

Summer 2

Welcome to Seacole class's newsletter for Summer 2. I hope you have all have a lovely break and a well deserved break. Last half term, I saw fantastic dedication to studies and brilliant academic accomplishments particularly in core subjects (Maths, English and Reading)

This half term, the children will have lots of exciting learning opportunities including a trip to Nell Bank.

Maths: In maths, we will be focusing on money, time, shape and statistics If you can offer opportunities for your children to handle coins when you are out shopping or ask them to tell you the time, these will all help to consolidate their learning in school.	DT: This term, the children will be trying out their sewing skills by creating a book cover with a fastening. Art We will be looking at modern architecture, they will be sketching and recreating key buildings.	Science: The children will be exploring magnets and forces. We will be identifying magnetic materials and exploring friction and the affect it has on moving objects. We will be working like scientists and completing lots of investigations.
History: As historians we will be exploring the 'War of the Roses'. We will look at how the civil war began and why and how it shaped history. Geography: Our geography topic will be on Asia, focusing on India and China. We will be looking at physical and human geography in these countries.	English: This half term we will be focusing on the book 'Journey' by Aaron Becker. The book has beautiful illustrations. We will be creating newspaper articles, setting descriptions, character descriptions and working on generating and punctuating speech.	Music: In music, the children will focus on Calypso music. They will be composing and performing their own piece in the style of a calypso.
PE: Our PE lessons, this half term we will focus on our fitness lessons where Mr Smith will take the children through their paces. We will be working on sending and receiving. Please can we make sure the children have their PE kits for Tuesdays and Thursdays. Forest school will also be continuing on a Tuesday afternoon.	Computing: In computing we will algorithms and what for. PSHE: In PSHE the children will be fo looking at what transition mean	

Class messages: This half term, our class' proverb comes from a famous quote by Mala Yousafzai. The quote is as follows: "Let us remember, one book, one pen, one child and one teacher can change the world"

Important dates to remember:

- 9th June Visit from the fire service 12-15th June Y4 children will be completing the multiplication check

- 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 14th June Father's Day Breakfast (8:30-8:50) 16th June PFA Father's Day Shop 21st June Parents Craft Sessions (AM/PM/After School Slots Available)
- 29th June Seacole Trip to Nell Bank
- 4th July—Parents Computing Session (After school)
- 8. 6th July—Maths Parents session after school
- 21st July -Last Day of the Summer term. 9