














	Teacher's Message	<p>Well what an end to Summer 1! The children performed well in SATS and enjoyed being Special Agents in Training! I am pleased with their determination and hard work.</p> <p>We have a busy half term with different days, events and activities - as well as the usual hard work which I am sure the children will enjoy.</p> <p>Last term of year 2 which is sad in some ways but the pride I feel for these children will stay with me forever.</p>
	Homework	<p><u>Set on Google Classroom every Friday:</u></p> <p>Spellings: I will post spellings on Google Classroom and link to Dojo. This will be in the same format as last term and we will work towards the spelling test I will do on the following Friday.</p> <p>Literacy: Reading - please continue to read AR books and phonic books coming home (15minutes a day).</p> <p>Maths:I will add new learning on IXL.</p>
	Reading for Pleasure	<p>We will continue to read our books from the library about journeys and adventures. We have some double copies so the children have enjoyed pairing up and reading the same book together.</p>
	Reading	<p>We now use Talk Through Stories where the children have a book a week to listen, enjoy and use the VIPERS skills in different activities. They really are enjoying this scheme as they know what the focus is on each day.</p> 
	Writing	<p>We will be starting the term with a short burst of recount writing. This will be about their half term and the theatre trip. We will then start a sequence on 'Traction Man' which is a great text and will engage all the children. I will pop on Dojo what I would like the children to do as a hook for this sequence.</p>
	Maths	<p>I have looked at what the children need to strengthen their year 2 skills and any gaps and have seen we need to look at more division and fraction work. We will keep practising basic skills and number facts too.</p>
	RE	<p>We are using the Come and See programme and our topic is 'Reconciliation - 'Rules'' where the children will make the link with the rules in everyday life and rules to live by which make us good people.</p>

	Science	This term we are continuing looking at habitats and food chains. The children will get to make their own - I know some had a go in the half term but anyone who didn't will get a chance too.
	History	Not a lead subject this term
	Geography	We will be looking at our local area and using map skills to revisit the learning over the time in Key Stage 1. We will be asking Why do people live near the sea?
	Art	We will continue with 'Fossils' but try other techniques to draw, paint or make. We will then have a celebration of learning by choosing our favourite technique and producing some art based on our own creativity and ideas.
	Design Technology	Not a lead subject this term
	RSHE	We will be following the 'Life to the Full' programme using their resources on keeping safe.
	PE	Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon learning the skills required for Athletics and Cricket
	Music	Not a lead subject this term.
	Computing	Online safety and programming activities.
	Forest School	Monday mornings - map skills, habitats and lots of fun!



Upcoming dates/events

Monday 6th June	Non Pupil Day
Wednesday 8th June	World Oceans Day - Our Eco Rangers will be communicating some exciting plans for this day to raise our awareness of climate change on our oceans.
Thursday 9th June	Year 1 and 2 Trip to Princess Theatre to see Dinosaur Live
7th-10th June	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

	Year 1 Phonics Check
Friday 10th June	Year 6 are running a Jubilee Street Party - more details to follow. (Please reserve the date)
Thursday 16th June	Friends Father's Day Gift Shop
Fridays from 17th June	Lawn tennis coaching for Year 3
17th June	Year 5 and 6 cake sale
Saturday 11th June from 11am	Ground Force Day
22nd June	Sports Day
23rd June 5:30pm	Final heat of the Key Stage 2, Teignmouth Rotary Club, 'Junior Speaks' competition
Friday 24th June	St Aloysius Day £1 donation to wear yellow, blue and white for the Catholic Children's Society

27th June - 1st July	Year 6 residential trip to Simonsbath
28th June 7pm	Charity Bingo Night in aid of OLSP Friends @ Teignmouth Social Club,
Thursday 7th July pm	We will be inviting children to meet their teacher for September this afternoon.
11th, 12th, 13th July	OLSP has talent
Tuesday and Wednesday 19th & 20th July	Year 6 transition days to TCS Moving Up Day in school



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Please note that teachers are teaching from 8.30am - 3.15pm. If your contact is urgent please contact the school office office@olsp.uk during the school day.

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