



Foxholes Term 6

Welcome back. Goodness the last term of Year 1! Our topic this term is called 'A Bird's Eye View'. We will be looking at maps and plans, and studying the local environment. In Science we will continue to look at plants and how they change from seeds. We will be designing and making a wheelbarrow. Please could your child bring in a small box for this smaller than a cereal box, about a child's shoe box size. Literacy will focus on developing the children's ability to write sequential narratives, punctuation and using expanded noun phrases, together with suffixes, prefixes, plural and singular work. We will use the books of Julia Donaldson and begin with 'Room on the Broom'. The children will continue to have 10 spellings a week that focus on a specific year 1 rule. I will be testing the 'blue' 100 words in the week beginning 1st July. In maths we will focus on measures, specifically money, mass and volume. I will also be revisiting areas which the children have found difficult including missing number problems, fractions, and the 4 arithmetic operations. Last term we drew and painted landscapes, we will look at the landscape work of Paul Gauguin. In computing we will be completing our digital cards and using video cameras to record making a fruit salad. In RE we will continue looking at why the Bible is important to Christians and consider the good news that Jesus. PE will focus on applying the physical skills they have acquired and preparing for Sport's Day. PE will be on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. We hope to take the children outside as often as possible so please ensure that your child has suitable kit, including trainers, in school at all times. Mrs Welch will continue to cover my PPA time on a Monday afternoon and my SEND time on a Thursday morning. She will be teaching geography and music. We also have phonics screening, in the week beginning 10th June, assessment tests and our class assembly together with preparing the children for their move to year 2, oh and reports! Goodness another busy term. Thank you for your support, please ask if you are unsure about anything.

With kind regards
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