

## Term 4 Newsletter

### 'Why do people come to London/UK?'

Dear Parents,

We hope you have had a lovely half term break! This term, our topic is 'Why do people come to London/UK?' We will be exploring many texts, including: *Varjak Paw* by SF Said and there will be many different writing opportunities linked to this text. We will read *The British Poem* by Benjamin Zephaniah and the children will explore writing a biography. We are going to continue reading *Holes* as the guided reading text as the children have really enjoyed this book.

<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. Some children in the class have a Lexia account and will be able to log-on to this at home to complete tasks. Your child may wish to do this instead of reading so please record any Lexia sessions in their reading record. 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 they have learnt about that week. New spellings will be sent out every Monday.
<b>Maths</b>	Maths homework will be set using a CGP book on a Monday and will be expected to have been completed by the Friday of that week.
<b>Times Tables</b>	Each child has 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.
<b>Grammar</b>	Grammar homework will be sent home on a Monday using a CGP book and your child will have two weeks to complete this, due in on the Friday.

#### Helping to enrich our topics







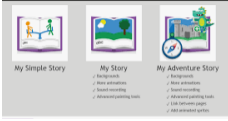





It is always great to have items or visitors that support our topic, so if anyone has any experience or items that may help us with any of the work above that we could hear about or borrow, we would love to see and hear about them.

#### 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 for any wet weather. Our PE sessions are on Tuesdays and Wednesdays and your child can wear their PE kit to school on those days.

Many thanks for your continued support,

Mr Cline, Miss Webb, Mrs Taylor and Mrs Woods.

<p><b>Literacy</b></p> 	<p><b>The British Poem</b></p> 		<p>Writing a Biography</p> 
<p><b>Maths</b></p> 	<p><b>Decimals, fractions and percentages</b></p> 	<p><math>xy</math> represents <math>x \times y</math></p> <p><math>abc</math> represents <math>a \times b \times c</math></p> <p><b>Algebra and Statistics</b></p>	<p><b>GEOMETRY</b></p> 
<p><b>DT/Art</b></p> 	<p><b>Plan and make a healthy meal</b></p> 	<p><b>Fair Trade</b></p> 	
<p><b>History</b></p>	<p><b>Why do people come to London/UK?</b></p> 		
<p><b>PSHE</b></p> 	<p><b>Healthy me</b></p> 		
<p><b>Computing</b></p> 	<p><b>Text Adventures</b></p> 		
<p><b>RE</b></p> 	<p><b>Salvation- Understanding Christianity</b></p> 		
<p><b>P.E.</b></p> 	<p><b>Tennis</b></p> 		
<p><b>Music</b></p> 	<p><b>Learning an instrument</b></p> 		
<p><b>Science</b></p> 		<p><b>Electricity</b></p> 	
<p><b>French</b></p> 	<p><b>Chez Moi</b></p>  <p>Chez Moi</p>		