

ST. MARY MAGDALENE C OF E SCHOOL

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Friday 26th April 2024

Dear Parent/Carers,

Welcome back! We are heading into the Summer Term. Our theme for Summer term will be Chocolate and Out of Africa.

	Summer 1 - Chocolate	Summer 2 – Out of Africa
English	Newspaper report	Diary entry
	Setting description	Persuasive writing
Maths	Fraction and time	Shape and measures
RE	Comparison of world Religions	Buddhism
Science	Forces and magnets	Forces and magnets
History/Geography	Ancient Mayans	Africa Biomes
		Mount Kilimanjaro
DT/Art	Electrical systems: motorised fan-boats	Sculpture using different materials

English, Geography, History, DT, PSHE, Computing and Art objectives will be met through the creative curriculum, linking these subjects to the topics, whilst Maths objectives are met through the White Rose Maths Hub schemes of learning, MFL (Spanish) follows PLN scheme and Music follows the Charanga and Sing Up scheme.

Spelling tests will be completed on a **Friday morning**. The spellings can be accessed on the school website under the Year 3 section. They will also be provided with the spellings to take home, at the beginning of the week. For **Homework** children will be provided with a homework menu and should complete at least 6 homework activities of their choice from the homework menu. As part as the continuation of learning children are expected to practice their **timetables** at home.

Children will need to bring their PE kits on the following days as stated below:

Sanders class on a Tuesday afternoon - (Outdoor PE) and Thursday afternoon - (Indoor PE) Jerwood class on a Thursday afternoon - (Indoor PE) and Friday afternoon - (Outdoor PE)

Please ensure your child has appropriate kit for indoor and outdoor lessons and all items are labelled. Earrings should not be worn on these days and no other jewellery should be worn to school.

Reading takes place daily in the classroom and books are changed regularly. Your child will have opportunities to choose a variety of reading books throughout the term. These books should be brought home and the reading record should be completed when your child reads. Please encourage your child to read daily at home and record it in their reading records. Please note there will be a charge for any lost reading records or books.

Throughout this term, **trips** will be organised for the children and details will be sent nearer the time. As always, we need parent volunteers in order for these trips to take place; we will try to give you as much notice as possible.

If you wish to contact us regarding your child's education, please make an appointment via the office. We are usually available before 8.30 a.m. or after school.

We look forward to continued working with you to support your child's learning journey.

Kind regards, Year 3 teachers Miss Ribera-Hurtado and Miss Okungbowa

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