

# ST. MARY MAGDALENE

C OF E SCHOOL

WOOLWICH CAMPUS Excellence through innovation, founded in faith since 1840.

### FEDERATION EXECUTIVE CO-HEADTEACHERS

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## HEADTEACHER

Mrs Diane Savva-Brown

# DEPUTY HEADTEACHER

Mrs Ranj Badesha Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to welcome you all back from the summer break. I hope you all enjoyed the holidays and are well rested.

<u>World Kitchen</u> <u>Autumn 1</u>				
Science	Materials and their properties	RE	Judaism	
Geography	Comparing countries	DT	Cooking	

The core book this term will be 'Grace and Family' by Mary Hoffman. This will be linked to our theme of World Kitchen. We will be covering a range of cross curricular subjects within this topic.

#### After the October half term, we will be reading The True Story of the Three Little Pigs by Jon Scieszka, and

<u>Heroes and Villains</u> <u>Autumn 2</u>				
Science	Plants	RE	Christianity	
History	Significant women in history	Art	Drawing Unit	

our theme will be 'Heroes and Villains' and we will be covering some of the following subjects:

We will also have weekly computing, music and PHSE lessons.

#### PE

Our PE days will be on a **Tuesday and Friday**. It is important that the children have their PE kit on these days, and it is advisable that your child brings a clean PE kit into school on Monday and takes it home for washing on Friday. PE kits must include a white t-shirt, shorts and jogging bottoms, a jumper, a fleece and a pair of plimsolls (indoors) and trainers (outdoor). It is very important that all of their uniform, including PE kit and bags, is <u>clearly named</u>.

#### 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 daily. We will be checking reading records every week.

#### Spelling

A list of the year 2 spellings will be sent home with your child, please practice these with them throughout the week. We will have a weekly spelling test on Monday mornings.

#### <u>Homework</u>

Homework is set as a half termly menu with options to complete various activities.

If you would like to meet with me to discuss anything regarding your child, please feel free to make an appointment to see me. You can contact the school office to make an appointment.

Thank you in advance for all your support.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Laird and the Year 2 team

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