



**St Benedict's Class: Mrs McFeat**

**St Brigid's Class: Miss McDonald**

We will be sharing a Meet the Teacher Online Presentation with you on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September via our Year 6 G-suite page so that we can introduce ourselves and our curriculum for this year. More details are to follow.

Class assemblies will begin this month. St Benedict class assembly will be on 30<sup>th</sup> September and St Brigid on 7<sup>th</sup> October. Assemblies start promptly at 10am and you are welcome to attend your child's last primary school assembly!

## Next Week's Curriculum:

**ENGLISH:** Due to the passing of the Queen, the curriculum for this week changed. As a result, next week, we will read Androcles and the Lion.

**Reading focus:** Summarising main ideas in the text

**Writing focus:** Story writing

**Grammar focus:** Direct speech

**R.E TOPIC: Love**

Next week the learning focus will continue to be God's unconditional love, focussing on the parable of the Prodigal Son.

**HISTORY TOPIC: Back to the Future.**

This half term, we will focus on how education has changed since 1066. Our first session will be focused on creating a Timeline.

**FRENCH:** This term, the children will be taught by Madame Severine alongside their class teacher. The focus will be on learning to speak about classroom objects.

**MATHS:** Next week we will be practising calculation skills. We will continue to practise our CLIC arithmetic skills each day.

**SCIENCE TOPIC: What makes plants and animals different?**

Next week we will be learning about and investigating micro-organisms.

**P.E TOPIC: Fitness**

Next week we will be working on developing speed and stamina.

Please ensure that your child has a labelled full and correct PE kit for the indoor and outdoor sessions. It will be sent home on Fridays and should be back at school on Mondays. PE sessions are on Tuesdays and Fridays this term.

**PSHE:** This term, we will be learning about freedom and responsibilities through the scripture 'Calming the Storm'.

You can view the content of the unit on this parents' portal:

[www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal](http://www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal)

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## HOMWORK – DUE BY WEDNESDAY 21<sup>st</sup> SEPTEMBER:

**READING:** Your child has been provided with a reading book and their reading journals have been returned to them. Please make a note of the date, book title, pages read and comment briefly on how well they have read to you. You could note how fluent their reading was, if they are enjoying it and any words you have helped them read or understand. Your child should be reading at least 20 MINS PER DAY.

**SPELLING:** This 4 week spelling unit is based on suffixes beginning with vowel letters to words of more than one syllable. Please practise these with your child in preparation for a test on Monday. Then find 5 words with the suffixes -cial, -tial, -cious and -tious in the book you are reading. We will share these in class together.

precocious
malicious
scrumptious
sacrificial
prejudicial
residential
pretentious
preferential
amateur
apparent

**MATHS:** Your child has been given a maths sheet to complete based on the place value of digits within a number. This is to consolidate the work we have done in class this week.

The answers will be posted on **Gsuite on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September** so that your child can mark their work before handing it in on Wednesday.



### **HALF TERMLY PROJECT:**

This half term our science topic is based on Plants and Animals. We would like the children to complete a 6 week project that they can be working on at home. Their project should include some reading, writing and drawing. They may also wish to produce a working model. We hope the children have already made a start on their projects - we can't wait to see them!