

Welcome to the Spring 2 newsletter which gives a brief outline of what your child will be learning and enjoying for the next half term. If you have any questions or queries, please come and see us in the MUGA at home time or you can email or call the school office.

# Newsletter

**Computing** We will be looking at emails. The children will learn how to compose emails, add attachments and communicate safely online. Our e safety lesson will also look at how we stay safe online in particular to 'what should you do when someone says or uses unkind words online?'

## **Mathematics:**

Our maths work this half term will cover length before moving on to fractions. We will add and subtract money and calculate change. We will revise how to tell the time and measure time in minutes, seconds and hours.

## **Science: In our topic of 'Amazing Bodies'**

we will find out how the human body works by learning about the skeleton and muscle groups. We will also learn how to stay healthy by eating the right things and exercising.

## **Literacy**

This term we will look at 'The incredible Book Eating Boy' and use this to inspire our writing followed by a non-fiction unit 'Skeletons and Muscles' to link with our science topic and use this to help us write our own non chronological report.



## **Geography**

We will be learning about the geography of Iceland. We will find it on the world map and discuss its landscape and different climates, and how it is similar and different to our country. We will discuss topical issues in an appropriate way.

## **French:**

The children will be learning how to say the main parts of the body and describe the colours in French. They will learn some new songs and Miss Martin will be reading and discussing a story with them in French.

## **R.E.**

We will learn about Jesus as a leader and the importance of the Easter story to Christians.

## **Arts and Crafts**

This term we will be reminded of our work from earlier in the year to help us create our own Ancient Egyptian Scrolls.

## **Homework**

### **Reading**

Your child's progress in reading is the most important aspect of their learning at school. Please support us by listening to them read as often as possible at home. Being a good reader has many benefits and we encourage all our pupils to read for enjoyment as well as for learning and in order to access the full curriculum.

Books at your child's reading level can be accessed on active learn with their log in.

[www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk).

You can also access TT Rock Stars. They have a login and password to enable them to practise their times tables in a fun and interactive way.

Thank you for your continued support.

## **JIGSAW PSHE**

The theme is Healthy Me. We will discuss how to stay fit and healthy through exercise and eating a balanced diet. We will discuss the responsible use of medicines and how some substances can be harmful if not used correctly. We will learn how to take care of our bodies.

## **PE:**

Swimming continues for another 5 weeks every Monday morning for 3GP and Wednesday morning for 3JH. In our other PE lesson we will be playing invasion games and learning about ball skills. Children will also need to come in PE kit on Fridays.