

#### **Autumn Term 2022**

Dear Parents and Carers,

Please read on for some important dates and information about your child's learning this term. On the next page you will see an outline of the learning that the classes will be covering in the Autumn Term.

### **Meet the Teacher**

There will be an opportunity for you to meet your child's teacher in school on Thursday 14th September at 4pm.

### **Core Subjects Overview**

In **Maths** we will be learning about place value in 4-digit numbers, efficient strategies for addition and subtraction within 10000, area and multiplication and division including the 6, 7 and 9 times tables. In **English**, we will learn the skills needed to help us write descriptions, biographies, diary entries, newspaper reports and non-chronological reports. In **Science**, our topic for the first half term is States of Matter and for the second half term is Animals including humans.

#### **PE Times**

PE for all three classes will be on Tuesday and Wednesday. Your child should come to school wearing their PE kit (white top, navy bottoms and black trainers) on PE days and bear in mind that many of our PE sessions will be outside.

### **Homework and Reading**

All children should have a book bag. Reading books are changed by our librarian on **Tuesday** so please make sure books are returned by Tuesday morning each week. Homework will be sent via Google Classroom each **Friday**. This will include spellings, Times Tables Rock Stars and times tables practice. We will have an informal, low stakes spelling and times tables check in class each week so please encourage your child to practise at home. Children will also receive a project linked to their topic each term. We appreciate your support in encouraging your child to read regularly and complete their homework.

# **Sharing Assembly**

**Dunlop:** Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November **Jones:** Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October **Lovelace:** *Spring Term* 

#### **WOW Trips**

Egyptian Workshop at British Museum

Date TBC – Originally scheduled for Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September

RE Trip to West End Synagogue

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September

# Term Dates:

We break up for half term at 2:30pm on Friday 21st October. Children return to school on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November. We break up for the Christmas holiday at 2:30pm on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December.

The Millfields Mag is sent via email and text each Friday. Please read it with your child so that you can keep up to date with what is happening at school. If you have any questions about your child's learning or any aspect of school life, please e-mail info@millfields.hackney.sch.uk or contact the class teacher directly after school or via email.

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| Why is Ancient Egypt considered to be an early civilisation? |  |
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Who were the Ancient Egyptians, and why is Ancient Egypt considered to be an early civilisation?

### Science

## States of Matter

Solids, liquids and gases The Water Cycle

# Animals including humans

Digestion, teeth, food chains

#### Art

#### Drawing

Egyptian headdress self portraits

#### Sculpture

Canopic Jars

### DT

# Mechanisms

Investigate, design, plan, create, evaluate

# History

### Overview of Earliest Civilisations

Ancient Sumer; Indus Valley; Ancient Egypt; The Shang Dynasty

### Depth Study

Ancient Egypt

### PE and Games

# **Fundamentals** Ball Skills

(Class Teacher)

# Netball Handball

(Sports Coach)

# PSHE and Citizenship

Self-worth Reactions Resilience Internet Use Family Changes

### Computing

# E-Safety

Online Identity

# Animation

Scratch

### RE

How does the synagogue show what is important to Jews?

How do those who believe build a relationship with God?

### Music

Mamma Mia

Glockenspiels

Vivaldi and Mozart

# Spanish

Weather Clothes Transport Things I like to do

# Themed Weeks Maths Week

WB 19<sup>th</sup> September

# **Black History Month**

WB 3<sup>rd</sup> October Kindness Week

WB 14th November

Assessment Week

WB 27th November

### **Christmas Events**

WB 12<sup>th</sup> December

# Dress Up Days

Maths Rocks Stars

Friday 23rd September

### Show Racism the Red Card

Friday 21st October

### Odd Socks

Monday 14th November

# Pyjamas (Children in Need)

Friday 18th November

# **Christmas Jumper Day**

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December

# Other dates for your diary Individual Photo Day

Tuesday 20th September

# Trip to West End Synagogue

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September

# E-Safety Day

Thursday 29th September

### **Parents Evening**

Tuesday 15th and Wednesday 16th November

# Christmas Fair

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December