St Paul's Class: Mrs Lee St Therese's Class: Miss Barrett

Key dates and events:

Tuesday 27th June - Year 4 class trip to Tower Bridge - £5 per child to be paid via Parentpay

Friday 26th May- INSET DAY

Friday 16th June at 10am - St Therese's Class Assembly

Friday 23rd June at 10am - St Paul's Class Assembly

Next Week's Curriculum:

ENGLISH: Bee and Me

Grammar focus: Use of language to convey

meaning

Writing focus: We will be writing a diary based on

the emotions of the main character.

Spelling focus: After half term, we will be continuing to learn to spell words with /ei/ sound spelt ei or eigh. Please ensure that your child learns

these for a test on Friday.

MATHS: We will be revising all that we have learnt about fractions and apply these to problem solving.

GEOGRAPHY: Our Big Question is why is London such a cool place to live?

We will be discussing why we love London and why it is such a cool place to live. We will be using our survey skills to produce data.

P.E TOPIC: (PE kits should be in school from Mon for the whole week)

Teacher-led lesson: Athletics - throwing skills

Coaches: Striking and Fielding Games, Tennis and

Rounders

various stories.

SCIENCE: How do we make poo? (Science driver)

The children will be learning about different types of teeth and how they help us to process the food we eat

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.

FRENCH: This term, the children will be taught by Madame Severine alongside their class teacher. The focus will be on learning about parts of the body and objects found in the classroom through

R.E TOPIC:

We will begin our new topic on Building Bridges. The focus for this week will be to know and understand building bridges of friendship.

R.E TOPIC: ARTS WEEK PREPARATION

*** Please begin collecting plastic items for our recycled materials art project. We are also looking for fishing netting, lids, buttons, fabric and newspaper. Our focus is ocean creatures. ***

Computing:

We will be learning how to code using J2code on our LGFL platform. The children can access this from home too, using their LGFL passwords.

Home Learning

BUG CLUB READING: Please complete the book entitled Pet Finders Underground up to the end of the book.

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: Please see the worksheet provided and learn the words for a test on Friday. We are also learning the spellings from the Year 3 /4 National Curriculum wordlist - this can be found in the centre pages of your Reading Record Book.

MATHS: Please complete the sheet provided. Please also see the CLIC practise videos we have uploaded to our class Gsuite page (click on the link from our school website) to go over any questions your child may be struggling with in maths. There are differing levels available to watch - please ask your child which CLIC they have been studying in class.

This is the link to help your child practise their times tables - it is designed to be very similar in format to the test they will be having in June.

*** Please continue with the excellent practice that you have been doing on your times tables. We will be testing the children using the government multiplication check within the first few weeks back in June. ***

Year 4, Key Stage 2, Practice Times Tables Tests (Multiplication Tables Check) (talkingtimestables.uk)

Hit the Button is a good game to play if your child needs to become the 'expert' at a particular times table, before moving onto the Talking Times Tables game which mixes all of the tables. There are also other games on here to extend and challenge children with square numbers, doubling and halving.

Hit the Button - Quick fire maths practise for 6-11 year olds (topmarks.co.uk)