



Welcome back from the Easter Break

English

This term we will be focusing on two units: poetry and non-fiction.

Children will explore a range of poems, focusing on reading, writing and reciting poetry. They will continue to develop their skills in information retrieval and literal comprehension.

We will be exploring non-fiction texts, identifying features of these text and writing non-chronological reports.

Maths

We will be learning about shapes, symmetry, angles and data handling. There will also be a focus on consolidating the four key operations.

Topic

Our focus this term will be 'Wriggle and Crawl' and exploring habitats and life cycles.

Statutory Assessment Tests (SATs)

As you are aware, all children in year 2 are required to sit national tests at the end of KS1. These tests, consist of two maths tests - one arithmetic, one reasoning paper and two reading papers, which have to be completed by the end of May. Dates will be confirmed later on the website.

Homework

New homework maps based on the current topic will be sent home at the end of this week.

Children will continue to receive weekly spellings and be tested at the end of the week. They will also have weekly multiplication tests.

Children are expected to read 5 times a week, for at least 10 minutes each day. Please sign and comment in your child's reading record every-time you listen to them reading. This will ensure they receive their reading rewards.

P.E.

This term P.E will be on Wednesday mornings. Please make sure children have their P.E kit on this day and all jewellery is removed and kept at home. All children are expected to participate in P.E if for any reason they do not a written note is expected.

Correct Kit consists of:

- Blue Brady logo T-shirt
- Navy shorts
- Black plimsolls or trainers (no high tops)
- Black or grey or white socks
- A plain blue, black or grey tracksuit – with no large logos or slogans.

School Website

As always, the website www.bradypriamaryschool.co.uk is an excellent source of regular updates. Please ensure you register. Comments on the Year 2 page are always welcome; we might even read them out in class!

School trips

An educational visit to Rainham Marshes has been booked Wednesday 6th June further details will follow.

A Gentle reminder

As the weather is getting warmer, please make sure that your child brings a bottle/flask of water to school every day and a hat to wear when outside.

Finally

If you have any queries or concerns, then please do speak to me, either in the morning or at the end of the school day, once all children have been collected.

Kind regards

Ms Kaur

