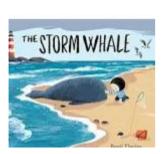


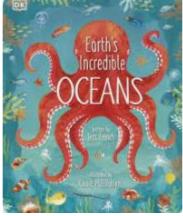


Dear Parents and Carers,

I always look forward to this time of year. The weather is warmer and sunnier, and the summer term is always fun, with things like sports day and water games to look forward to.

In English, the children will focus on writing instructions and newspaper reports. We'll also explore texts such as "The Storm Whale" and "Earth's Incredible Oceans."





This term, our exciting new topic is Under the Sea. In Geography, we will explore the oceans, continents and physical and human features near the sea.

In Science, we will be learning all about Animals, including humans. The children will understand the basic needs of animals—exercise and health, different food groups and balanced diets, germs, and the need for cleanliness.

In RE, we will explore Thankfulness and how we and other religions show and say we are thankful. We will also discuss what we are thankful for and why.

In PSHE, children will learn all about economic well-being—money, how money is obtained, how we make choices around money, and the difference between needs and wants.

In DT, the children will be making moving habitats, using different tools and equipment to perform practical tasks to make a moving habitat.

PPA and **ECT** time

Please note the change- Mrs Osbourne will cover my PPA on a Monday morning, 8:30-12:00 pm. If you have any messages between these times, please contact her via Dojo. If it is important, please ring the school office on 01205 460547.

Personal Belongings

Please ensure that everything is clearly labelled with your child's name so we can return any lost items to the correct child.

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PΕ

In PE, children will be participating in outdoor sports where we will be learning lots about teamwork, coordination and resilience, as well as working on confidence and communication between peers. PE will now be every Thursday. Year 3 will be going swimming on a Wednesday morning. If your child wears earrings, please remove them before school to keep your child safe during P.E. lessons. Please ensure your child has their complete PE kit, including clothes appropriate for outdoor weather, and that it is back in school.

Phonics Book

Your child will read their phonics book five times a week at school and then bring their new phonics book home on Friday. This book is based on your child's phonics level, which has been decided from their assessment. Please ensure your child's previous phonics book is in school on Friday morning so we can issue their new one.

Accelerated Reader books

Your child should read this book at home, either independently or with someone. They will take a reading comprehension quiz once they have read it a few times. The outcome of the quiz will then determine their next book.

Homework

Each week, your child will be set homework. Every child has a blue homework folder, and this is where their homework will be. Please ensure all homework is returned to school the following **Thursday morning**. All homework handed in on time will get two dojo points. Your child can also access the online app Sumdog, which is a great math app. Logins for your child's Sumdog account can be found on the inside page of their reading record.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me via Class Dojo.

Kind Regards, St. James team 😊

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