



St Benedict's Class: Mrs Longhurst and Mrs Lee

St Brigid's Class: Mrs Haywood-White

Thank you for another great week everyone!

Reminder: Meet the Teacher Online Presentation with you on Friday 22nd September via our Year 6 Gsuite page so that we can introduce ourselves and our curriculum for this year. More details are to follow.

Next Week's Curriculum:

ENGLISH: Next week, we will be 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?

We will be learning about microbes and beginning to set some experiments.

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*.

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.

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.

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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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.

HOMework – DUE BY WEDNESDAY 20th September:

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: Our new 4 week spelling unit is based on suffixes -cious, -tious, -cail, -tail. Please practise these with your child in preparation for a test on Monday. You have been allocated spelling game on BUG Club to practise.

Week 1
atrocious
conscious
fractious
financial
beneficial
impartial
infectious
sequential
accommodate
..... accompany

MATHS:

We have been looking at number and place value. We have also been dividing by 10, 100, and 100. Please complete the worksheet given with your homework book and bring it back completed to mark as a class at school

Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar:

Please complete the 'tious' and 'cious' work sheet given with your homework book and bring it back completed to mark as a class at school



HALF TERMLY PROJECT:

This half term our topic will be about St Thomas Becket. We would like the children to complete a 5 week project that they can be working on at home. They should include lots of history about Thomas Becket's life as well as his martyrdom. You could also look at how his death made Canterbury Cathedral a place of pilgrimage. Their project should include some reading, writing and drawing. They may also wish to produce a working model or film. Mr Skehan and the Senior Leadership team will come to look at every individual child's project. We can't wait to see them!

Submission dates - October 30th - 2nd October. Please bring your project to school then.