

Key Dates for the Term:

Science Week 2nd – 6th March

World Book Day- Thursday 5th March

End of Term Date – 27th March

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Brunel Class Parent Newsletter- Term 4



Snacks and Drinks: Water bottles (preferably filled with water only) are kept at the back of the class. Please stick to healthy snacks only. (Fruit, vegetables, cereal bars – no biscuits, chocolate or crisps.)

Home Learning: Reading (preferably 3 times a week) – Children can write in their own reading journals.

Home learning is given out every Friday and should be in no later than the following THURSDAY. This will normally include spelling, times tables and handwriting. Children earn a star for every piece they do. Ten stars gives them a prize.

For additional home learning, children can do the times table assignment on TT Rockstars.

PE Kit Day: Wednesday and Thursday (if it's raining, we'll use the hall)

Reminders: Children can have one pencil case but strictly no toys or fidgets (unless agreed with Mr Upton). We will provide doodle books.

Here is some of the key facts, ideas and vocabulary that we will be learning about in each curriculum area this term. It would be helpful if you could share them at home with your child, and revisit them often, as it will support and reinforce their understanding of the topic. Thank you.

<p>English/Guided Reading: Narrative: The Incredible Book Eating Boy</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Simile, alliteration, adjective, conjunction, superlatives, comparatives, rhymes, metaphor, personification</p>	<p>SPAG:</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Fronted adverbial, verb, adjective, noun</p>	<p>Maths: Length and Perimeter</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Length, measure, centimetres (cm), metres (m), millimetres (mm), perimeter, distance, total, add, calculate, compare, estimate, ruler</p>	<p>Times tables: 2, 3, 5, 10</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Groups of, divided by, shared between,</p>	<p>PSHE: Rights and Respect</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Rights, respect, responsibility, fairness, equality, rules, community, kindness, empathy, cooperation, stereotype, discrimination</p>	<p>PE: Football/ Dodgeball</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Movement, perseverance, practice, pass, receive, concentration, teamwork</p>
<p>Geography: Extreme Earth- Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquake</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Mountain, volcano, earthquake, tectonic plates, magma, lava, eruption, summit, crater, fault line, epicentre, natural disaster</p>	<p>DT: Moving Monsters</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Design, plan, evaluate, mechanism, lever, linkage, pivot, slot, fixed, moving part, assemble, template</p>	<p>Science: Rocks</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Rock, stone, soil, fossil, sedimentary, igneous, metamorphic, layers, crystals, erosion, permeable, impermeable</p>	<p>Computing: Programming</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Algorithm, program, code, command, instruction, debug, sequence, input, output</p>	<p>French: School and classroom</p> <p>Key Vocab: Bonjour, au revoir, s'il vous plaît, merci, l'école, la classe, le livre, le crayon, la trousse, le professeur, écoutez, regardez</p>	<p>RE Day: Special Times (Journey of Life and Death)</p> <p>Key Vocabulary: Why do believes see life as a journey – what significant experiences mark this?</p>