

## Blue Class

2019/2020—Spring Term



Remember to join us on ClassDojo to see what is happening in our classroom.

Happy New Year! We hope you have had a lovely break and have enjoyed the festivities.

This term, children will receive revision and practice textbooks in preparation for their SATs. These will be used in class, as well as for some homework, so please can you encourage your child to bring them each day. Children should also have their planner, PE kit and water bottle in school each day.

Below you will find some information to help you know what your child will be covering throughout this term.

### Spring Term Areas of Study

English — English covers a wide range of genres. We will start by studying the text 'Skellig' by David Almond.

Maths — Fractions, percentages and decimals. Position and direction. Algebra.

Arithmetic practice daily.

Science — Evolution and Inheritance (1) Animals including Humans (2)

Geography — Our Local Area (including Art — 'Cityscapes')

History — Medicine and Disease

RE — What matters most to Christians and Humanists? (1) Easter (2)

PE — Sport with our Tameside sports coach, gym, dance.

German — Continuing following the adventures of 'Felix und Franzi' and meeting 'Karla und

### Homework

Spellings— Each week your child will bring home words from the year 5 and 6 spelling list and a range of spelling patterns. These will be tested each Friday.

Reading— children should be reading at home each night. Please try to listen to your child read, however good they may seem. Discuss the text with your child to check they understand what they are reading.

Maths/Grammar— each week your child will bring home some maths and/or grammar work to practice things we are covering in class. Children are also asked to use TTRockstars to practice their times tables.

Topic— Carry out own research on any of our topic areas and produce a presentation to show the class. This could be a poster, powerpoint, fact file, a booklet—the child's own choice.

All Homework completed earns Class Dojo points.