



Class MM Summer 1 Newsletter

This Half Term

Welcome back after the Easter break and to the onset of hopefully much warmer weather, as we begin our summer term. I hope you all had a fabulous Easter and were able to spend some quality time with your families.

At the end of last term, Class MM invited parents in; as an opportunity for children to share some of their learning with their parents. Adults were asked to complete a quiz and also sample some of the delights that the children had made at home; including homemade toffee, chicken soup and Victorian Sponge. Thank you to all of the parents that attended; it was very encouraging both for the children and also in supporting the school. We hope to invite parents in again, before the end of the Summer term, for a similar experience.

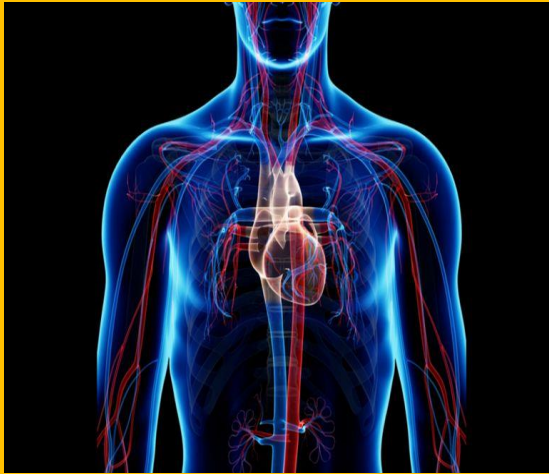
This half term, the teaching in the mornings will be conducted in a slightly different way. Years 6 will be taught by predominately Miss Morys and also Mrs Reaney. Year 5s will be taught, in Class MM, by Miss Cooper. This is not for the whole morning and is designed to build childrens' confidence, in preparation for the SATs in May. It is also a valuable time for the Year 4s to spend time with the Year 5s, in one learning environment.

We will begin our new topic this half term entitled- Blood Heart, which is a Science based topic. Any items at home that link with the circulatory system, would be very useful to bring in, to help support our topic content; models of hearts and anatomy books.

Thank you for your continuing support, I look forward to seeing you in school.

Kind regards,

Miss Morys



A Little About Our Topic

Blood Heart

Crimson, scarlet, burgundy, cherry....blood flows through our bodies in all its vibrant shades of red. Let's explore our circulatory system! Now surgeons, don't be squeamish as we dissect an animal heart and examine the veins, arteries and chambers up close. They all work hard to move blood around our bodies.

William Harvey was fascinated with anatomy and made groundbreaking discoveries about valves. I wonder what we might uncover?

Lets check out blood groups within our class. Why do people give blood? What makes your heart race? How can we prevent things going wrong with our heart?

Let's get our hearts racing, pounding and fluttering and skip into our new topic.....



Don't Forget...

Spelling tests every Friday

MyMaths due in Fridays

Swimming - Year 5 Fridays

Important Dates

Shakespeare Parade - Saturday, 21st
March

SATS - W/C - 14th May

End of half term - Friday, 25th May



Special Events/Achievements/News

During the holidays it appears that some of the children have put their brave hats on and overcome some of their fears. A special mention to Woody MacFarlane for conquering his fear of heights by completing a course on 'Go Ape', at the Forest of Dean. A few children also overcame their fear of going on big fairground rides; Niamh Hillard in Florida and Euan Blatcher in Dubai. Well done children 😊

This coming Saturday, some of the children will be representing the school, in the Shakespeare Parade, by partaking in country dancing. Good luck to them and let's hope the weather is still warm.

Final Note

As the weather appears to be improving, can you please ensure that children have adequate sun protection on at the start of the day. Also they will need a water bottle within school every day, so that they can stay hydrated.

Also a gentle reminder that many children are still not completing French homework for Madame Glaze, which is due in on Mondays. If you could encourage your children to complete this, that would be fantastic.

The new learning log will be out this week. A big well done for the Victorian themed learning logs. The results were amazing; especially the delightful home cooked goodies.

If you have any queries or questions about anything, then please don't hesitate to contact me.



Enjoy the summer half term.

Miss Morys

