
Summer 1 Newsletter 2024

Welcome to the summer term!

We wanted to update you on a few things you may need to know this term.

Reading – Well done for all the wonderful reading you are doing at home. The children have loved getting their raffle tickets with the chance of winning a book from the book machine.

Homework – We are pleased to see that many children have continued to regularly log on to Spelling Shed and Times Tables Rockstars. These children have made good progress with learning tricky words and their times tables. Little and often is proven to be the most effective way to learn and secure these number facts and spellings. Please encourage your child to practise regularly.

Contact Details:

If at any point, you would like to speak to any of us, please email us directly.

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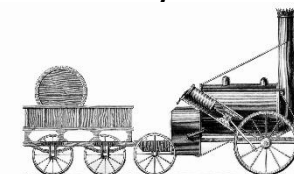
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OUR TOPICS

The coming of the railways

Life cycle of plants



PE days will be Monday and Wednesday

Children should come to school in their PE kit on both days.



It would be helpful if your child has got a pencil case with – a pencil, a rubber, a pencil sharpener, a white board pen and a glue-stick.

History

The Coming of the Railways

- How the railways changed people's lives in Pyrford in Victorian times.
- The impact on industry, people and environment.

English

- Train poetry
- Poetic devices



- Bluest of Blues
- Persuasive letter



PE

Athletics

Tennis



Computing

Word processing



Art

Water colour painting



This Half Term our Discovery learning topics are:

The coming of the railway

and

The life cycle of plants



PSHE

- **Being my best**
- Balanced diets and good hygiene
- Empathising with different points of view
- Identify achievements and areas for development



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RE

- **How does worship show what's important to Muslims?**
- The importance of prayer to Muslims
- Why Muslims like to be part of a community and the role of the mosque

Science

The life cycle of plants

- What plants need to grow
- Parts of a flowering plant
- How water is transported in plants
- Pollination, seed formation and dispersal

Maths

Shape

- 2D & 3D shapes, turns, angles and lines

Money

- Convert pounds and pence
- Add and subtract money
- Find change

Mass and capacity

- Mass in kg and g
- Capacity in l and ml



Music

3 Little Pigs
Production



Spanish

Days and months.

Asking and answering,
"Where do you live?"

