

April 2020

Summer Term News

TRENCROM, LANYON and KERRIS CLASSES



Trencrom Class Team

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Kerris Class

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The Summer Term hasn't started quite as we had planned, however, we still want to power on with our learning! We will be uploading activities linked to our project whilst children are learning at home, so keep your eyes posted on your class page!

Our plan is to spend this term learning about a range of sports, as well as the people who play them, where they originate and what special skills are needed. We can still do lots of our learning from home - Look at the homework grid for the term we have uploaded too!

English

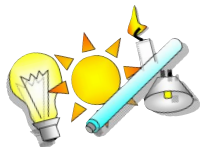
We had planned to begin the term by writing poetry inspired by sport and the Olympics. Hopefully, we will be writing information texts about a sport then after half term, write instructions before moving on to writing sporting stories. All being well we will be ending the term looking at dialogue and play scripts. Our focus on reading will continue, this is something you can really focus on whilst learning at home. Can you keep a list of the books you have read? Perhaps you could write some book reviews to share once we are back in school? We will upload the spellings for this term so you can continue to practise these too - practise spellings online at home using 'Spelling Shed' too.

Maths

We will continue to upload activities every week to help your child continue to develop their maths skills. By the end of Year 4, the children should know all of their tables up to 12 x 12. Tables knowledge is so useful for many aspects of maths and builds the children's confidence considerably. This too is something you can support us with by practising at home. We will of course be encouraging the children to continue to work towards achieving their Jedi Badges as soon as we get back.

Science

In the first half of the term we will be learning about light. Before moving on to Animals including humans later in the term. We have uploaded knowledge organisers for both of these topics so you can see the main areas we will be focusing on.



Computing

As well as continuing to focus on online safety, we will be building on our publishing, keyboard and editing skills. Producing information booklets on exercise and eating healthily.

Uniform

I'm sure we have all been enjoying wearing our own clothes, or staying in PJs more than we normally would, however, when we return to school we look forward to seeing you wearing the correct uniform at all times. Please see a member of the team or refer to our website if you have any questions. Children should keep their full PE kit in school; red shorts, white polo shirt and black plimsolls or trainers. Outdoor Learning also forms an essential part of our learning, we would ask that your child has a set of old clothes ready to grab and bring into school for these activities. Don't forget sunhat and suncream now the weather is getting warmer!

RE

In our RE learning this term we will be guided by the question "Who is Jesus?"

DT & Art

Our Art and DT learning this term will all link to the same theme - food. In art we will be improving our drawing skills by making observational drawings of food. In DT we will planning nutritious meals, making a meal planner for an olympian - we will of course be making and tasting food too!



PE

In PE we will focus on strike and field skills and athletics, as well as continuing to promote physical activity inside and outside of school. Hopefully, Mr T will deliver PE on a Wednesday afternoon, however, the children will still need to have their full PE kit in school all week. We will continue with outdoor learning sessions with Daisy so make sure wellies are in school at all times. We will send a message home when the children may need old clothes.

Music

We will explore different areas of music this term, supported by the wonderful Mrs England.

From time to time we will be watching extracts from films to enhance the children's learning. Some of these may have a PG or possibly a 12a rating. We will also be watching some of the Horrible History programmes, which are rated PG. If you have any concerns about this, please do not hesitate to come in and see us.