

Welcome Back

Welcome back to a new term at Cottingham. I hope you have had a lovely and restful Easter holidays and are raring to go again. I want to say a big well done to all the children in Oak class. You worked so hard for the last three weeks of spring term and settled back into school life really well after a long time of remote learning!

It has been a joy to see all of the children sat at their desks and engaging in their learning with smiles on their faces. Oak, along with all of the classes, will be continuing to catch up on any gaps identified in the children's learning. In the meantime if you have any questions or queries please don't hesitate to contact me through my school email.



Class: Oak

Term: 5



Collective Worship

Collective worship will take place this year on a Tuesday and a Wednesday, with our celebration worship taking place on a Friday as always. We will also have class worship on a Monday and a Thursday. Due to restrictions that are in place this year, for the time being, we will not be able to gather together to take part in worship however we will be leading worship remotely, so that all classes can take part. Please click on the following document to see details of themes for this term. http://www.cottinghamprimary.co.uk/Content/documents/ChristianValues/collective_worship_planner_aut_2020_21_.pdf

Homework

This year in Oak, maths homework will continue to set via MyMaths every Friday, to be completed by the following Friday. Children should also be reading on a daily basis. Termly spellings will be sent home shortly. These are organised into weeks however please review these frequently ready for our spelling bee at the end of the term.



PE days

This term, PE in Oak will take place on a Tuesday and Friday afternoon. Children will be allowed to come to school in their PE kits on these two days.



Significant person

This term we will continue to spend time learning about a significant person. This is a person who has had a strong impact on our way of life or culture and that we think would be important for the children to know about. For our fourth person this year, we have chosen William Shakespeare, who is one of the most famous play writers in the world



Quest:

For our new learning quest this term we will be looking at the Tudors. We will be discovering what it was like to be rich and poor in Tudor times and looking into the life of Henry VIII.

Teams

Although we are back in the classroom, Teams will still be used as an online platform where documents will be uploaded for you to access.

Homework ideas

As always, we are sharing a range of ideas for you to support the children with their learning quest work at home. Our quest will be about The Tudors. To support your child at home you might like to research about The Tudors and how they used to live. Children could also research about Henry the 8th and his six wives.

We will also be looking at William Shakespeare. Your child could begin to look at who these important people are, find out why they are important and what impact they had on Britain.

