



Green Class Letter

Spring 2 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you all enjoyed the half-term holiday.

In class

This term, we have **Mrs Lloyd, Mrs Ryan** as our Teaching Assistants and **Mrs Noonan on Fridays. In addition, Mr Smith will be covering P.E. and Miss Diamant and Mrs Rogers will be covering my release time.**

Curriculum

Please see the planning documents on the Morden Primary website for information on our wider curriculum learning journey over the Spring Term.

Reading

Reading should be done daily at home. All reading books and diaries **must be** in every Monday and throughout the week, so that we can sign them when we read with your child.

If I can keep emphasising one message with you, it is the importance of reading.

Benefits of reading for 20 minutes at least 5 times a week*

1. Reading extends and improves vocabulary.
2. Reading makes all subjects easier to access (questions in maths, research in history, etc).

Science

Our Topic this half-term continues to be 'Living Things and Their Habitats'. We will be exploring the natural world learning about a range of different creatures both on land and at sea.

We will be linking this with our writing, creating nature poems with an outdoor learning focus.

Topic

Our **History** topic this term will be **Famous Explorers**. This is an exploration of diverse individuals throughout history who have looked towards the horizon and even reached for the stars!

Home Learning

CGP Books continue to be used for both the Mathematics and Literacy. These will be sent home on a **Thursday** and must be returned to school the following **Monday**. Home Learning will be marked together in class on Tuesday.

Please do support your child in completing home learning activities and making sure they are handed in on time.

There will also be a half-termly project linked to a wider curriculum subject – this term it is explorers themed to match our history learning and taken from ideas suggested by the children.

PE

Our PE days are **Wednesday** and **Thursday**. Please make sure your child wears their PE kit and team t-shirt.

Thanks in advance for supporting your child with this.



I hope we all have a fantastic term of learning.

Mrs Danaher

P.S., please make sure your child is in school on time and brings in a water bottle. Thanks!



