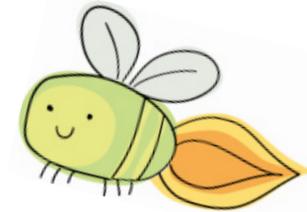


# Buxton Primary School

## Fireflies Class

### Targets and topic information

Summer 2018



Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

Welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful Easter break. The final SATS clubs will be on Mondays 23<sup>rd</sup> April and 30<sup>th</sup> April. Testing week is 14<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> May. All children must attend school these mornings, if you have any concerns to do with SATS, please do come and speak to myself or Mr Khan. I know many parents are wanting to prepare the children with SATS practice. Therefore, here are some useful websites you may want to refer to:

<http://www.swaffield.wandsworth.sch.uk/beta-site/> click on 'learning' tab and then Year 6 and 'revision'. There are lots and lots of practise papers for all areas on this site.

[www.thirdspacelearning.com/free-resources](http://www.thirdspacelearning.com/free-resources) (lots of maths practice papers – you need to register your email to gain access to them)

[www.emaths.co.uk](http://www.emaths.co.uk) (maths practice papers)

To support with other learning areas, here are some ideas:

Read with your child at home and discuss the thoughts of the characters and the author's decision to include different events and language. Help with homework and spellings that are sent home. Please ensure your child has their homework diary and reading book in school every day.

Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school every day (as timetables change with the weather!) and that all items are labelled and clean. PE days are Monday and Friday. Please could you also ensure your child has their hair tied back if long and earrings/jewellery removed on these days. Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school.

Please find enclosed the topic web for this term. I hope this provides some insight into what the children will be learning.

Your child will continue to be given literacy and maths homework books which will be sent home on Fridays highlighted with the relevant page to complete related to their learning in class that week. These will need to be returned the following Wednesday.



In addition to this your child will receive spellings from the Y3/4 and Y5/6 curriculum that will be tested, this is in order to aid writing assessment which is reported to the local authority.

Please remember to provide your child with suitable clothing for the weather - hats are essential if we wish to take learning outside in the sunshine. Sun cream is highly recommended (make sure these are labelled clearly) as outdoor lessons happen frequently on our rare sunny days!

I'm looking forward to another exciting term with a super class of learners! Please feel free to come and see me for any queries. On a Wednesday after school until 3:30 (along with all other classes) I will be available in our classroom. Thank you, Mrs Stops.



**Your child has their individual targets in subject books.**

**The class has a focus target for each subject, details of these are below:**

#### **Numeracy:**

Times tables focus: To calculate with decimals following written methods and use inverse to check answers.

#### **Literacy – Writing:**

Sentence focus: To identify differences between grammar terms and be able to attribute vocabulary to different word types.

#### **Literacy – Reading:**

To explain own inferences and author choices referring to the text.

