



St Benedict's Class: Mrs McFeat

St Brigid's Class: Miss McDonald

A gentle reminder: St Brigid class assembly will be on Friday 7th October. Assemblies start promptly at 10am and you are welcome to attend your child's last primary school assembly.

A trip to the Globe is on 10th November 2022 to enhance our learning about Shakespeare and his work. In order for this trip to go ahead we will appreciate parental support on the trip. **Please let your teacher know if you can help.**

Next Week's Curriculum:

ENGLISH: Next week, we will carry on learning all about Shakespeare's Macbeth!

Reading focus: Language for effect

Writing focus: Diary entry writing

Grammar focus: Expanded noun phrases

Spelling focus: Adding suffixes to words.

MATHS: Next week we will be going over some questions in tests and focusing on calculations with fractions and equivalent fractions.

SCIENCE TOPIC: What makes plants and animals different?

Next week we will be setting experiments to find more evidence about microbes.

R.E TOPIC: Love

Next week the learning focus will continue to be God's unconditional love, particularly looking at extracts from the Bible focusing on *John 15: 9-14*.

HISTORY TOPIC: Back to the Future.

This half term, we will focus on how education has changed since 1066. Our next session will be focused on education in Roman times and comparing it to present.

P.E TOPIC: Fitness

Next week we will be working on developing strength using my own body weight.

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.

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 and making sentences.

PSHE: This term, we will continue to learn 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

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HOMWORK – DUE BY WEDNESDAY 12th October:

READING: To support your child's reading skills, please listen to them read and discuss the book on a weekly basis. Your child should bring the reading record to school with your comment on a bi-weekly basis. Your child should be reading at least 20 MINS PER DAY. Thank you for your continuous support.

SPELLING: This is a new 4 week spelling unit is based on suffixes -ant, -ance, -ancy, -ent, -ence, -ency. Please practise these with your child in preparation for a test on Monday. You have been allocated spelling game on BUG Club to practise.

observe
observation
observant
observance
patient
patience
assistant
assistance
communicate
controversy

MATHS: Your child has been given a maths CGP book to take home each week for maths homework. This week we would like the children to complete **page 24**. This is to consolidate the work we have done in class this week.

The answers can be checked at the back of the book once they have completed their work. Please bring the booklet back by **Wednesday each week** for teachers to check.

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar:

Your child has been given a GPS CGP book to take home each week for homework. This week we would like the children to complete **pages 8,9,10,11**. This is to consolidate the work we have done in class.



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!

Submission dates - October 17-19th. Please bring your project to school then.