

MESSAGE FROM JORDAN DAVIES (HEAD OF PRIMARY)



Dear Parents,

Over the next couple of weeks children will be undertaking assessments in a range of subjects, including: Arabic; reading; spelling, punctuation and grammar; mathematics and Spanish. I would like to ask you all not to put pressure on your children during this time, it is detrimental to their performance and, most importantly, their mental wellbeing. Our assessments are to help us understand the support our children need - there is no pass or fail.

In school, we try to build a culture based around trying your best and that making mistakes is ok. The children are aware that if they are trying their best, that is all we can ever ask of them. Therefore, we believe that our children would naturally be at ease when completing these low-stakes assessments because they are so used to the culture we have built together.

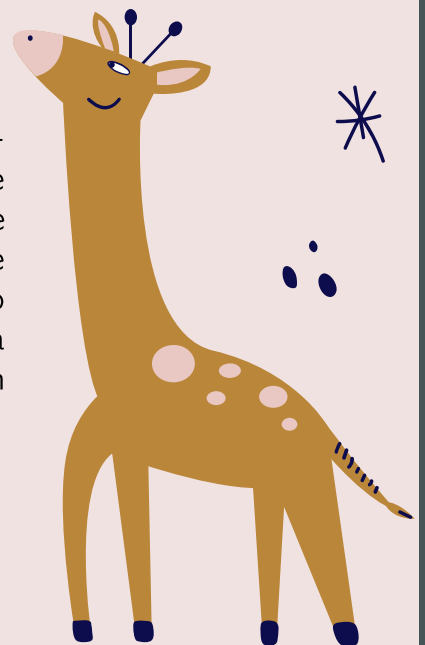
Please try to promote this mindset at home, in order to minimise our children's anxiety over the next week or two.

STEAM Week

We are delighted to announce that from Sunday 12th June - Thursday 16th June, children in PS through to Year 6 will be visited by the 'STEM Xplorers' team. They will be conducting hands-on science experiments with each of the classes, and bringing their giant Skydome for children to watch an animation. This animation will take them on a journey around the inside of a human body. This is an excellent opportunity for the school year to finish on a high.

Have a great weekend.

Jordan Davies
Head of Primary



LITERACY:

Year 1: This week we will be creating a story map and actions for the story 'Finding Fox'.

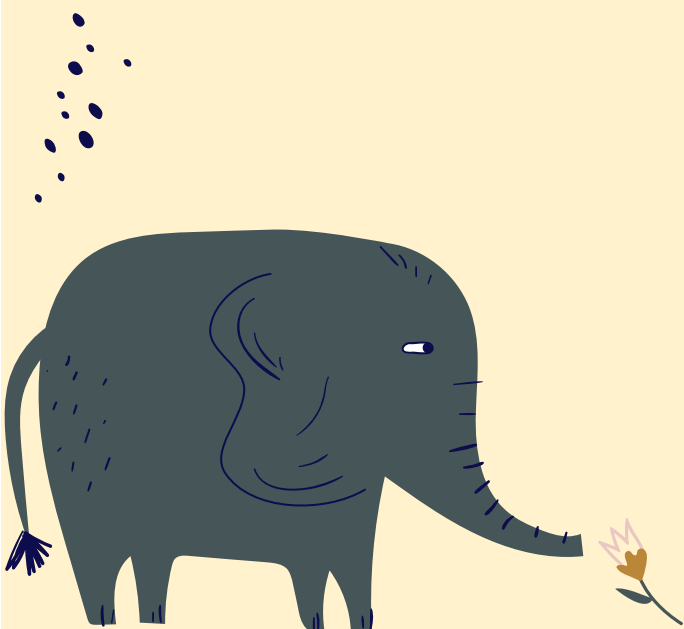
Year 2: The children will be reviewing their English work, including spelling and grammar throughout the week.

Year 3: We will continue to plan and write our own story involving a 'warning' whilst also practising punctuation and grammar skills.

Year 4: This week, children will be looking at the key features of a biography.

Year 5: This week Year 5 students are writing their survival narrative.

Year 6: Children will be analysing their vehicle text.



MATHS:

Year 1: This week we will be finding quarters of shapes and quarters of amounts.

Year 2: The children are revisiting some Maths concepts and focusing on their number work.

Year 3: We will spend some time revisiting Area, Perimeter, Angles and the different types of Triangles.

Year 4: This week, children will understand the difference between a.m. and p.m. and will be converting analogue time into digital time.

Year 5: This week we are continuing our learning about angles.

Year 6: Children will be consolidating fractions and problem solving questions.



WORD OF THE WEEK

The Ninja has chosen...

Year 1: Slithered

Year 2: Gadgets

Year 3: Cautious

Year 4: Serene

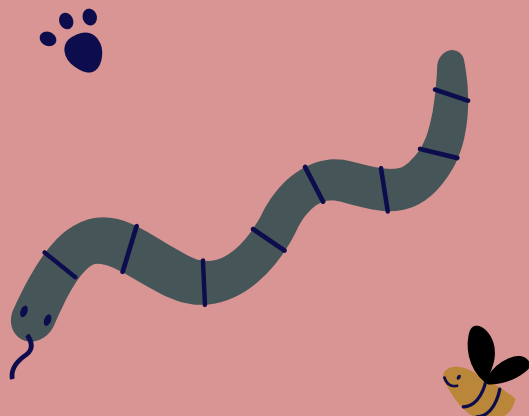
Year 5: Eviscerate

Year 6: Cautioned



ARABIC:

Please return to your children's weekly plan that is always shared on Class Dojo or Google classroom to see what they are going to do every day.



SPANISH:

Year 1: will continue to learn words to say how they feel.

Year 2: will learn to write important dates.

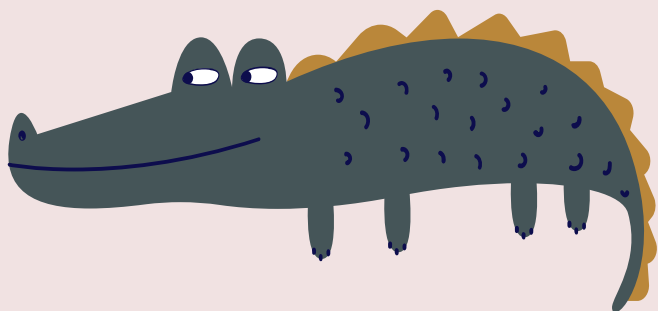
Year 3: will learn how to ask and respond to questions about how they feel.

Year 4: will begin to describe the town.

Year 5: will learn how to say how they travel depending on the destination.

Year 6: will begin to learn about the weather.





PE MESSAGE:

All year groups will need a cap and water bottle for PE Lessons. Please also apply sun screen at home before your child comes into school.

Year 1 & 2 - Gymnastics & Multi - skills

Year 3 & 4 - Handball & OAA

Year 5 & 6 - Handball OAA



LIBRARY:

A gentle reminder to return all library books in order for your child to take a new book home.

