make an appointment to speak with us if you have any questions or if you need to share any information about your child or home life which may have an impact on their learning.

Yours sincerely,

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