



St Paul's Class: Mrs Lee

St Therese's Class: Miss Barrett

Key dates and events:

Book Fair - Monday 6th March at 3:15pm (Junior parents)

Year 3 & 4 Disco - Friday 10th March (after school)

Next Week's Curriculum:

ENGLISH: We will be reading a playscript based on the story of the Boudicca.

Reading focus: To retrieve key facts from the text.

Grammar focus: Using conjunctions to connect sentences.

Writing focus: Writing a balanced argument.

Spelling focus: To spell words with the suffixes -tion and -ssion (e.g. station, permission)

MATHS: We will continue adding and subtracting fractions including improper fractions. We will also be comparing numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places

FRENCH: This term, the children will be taught by Madame Severine alongside their class teacher. The focus will be on learning their numbers and naming extended family members.

Soundstart: The children will continue to learn their instrument with the Croydon Music Service teachers. Please continue to encourage your child to practise playing at home.

P.E TOPIC: (PE kits should be in school from Mon-Wed)

Teacher-led lesson: Dodgeball / Rounders (weather dependent)

Coaches: Hockey

SCIENCE: What makes water so amazing? (Science driver)

We will be discussing the process of evaporation and setting up an investigation in class. (postponed lesson due to Book Week & Strike Day)

R.E TOPIC: Giving and Receiving the Eucharist

The children will be taking part in a penitential service on Monday. We will also be learning about the Penitential Rite as part of the mass.

HISTORY: We will be comparing different types of houses from Roman Britain and giving examples of evidence that survives from Roman buildings.

This Week's Homework

Due on 8th March 2023

BUG CLUB READING:

Please use your new login details for Bug Club. Please read the book entitled: *Charlie and Alice: Finding a Friend* up to the end and answer the bug questions.

Please note: Your child is able to change their book whenever they have finished reading it, using books from our class book corner. 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. If you have any problems accessing Bug Club on the ActiveLearn platform, please let us know.

SPELLING: Group 1 & 2: Please complete the spelling practise sheet on suffixes. (on reverse of maths)

MATHS: Please see SAFE worksheet (Shape, Amounts, Fractions and Explaining Data) to consolidate our learning in class.

WELL DONE FOR THE OUTSTANDING EFFORT WITH YOUR ROMAN PROJECTS - WE ARE TRULY IMPRESSED AND CAN SEE HOW MUCH THE CHILDREN HAVE LEARNT! 😊

Spring Term 2 Mini Project - Due on Wednesday 15th March 2023

The Water Cycle

We would like the children to produce a mini project poster on the water cycle to link in with our Science topic on water.

The children could produce their work in their pink homework books, as a poster or leaflet, get creative and construct a model of the water cycle. Have fun with it and do feel free to ask your child's class teacher if you would like further assistance with this project.