



St Bernadette's Class: Miss Carter

St Peter's Class: Mr Bonnar

Thank you to the parents who came to the English and Maths meeting on Tuesday, we hope that it was helpful.

If you are having trouble accessing the books on Bug Club, please let us know and we will try to trouble shoot the situation. Children should have their login details; user names haven't changed but passwords are their current class name (without the st).

Key dates and events:

- Non- uniform day Thursday 9th February
- Inset day Friday 10th February

Next Week's Curriculum:

ENGLISH: we will be reading a new class book, *There's a Pharoah in our Bath*.

Reading focus: Sequencing of events to follow the plot.

Writing focus: A diary entry in role as a character in the story.

Grammar focus: rusing past tense to sequence the retelling of events.

Spelling focus: Suffix ly for adverbs in our writing

FRENCH:

The children will be learning how to speak about themselves in French; saying their name, age and birthday, talk about their family and count to 10.

Science Topic: Light and Dark:

We will be investigating how shadows are made.

P.E TOPIC: Invasion games

The child will be learning Gymnastics with their PE coach, Miss Cook.

Teachers will be leading basketball lessons.

MATHS: We will be exploring column addition using 3d + 2d numbers.

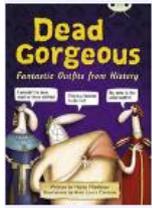
HISTORY: How can we rediscover the wonders of the ancient world?

We will be learning about famous people connected to Egypt through Tutankhamun and Howard Carter.

R.E TOPIC: Listening and sharing

We will be learning about the parts of the mass., to recognise what they are and why they are important.

READING: This week we would like the children to finish reading *Dead Gorgeous* and answer the 'bug' questions.



"Well done, so many more of you have attempted to read the allocated book this week!" Miss Carter and Mr Bonnar.

SPELLING: You will find this week's spellings below. Please practise these with

Week 5
happy
happily
gentle
gently
terrible
terribly
heavily
miserably
learn
material

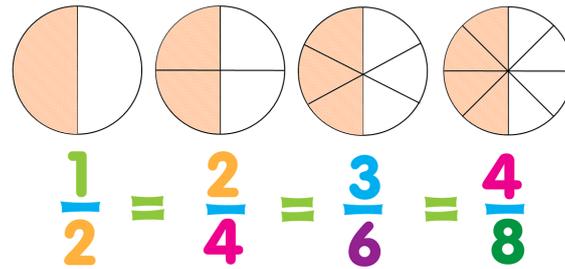
your child. They may like to use them in sentences to help them to learn the spellings. They may also use their pink books for this.

We will test them on these spellings on **Monday 6th February**.

We will also have an end of set one spelling test, which covers 10 words from the first four weeks of this terms spellings. See Term 2 Set 1 spellings below.

Statutory requirements	Term 2			
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
SET 1				
The prefix re-	redo	refresh	return	reappear
	review	redecorate	rebuild	rewrite
	reaction	recount	reheat	rethink
The prefix super-	supermarket	superman	superstar	superhuman
The suffix -ly	sadly	completely	usually	finally
	comically	dangerously	proudly	correctly
Extension	occasionally	historically	unfortunately	continually
	eventually	successfully	regularly	skilfully
Word list	fruit	group	heard	important
	grammar	history	heart	island

Maths: We have attached a maths task to the homework sheet for children to complete. This week their task is on equivalent fractions.



Half term project: For this half term project we would like the children to research an ancient civilisation that we will be learning about in greater detail. They can choose between the following civilisations:

- The Shang Dynasty <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z39j2hv>
- Ancient Sumer civilisation <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2ry3j6>
- Indus Valley <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zxn3r82>

Each week we will give suggestions for a research activity or task leading towards a final piece of work to showcase their learning.

Week 4: This week we would like the children to find out about a famous historical figure (person) from their chosen civilisation.

Think about the following things:

- *Who were they?*
- *What did they do?*
- *How are they remembered?*



When was Tutankhamun born?

King Tut lived around 1341 to 1323 BC, and because he was only ten years old when he became a pharaoh, he was called the 'boy king'. King Tut's father was the pharaoh Akhenaten.

This pharaoh made complete changes to the religion of Egypt, getting rid of their idea of many gods and changing their worship to one god: Aten, the sun god.