

Term 3 Curriculum

Our topic this term is 'The Med'. The children will learn about the countries that make up The Mediterranean. They will look at different native foods, cultures, physical and human geography as well as exploring the work of different artists. They will compare and contrast The Mediterranean with their local environment. Topic will be taught through English and separate topic sessions. If you or anyone you know has a particular interest in or experience of living in a Mediterranean country we'd love to hear from you, so that you might be able to share this with the class.

In science lessons we will be studying Forces and Magnets. In Maths we will be continuing our work with multiplication and division as well as looking at measurement; length, perimeter and area.

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We have had a fantastic Term 2 with our Chocolate Apprentice topic. The children thoroughly enjoyed the Ministry of Chocolate visit and various other activities such as Christmas art activities, tree planting and debates on topics such as whether we should wear school uniforms. As enjoyable as all the fun was, it was a tiring term, so we hope you have all had a restful break with lots of relaxing and spending time together!

Communication and contact

If you have any worries or concerns regarding your child at any point this year, please approach us as soon as possible. Please contact us via our email addresses:

cpaynter@stmichaelspri.co.uk and
lsipson@stmichaelspri.co.uk

We will endeavour to respond to any emails as quickly as possible, however if you have any urgent issues or concerns, please contact the school office so they can let us know as soon as possible.

Homework

As last term, the children will not be given a set piece of homework each week. We will continue to provide a list of suitable homework activities at the start of each topic which are completely optional.

Spellings

We will continue to work on spelling in class daily, however we will not be sending home a list of spellings to practice at home each week.

We will keep you informed regarding your child's progress in this important area of the curriculum throughout the year. Please let us know if you have any questions.

PE and kit

Elm class continues to have PE on Wednesdays and Fridays. It has been a great help to have the children to come to school wearing their PE kit on the days that they have their PE lessons

As the weather continues to cold and predominantly wet, jogging bottoms and a warm top or tracksuit will also be needed. Where possible, the children will keep up with the daily run, walk or jog for 1 mile. With the wet weather, it is essential the children keep a pair of suitable outdoor trainers in school to wear for PE or their 'daily mile' at all times.