

## Welcome back to Paddington Class Summer Term 2

Welcome back to our final term of the academic year, we can't quite believe we are at Summer 2! We hope you had a lovely half term break and are now ready for a brand new term in Paddington with all the fun and learning it brings.

Our new Topic is **Out of This World! - What is out there?** We are learning all about space and the solar system. I can already see that Paddington class are curious and are embracing this new learning.

Our focus value for the term is **Courage**.

Please find important information below to help settle back into the term

PE days - Tuesdays, as before half term children in Reception are changing in school and really showcasing their independent skills.

**Outdoor Learning - Forest Friday**, we endeavour to go to our beautiful woodland area every Friday morning.

Now the weather is warmer and children are wearing shorts and dresses could you please add a pair of joggers or leggings for children on Fridays just to protect little legs as we venture to the woods. Thank you.

Please can children bring a coat every day as our weather can be so changeable, whatever the season. Sun hats and suncream (to be applied before school please) will be needed soon too.

Home work arrangements - Sharing a love of reading through our library books. For Reception children we will continue to send reading books home. Please encourage children to 'Fred talk, read the words'. Reception children also have access to Numbots, hopefully you are still enjoying this at home too. The children are going to be having it as a morning activity 2 days a week too.

Library book changing day - Fridays. (For Nursery children who do not attend on Friday afternoons, books will be changed earlier in the week).

Please take some time to read the topic overview for this half term for Paddington Class.

We continue to add observations and weekly memos to Tapestry, we would really appreciate a 'like' to acknowledge you are seeing these.

If your child would like to share any achievements or even new pets with us and their friends, please feel free to add photographs on Tapestry too. The children love seeing their photos on our 'big screen'!

If you have any concerns or questions, please don't hesitate to contact us,

Paddington Team

