




### The Team

- Mr Goddard - Class Teacher
- Mrs Rhodes - SEN Leader
- Mr Fay - Special Needs Assistant
- *And 32 eight and nine year-olds!*

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### Organisation

- Tends to be mixed ability, with opportunities for self-selection
- Flexible
- Lots of collaborative work
- Changing places weekly
- Less sitting on the floor...

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### Some highlights this term

- *Hampshire 'Recovery Curriculum' in English*
- *White Rose Maths*
- *Geography - Water*
- *Science - Human Digestive System*

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### Longer Term...

- Anglo-Saxons and Vikings
- Circuits, Forces, Sound, Food chains
- Scandinavia
- Gordon Brown Centre

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### Expectations

- Growing independence and responsibility
- Respecting the rights of others
- Taking a greater lead in their own learning
- Open/growth mindset...

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## HOMWORK

- Regular reading (x5 weekly: please complete Home School Record daily)
- Spellings, tables, number bonds
- Seesaw - weekly English and Maths tasks - up to about 25 minutes maximum - usually about a week turn-around

*Key is to practise, enrich and consolidate class-based activities*



## Homework - how you can help

- Quiet place to complete tasks
- Encourage good habits - do it straightaway!
- Support but don't do it
- Stop after allotted time
- Contact us in event of a problem



## Equipment

- Get ready the evening before...
- Book bags - reading book, library book and HSR book only at present
- Rigid plastic lunch boxes
- School lunches - children choose every morning themselves



## BEHAVIOUR CODE

- As per school policy - rewards and sanctions - *consistency*
- Agreeing a class Code of Conduct

*Based on rights and responsibilities; important that all 'own' the C of C*



## Visits and Visitors

- Residential in Summer Term
- Various visits to Church
- Looking at new opportunities year on year
- Details by e-mail; any costings clearly communicated
- Drivers and helpers needed, please!



## Helpers and volunteers

*Not at present due to COVID restrictions, but, hopefully...*

- Working with readers - regular basis
- Special skills
- One-off...
- Training and safeguarding



## PE

- Monday am and Wednesday pm
- PE Kit in school at all times - half term for washing (or as required!)
- Indoors - shorts and t-shirt
- Outdoors - shorts/t-shirt and/or tracksuit
- *Correctly fitting footwear*
- *Please name everything clearly*



## Communication

- Please contact me initially regarding queries and concerns
- In addition to formal meetings - don't wait!
- Drop me a note - HSR
- E-mail via [adminoffice@bentley.hants.sch.uk](mailto:adminoffice@bentley.hants.sch.uk)



## Communication - 2

- Really important to keep in touch - partnership is key
- Share concerns
- Please let me know of achievements and events out of school, as well as clubs etc. attended (Clubs letter)



## End of the Day

- Hand-over to the right parent/carers
- Club children go to activities directly
- Please inform us of any changes - especially if your child is going home with someone else!
- Written notification for walking alone, please



## And Finally...

- A busy and exciting year ahead
- We all want the best for every child
- Here to help
- Keep in touch

*...and thanks for your support*

