

Dates for your Diary:

Extracurricular clubs begin – 24th Sept

Harvest festival – 2nd October

Goose Fair Day – 10th October

Parents’ Evenings – 8th and 9th Oct

Last day of half term – 19th October

ENGLISH

This term we are reading the book ‘King of the Birds’ written by Helen Ward. The children will talk through the story and use elements of the story to write their own.

Secondly we will look at poetry that describes our environment. We are aiming to take up a trip up to the moors and read some poetry about Dartmoor. We will then think about the vocabulary that we could use to write our own poems about our surroundings.

Lastly this term we will look at our Science topic to produce a non-fiction piece of information text to explain how to eat healthily.

**OUR THEME THIS TERM:**

**What is where in the world?**

**Science**: Animals including humans – Healthy Eating

**Geography**: Where in the world?

**Music:** Reggae – Let your spirit fly

**PE:** Hockey and Fundamental Movements

**MFL:** French Greetings and Classroom instructions

**RE:** What is important to me?

**Art/DT:** A look at different cultures from around the world through art

**MATHS**:

Place Value and Counting

Adding and Subtracting

Problem Solving

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***HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD?***

***Listen to your children read on a regular basis and discuss what has been read.***

***Encourage a wide variety of texts.***

***Practise times tables.***

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**READING & SPELLING**

* Children should **read for a minimum of 15**

**minutes** at home every day.

* Reading books and home school diaries

should come into school every day.

* We will be concentrating on **spelling and grammar** this year including the national curriculum, compulsory list of year 3 and 4 words (provided in the home school diary) which we will test the children on each week.



**Computing:**

**Communicating safely online**



**KIT SHOULD STAY IN SCHOOL ALL WEEK: BLACK SHORTS, WHITE T-SHIRT & TRAINERS/PLIMSOLLS.**

Our **Skill for Success** this term is

**Resilience**

**HOMEWORK:**

**SET ON FRIDAYS**

**IN ON WEDNESDAYS**