



# HOATH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers of Class 2

We hope you had a wonderful Easter break and welcome you back to Term 5. Our summer term is looking very busy in Class 2 so we would like to give you an update on our topics and learning for the next two terms.

Our Topics will be:

**Term 5:** *Explorers*

**Term 6:** *Beside the Seaside*

It would be great if you could support your child's learning at home by researching together, reading, chatting about the Geography or History or watching any documentaries/ relevant films.

During the next two terms we will be focusing on:

English: Narratives, Fact Files, Letters

Maths: Fractions Time and Measurement

Science: Looking After Plants

Topic: *Explorers* allows children to explore what makes someone significant through the lives of explorers like Ibn Battuta, Matthew Henson, Felicity Aston, and Neil Armstrong, while reflecting on how and why we remember people over time.

*Beside the Seaside* introduces children to UK seaside geography, comparing resorts to their locality and exploring changes over time. They'll build vocabulary and skills through maps, fieldwork, and inquiry.

Art/ DT: creating maps through various art forms. Colour mixing applying it through painting and printing.

RE: Who is Muslim and how do they live? What makes some places sacred to believers?

Computing: Skills showcase and an introduction to Data Handling

PSHE: Economic wellbeing and transition

P.E: Gymnastics and track and field

Term 6 – Forest and Beach School

We would welcome any information, books, artefacts and/ or pictures relating to these topics.





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## **Reminders**

### *Home Learning*

Home learning is to be completed weekly and given in by Wednesday and returned to you on Friday. Please pick two boxes per week. Spellings will also be sent home with the home learning; these will include the sounds, or spelling rules they have learnt in school.

### *Reading*

Please continue reading to and hearing your child read frequently (4/5 times per week and signed in their reading record). Each mark earns your child a chance at getting something from our star box.

### *Phonics Screening*

The phonics screening check for Year 1 pupils in England is scheduled to take place during the week beginning Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2025. This check assesses how well children have learned to decode words using their phonics knowledge. Schools have a one – week window to administer the check.

The children have already completed practice checks in class.

### *Water Bottles*

Please ensure that your child is sent to school with a water bottle each day, we have various breaks to ensure that they are drinking enough, especially as the weather gets warmer.

Thank you for your support and please continue to help and support your child.

If you have any questions, please send a Dojo message or pop in to school.

Many Thanks

Miss Lupton, Mrs Icke and Mrs Marshall

