

Thursday 16th December 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Merry Christmas! We hope you all manage to have an enjoyable and restful winter break that you all truly deserve.

Looking ahead to next term, it is undoubtedly going to be another busy and interesting one as we explore our new topics. For History next term, we will be learning all about the "Ruthless Romans". Just a date for the diary:

Friday, 13th January 2023 - Roman Dress Up Day

Key reminders:

- Please ensure that your child always brings a **water bottle** to school, that contains water. If, for any reason, they cannot drink only water then can you let us know please.
- Please ensure that children remember to keep their correct **PE kit in school for the whole week**. The kit is a house colour T-shirt, dark shorts (summer and indoor) and tracksuit bottoms (winter and outdoors), socks, trainers or daps in school for the whole week. As well as this, a jumper, coat and trainers are advisable for the colder winter months as we may be going out to do P.E come rain or shine! Children wishing to be excused from PE will need a note from home or a message on Class Dojo. **PE will be on Wednesday and Thursday**.
- Please encourage your child to read as much as possible and record this on the Boom Reader app whether it be a story, non-fiction text or a magazine. Please can your child bring in their school reading books every day so that we can read with them and keep an eye on how regularly your child is recording their reading. Children will be rewarded for reading frequently.
- Homework and spellings will be set termly. Spellings will be tested on Tuesdays. Homework will be shared and celebrated in class at the end of each term. We have high expectations of children with regards to homework and we ask that every child completes their chosen task in full and to the highest standards expected in class.

If you have any questions, concerns or children's celebrations, please continue to contact us through Class Dojo. Please be aware that we may not be able to respond to messages immediately and if they are posted during teaching hours. Please also feel free to email us via the contacts on the school website/newsletters should this be easier. We hope you have a wonderful Christmas and can't wait to see you next term!

Many thanks for your continued support,

Miss. Brown and Mr. Carter