

Dear Parents/Carers

FEDERATION EXECUTIVE CO-HEADTEACHERS

Mrs Claire Harrison and Mrs Victoria Wainwright

HEAD OF CAMPUS

Mrs Tiffany King 10th September 2021

Welcome to the new school year. We hope you have had a very enjoyable Summer and everyone is eager to return to school.

During this term we will be covering the following topics:

	Autumn Term 1- Amazing Architecture	Autumn Term 2- Victorians
English	The London Eye Mystery by Siobhan Dowd	Street Child by Berlie Doherty
Maths	Place Value, addition and subtraction, statistics	Multiplication and division, perimeter and area
RE	What it means to be a Buddhist?	Christmas through music and art
Science	All Living Things	All Living Things
PE	Indoor: Dance/Swimming Outdoor: Tag rugby	Indoor: Dance Outdoor: Tag rugby

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 and Music follows the Charanga scheme.

Spelling tests will be completed on a **Friday morning**. Your child will receive a green book with the homework menu for this half-term. Homework tasks should be submitted as they are finished, so it can be marked and returned promptly.

Children will need to bring their **PE kits on Wednesday and wear their PE Kit to school on Friday,** as we have PE first thing in the morning. The children can bring their uniform in their bag. 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. A separate letter has been sent regarding the intensive swimming lessons starting on the 20th of September and finishing on Friday the 1st of October.

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 the year, 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 working with you to support your child on their learning journey.

Kind regards Ms Ndisang and Miss Gayle (TA)

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