# **CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER**



Welcome to the Spring 2 edition of the curriculum newsletter. You will find lots of information about your child's learning.

Our current learning journey will focus on how we can become **curious** young people, exploring Europe in Geography and digestion in Science.

#### Stay and World Book Day

Come along and join us on the 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024 9am – 10am, to celebrate World Book Day. In our classrooms, there will be a selection of book related crafts to take part in with your child. Get your child to bring along their favourite story to share with you too.

#### Stay and Digest!

**Project Homework** 

Enjoy a morning of Science fun in the KS2 hall with your child as they embark on a digestion science experiment to see how food is transported throughout our bodies.

Our homework will be project based this year. Your child will bring home a

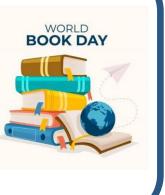
encourage your child to research and access homework for their own learning

style. Your child will be expected to hand in **at least one** homework project every

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'Homework Menu' with information about possible projects. The aim is to

half term. Please see the Homework Menu for more details.



### **Times Table Rockstars**

This year, your child will take part in the Government Times Table Multiplication check in the Summer Term. This is a national times table test that analyses your child's speed and understanding of their multiplication skills. To gear up for this, your child should be accessing their Times Table Rockstars regularly at home. There will be many competitions to look out for as the children ready themselves to be able to answer all their times tables.



#### **Spelling Shed**

Please ensure that your child is regularly logging into Spelling Shed to complete their weekly home learning. This log in is located in your child's planner. Your children will be challenged to access Spelling games to practise their knowledge and build their understanding of spelling rules.





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# HOMEWORK MENU

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This half term we would like you to complete the following learning projects at home:

### **European Cities**

Research a city located in Europe and create a fact file based on this place. You could include key information such as population, climate and popular landmarks and culture.



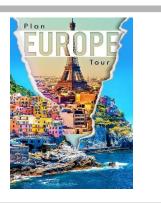
# Disgusting digestion!

What is the journey that food takes in your body? Can you create a labelled diagram or model of the human digestive system?



## Jet off to Europe!

Create a holiday brochure advertising a European country. You could even research hotels and famous food to eat from that country and feature them inside your brochure.



The choice of task is yours, choose wisely and we look forward to seeing your projects. If you need any help or advice on your project just ask. It might be a good idea to ask your grown up to help you as well.

