

Welcome Back

We are very pleased to have you all back and we have already been enjoying the start of the autumn term. Grizedale class have all settled in well and are working hard across all subjects.

To help everything run smoothly each day, please be organised and ensure you have the equipment you need.

Monday:

Tuesday: PE lessons (kit required).

Wednesday: Homework to be returned.

Thursday: Swimming lessons (half term 1)

Friday: Homework sent home.

Please bring your reading book to school everyday. Aim to read for a minimum of 10 minutes every night and remember to get your reading record signed!

Home learning will be sent on a Friday night and should be returned on or before the following Wednesday. This ensures work can be marked and any misconceptions can be addressed before we move to a new topic.

If you have any questions about the topic please do not hesitate to ask!

Mr Chaffe



Our Topic for the Spring Term is:

Marvellous Me!



Autumn Term 2017

English

As readers and writers we will investigate the key features of mystery texts, learn what a biography is and how to write one, write a 'for and against' discussion and explore the poetry of kennings and cinquains.

History

As historians we will develop our understanding of the Romans. We will discover more about their empire and how this spread through the British Isles.

Computing

As computer scientists we will be learning all about search engines and how to use them safely. We will discover how to find information quickly and ways that we can research digitally.

The Romans



Mathematics

As mathematicians we will be developing our understanding of numbers to 1,000 (Y3) and 10,000 (Y4), learning and developing ways to add and subtract and beginning to focus on multiplication and division. We will continue to develop our number fluency, reasoning and problem solving.

Religious Studies

We will explore which rules we live by and what makes rules important. We will see how rules influence our faith and other faiths as well. Later in the term we will focus our study on The Bible and Christmas.

Design Technology

As designers we will research Roman buildings and then use a range of materials to design and build our own. We will pay special attention to the importance of arches in the construction of buildings.

Art

As artists we will be developing our drawing skills by looking at ways of creating shade and tone. We will look at illustrations from A.A. Milne, Quentin Blake and Shirley Hughes.

Science

As scientists we will investigate how our digestive system works. We will take a closer look at teeth, what our digestive system does and think about food chains.