



Davington Primary School

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Dear Parents

We hope you all had an enjoyable Christmas break and a well-earned rest. Term 3 has started really well with our home learning on teams and from the website and packs that are sent home. We are so pleased with all the wonderful learning that is going on at home and in school for our critical worker children, We are looking forward to the continued hard work, excellent behaviour and high achievement of all pupils in school and at home moving forward. A really big thank you to all parents and carers that are supporting their children's learning at home. We are aware that this is all a jungling act for everyone.

Topics for the Term

Please see the attached sheet for a summary curriculum topic map of what will be covered over the next two terms. Notice we are introducing a new enquiry based learning project each term – these are designed to engage the children with memorable experiences, innovating challenges, along with opportunities to investigate and to read texts that relate to the area of enquiry.

Just a reminder:

T-Team Cubs: 10, 2 and 5 times tables

T-Team Cadets: 10, 2, 5, 3 and 4 times tables

T-Team: All tables up to 12x12

The children have been provided with their TT Rockstar usernames and passwords so that they can access the website at home. This could be used alongside 'Hit the Button' to practise their timetables at home. You can also access Accelerated reader from home so please continue to do your quizzes. Please contact the office if you need your logins.

PE

For those children in scholl

Your child will have an outdoor Games lesson and a PE/Hall session each week this term. The sessions will be as follows:

- Outdoor Games- Thursday
- Indoor Games- Tuesday
- Please ensure your child's PE kit is in a suitable bag and labelled clearly with their full name and class.

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Please remember that our school games kit is our Davington blue shorts and top for indoor PE and long blue/black joggers and warm top for outdoor Games. Your child will also need a pair of trainers for outside Games sessions.

Homework:

Our homework spellings will continue to be sent home on a Wednesday and returned on a Wednesday when we also have our Spelling Test.

Please can you work with your child to practise their spellings.

Reading

We ask the children who are in school to bring their reading book and reading record to school every day. They should be reading at least three times per week for around 10 minutes but daily is even better! Please make sure you record when you have heard them read in their reading record book so that they can get their Reading Rewards. If your child reads three times in a week they get a stamp and 6 stamps means they get a bronze book mark, 12 is a silver book mark and 18 is gold!

Water

It is important that children drink plenty of water throughout the day. In order to do this, children need a **named** water bottle that they can use during the day. Please make sure this does not leak and has a 'sports top' lid. These can be bought in the school office. The children are strongly encouraged to drink water, not squash.

Break Time Snacks

There is no fruit café at this time so please can the children be given a piece of fruit for a break time snack?

Yours sincerely,

Ms Preston and Miss Reynolds
Year 3 teachers



