



## Term 1 Newsletter

### 'Where in the World are we?'

Dear Parents,

Our topic for Term 2 will be, **"Where in the World are we?"** We will be immersing ourselves in our local area, exploring local geography, undertaking fieldwork studies and learning about our local history. Building on from our learning in Term 1, we will be exploring how the invention of the railway impacted where we live, and the effect it has on us today. We have slightly changed the homework schedule for this term, so please check below, this will be highlighted in your child's weekly homework sheets.

<b>Reading</b>	Please read with your child at least three times a week at home and ensure that their reading record is signed and dated. A member of staff will be checking reading diaries on a Friday.
<b>Spellings</b>	Spelling tests are every Friday, and your child will be tested on the spelling pattern and High frequency words they have learnt that week. New spellings will be sent out every Friday.
<b>Maths &amp; English</b>	Maths and English homework will be set on a Friday and will be expected to have been completed in a fortnight. Maths and English homework will be set in their CGP homework books.  The weekly homework sheet will outline which pages they should complete in their CGP book in that time.
<b>Times Tables</b>	Each child will have a Times Table Rockstars login and should be practising their tables (either on this website or in another way) three times a week at home.

#### Helping to enrich our topics

It is always great to have items or visitors that support our topic, so if anyone has any experience or items that may help us with any of this term's theme or would enhance the children's learning, please let us know!

#### **Useful Websites:**

<https://www.kiplingsociety.co.uk/>

<https://www.bluebell-railway.com/>

<https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/nature/habitats>

<https://britishwildlifecentre.co.uk/>

#### **Questions you could ask your child about their learning this term:**

- What is our County called?
- What is special about where we live?
- What is Sussex famous for?
- What are the physical features of where we live?

**Reminders** – Please can you make sure your child brings in a water bottle each day with fresh water, ensure all jumpers are labelled and bring a coat.

PE is on a Wednesday and Thursday for all children. Please send your child in wearing their PE clothes, in line with school policy. Long hair must be tied back.

**Show and Tell** – will be on a Friday afternoon.

**Forest School** - Our Forest School session this term will be on **Thursday 10th November**.

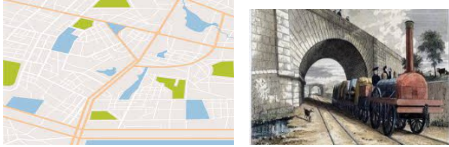









**Swimming** - Swimming will take place on the following Tuesday mornings;  
**8/11/22, 15/11/22, 22/11/22, 29/11/22.**

Children will need to arrive at Chiddingly Primary School promptly for 8.40am to ensure they are ready for the coach to leave. Children will need a swimming costume or trunks and a towel in a named plastic bag. All children will be expected to wear a swimming hat, if they do not have a swimming hat, they will be provided by Bede's. They should also have a school jumper and coat with them. Please ensure the total cost of £8.00 for these 4 sessions is paid via ParentPay.

Many thanks for your continued support,  
 Miss Taylor & Miss Benklel

## Term 2 'Where in the World are We?' Learning Map

<p><b>Literacy</b></p>	 <p><b>Just So Stories - Rudyard Kipling</b></p>	 <p><b>Developing Sentence writing</b></p>								
<p><b>Maths</b></p> 	<table border="1" data-bbox="419 1440 759 1541"> <thead> <tr> <th>Tens</th> <th>Ones</th> <th>Tenths</th> <th>Hundredths</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Place Value</b></p>	Tens	Ones	Tenths	Hundredths					 <p><b>Calculation – addition and subtraction</b></p>
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<p><b>Science</b></p> 	 <p><b>Living things and their habitats</b></p>									
<p><b>Art and DT</b></p>	 <p><b>Drawing and printing. Exploring pattern</b></p>									

<p><b>History / Geography</b></p>	 <p><b>Local Geography and Local History</b></p>		
<p><b>PSHE</b></p>		<p><b>Celebrating Difference- Jigsaw scheme of learning</b></p>	
<p><b>Computing</b></p> 	 <p><b>Online Safety and Graphing</b></p>		
<p><b>RE</b></p> 	 <p><b>Understanding Christianity</b></p>		
<p><b>French</b></p>	 <p><b>Christmas</b></p>		
<p><b>Music</b></p> 	 <p><b>The Jungle Book and Christmas Songs</b></p>		