



St. Jude's Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! I hope everyone had a lovely Easter holiday and the children are rested and ready for an exciting half term. As before, PE kit should be worn to school on Mondays and Wednesdays ready for PE lessons.

The children will continue to receive their home learning activities on Thursdays and will hand them in the following Tuesday. There will be a mathematics and spelling task based on the learning the children have been doing that week. Please support your children with their homework as it is an extension of their school learning. If your child is experiencing difficulties in completing the homework, please come and see me.

The children should be reading **every** day at home and using their reading records to record their reading activity. It is important that the children bring their reading record and home readers into school **every** day, ready to be checked and changed when needed. These reading records are a window into the children's reading activities, both at school and at home, and will become an important part of their overall reading assessment at the end of the year – please ensure that they are kept safe and in a good condition.

This half term our topic is: Seaside Surprise! Through this topic we will be investigating seascapes around the UK and finding out how trips to the seaside have changed over the last century. For more information on what we will be learning, please see the Summer 1 topic web.

It is really important that we make the most of every minute of learning time at St Jude's. Punctuality is very important in Year 2. We begin our morning work as soon as we come in at 8:55. To support us in this please ensure that your child is in the playground **by 8:50**, ready to come inside at 8:55am.

This half term we will be sitting our key stage one SATs, an information talk was held last half term but if you would like any extra information or resources to support with this please do let us know.

If at any point you wish to see me for a quick chat or to share an idea, a meeting will need to be arranged. I am available for pre-arranged meetings on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons from 3.45pm - 4.45pm.

Important dates:

Tuesday 18th April – trip to Dulwich College

Weeks beginning 15th and 22nd May – KS1 testing

Kind regards,

Miss Appleby and the Year 2 Team



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