



Seedlings Newsletter Term 4



Welcome Back

Term 3 passed so quickly; we had a very exciting time learning about Pirates. Our WOW Day was a great success, we learnt to talk like a pirate, use a pirate code to create our pirate names, choose a pirate job, found and hid treasure, creating imaginative treasure maps and counting treasure. We learnt pirate dances and sang and danced to Port Side Pirates. We ended the day with walking the plank! Thank you for participating with the dressing up to get into character, it created a fun atmosphere for learning.

Please take some time to look at the class page:

<https://www.sedleys.kent.sch.uk/seedlings/>

We introduced Spelling Shed, a fun and interactive way to learn to spell and the children have become very competitive with their points. Their log in is on the inside cover of their contact books with their TTRS log in. Please also remember to use the links on the class page for phonics games. Contact books and reading books need to be in school every day.

Term 4 Topic – Roar with a Dinosaur!

What an exciting topic to motivate the children to read, write, learn maths and history!

PE will be staying on Monday and Wednesday – come to school in PE clothes and sports shoes.

Week Commencing 27th February is Take One Book Week – we will be learning to read, perform and write poetry.

Seedlings Class Worship is on Friday 24th March at 9am in the school hall – parents welcome.

English – We will share a range of fiction and non-fiction books with exciting stories about dinosaurs to motivate reading and writing. We will continue to learn and apply phonics and improve our knowledge and understanding of grammar. We will write reports about dinosaurs and create dinosaur poems.



Maths – Will include addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, place value, length, height, mass, volume, capacity, and temperature.



Science – Seasonal Changes – Exploring spring including features of plants, growing, flowering, wildflowers, and trees.

Art – Using the medium of clay – we will be creating our very own dinosaur fossils and dinosaur sculptures.

Religious Education – Salvation
We will be discussing and thinking about the Easter Story and why does Easter matter to Christians.



Home Learning – This includes a selection of different activities to support learning in class. Please share with your child and they can then choose, and we will share these in class. Please note, sharing is very popular so this term sharing time will be for home learning only.

History – Mary Anning

What happened to the dinosaurs?

Who was Mary Anning?

What did she do in her life?

What helped her succeed?

Why should she be remembered?

This will include learning about fossils and dinosaur identification.



Any questions? We are always happy to help.