

## FEDERATION EXECUTIVE CO-HEADTEACHERS

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## **DEPUTY HEADTEACHER**

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Wednesday 12th January 2022

Dear Parents/ Carers.

Welcome back to the new term and we wish you all a very Happy New Year. Thank you so much for your kind cards and presents, and all your support during the Autumn term.

This term's core book will be 'The Great Fure of London' This will be linked to our theme of Fire! Fire!. We will be covering a range of cross curricular subjects within this topic.

Here are the topics as follows:

	<u>Fire! Fire! - Spring 1</u>		
Science	Animals including Humans	RE	Hinduism
History	The Great Fire of London	DT	Photo Frames
PE	<u>Indoor</u> – gym. <u>Outdoor</u> – defending/attacking games		

The second half term we will be reading **The BFG** by Roald Dahl, and our theme will be '**A Whole New World - Explorers**' and we will be covering some of the following subjects:

	A Whole New World – Explorers - Spring 2			
Science	Animals including Humans	RE	Christianity	
History	Significant individuals	Art	Drawing Unit	
PE	<u>Indoor</u> – gym. <u>Outdoor</u> – defending/attacking games			

We will also have weekly computing, music and PHSE lessons. Our PE days will still be on **Monday** and **Wednesday**. Therefore, it is imperative that the children have the correct PE kit on these days. It is advisable that your child brings a clean PE kit into school on <u>Monday</u> and takes it home for washing on <u>Wednesday</u>. PE kits must include a white t-shirt, shorts and jogging bottoms, a jumper, a fleece and a pair of plimsolls or trainers. Also, it is very important that all of the PE kit is <u>clearly named</u> including the bag it is in.

### Reading

It is very important that your child reads to you <u>every day</u>. Please acknowledge that they have read to you by signing their reading records. Your child should bring their book into school <u>daily</u>. We will be checking reading records every week.

#### **Homework**

Homework is set as a half termly menu with options to complete various activities. Homework can be completed on Satchel or in homework books – please ensure that homework books are given in by Thursday.

# **Spellings**

Spellings will be given out every Friday in a spellings practice book. Spellings will be every Wednesday – please ensure practice books are also given in by Thursdays.

If you would like to discuss anything regarding your child please feel free to make an appointment to see us. You can contact the school office to make an appointment. Thank you in advance for all your support.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Azam and Miss Tsang

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