

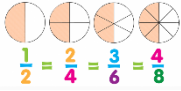








Term Ahead Letter: Primary 7 October - December

Dear Parent/Carer,

The table below outlines what we will be working on in primary 7 this term.

<p>Literacy and English</p> <p>In Term 2, students will read Kensuke's Kingdom, participating in both independent and group tasks to enhance comprehension through question generation and inference. We will analyse and compare myths, emphasizing notetaking and vocabulary development, while also exploring synonyms and antonyms.</p>  <p>In writing, we will focus on creating imaginative myths, newspaper articles on mythical creature sightings, and factual reports linked to myths, as well as instructional writing related to the Christmas Café.</p> <p>Our spelling lessons will cover prefixes such as im-, in-, anti-, and co-, along with the "s" sound as "c" and common words. We will also focus on punctuation for speech, and narrative/direct speech.</p> 	<p>Numeracy and Mathematics</p> <p>We will continue to focus on division and multiplication, progressing to multi-step problems and the four operations using White Rose Maths and Sumdog.</p> <p>Next, we will explore fractions, including mixed numbers, equivalent fractions, simplification, and comparing and ordering fractions by their numerators and denominators. Students will also learn to calculate fractions of an amount.</p>  <p>Additionally, we will incorporate money concepts related to our bake sales during Halloween and Christmas. Students will practice calculating profit and loss, performing money calculations using all four operations, determining change, and comparing costs to make informed budget decisions.</p> 
<p>Learning Across the Curriculum</p> <p>New Topic: Myths from Around the World Learning will include investigating myths and mythical creatures from around the globe. We will discuss and compare the differences among them, and children will create their own mythical creatures using clay.</p>  <p>STEM: We will explore natural and extreme weather phenomena linked to myths, as well as investigate the substances that make up the Earth's surface.</p>  <p>H&W and RSHP: We will discuss consent and the importance of understanding that our bodies are our own. Additionally, we will cover how to be smart online, the different types of abuse (physical, sexual, and neglect), and what to do when we feel sad or worried.</p> <p>French & Mandarin: We will revise learning in French and develop key vocabulary with the help of a new Mandarin specialist.</p>	<p>Admin</p> <p>P.E: Will take place on Thursdays. P7A will be having PE in the morning, while P7B in the afternoon.</p>  <p>Homework: In line with the school homework policy, there will be no assigned weekly homework. We will however provide an optional home learning wall that further support the learning that is taking place in class.</p> <p>Outdoor Learning: We will have weekly outdoor learning sessions every Monday. Please ensure your child comes to school prepared for outdoor learning in all weathers.</p> <p>Important Dates - It's getting busy!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole School Sponsored Walk: 4th Nov • THS Virtual Art lesson with Mr Cifelli: 5th Nov • THS Virtual English Lesson with Mrs Harrison: 12th Nov • Art of Listening Trip: P7B: 12th Nov, P7A: 26th Nov • BIMA Digital Day 2024 (in school): 13th Nov • THS Virtual French lesson with Mrs Irving: 19th Nov • Jupiter Artland Trip: 20th Nov • P7 Christmas Café Fundraiser: 13th Dec.

If you have any queries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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