



Somerford Primary School

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Friday 11th June 2021

Dear Parents

Welcome back, we hope you all had a wonderful holiday and we are looking forward to a fun packed half term!

Topic

This half term our topic is called '**Feels like home, Refugees and Immigration**'. We will be exploring how immigrants were used and treated when they arrived in this country aboard the Empire Windrush. In Design and technology, we will be visiting the school kitchen to prepare a healthy meal, we will be weighing ingredients and learning how to follow a recipe accurately. In science we will be exploring the famous Scientist Garrett Morgan and using our school grounds for environmental work. In RE we are learning to understand how important going to church is to Christian. In computing we will be experimenting with different software to make our own programs and in music we will continue with our brilliant samba lessons.

Well being

As always in class, we will focus on mindfulness and positive thinking. In Jigsaw we will be looking at the 'Changing Me' topic. This will focus on learning about body changes, puberty and what the children are looking forward to in year 5.

PE

Outdoor PE this term will still be on a Monday and Indoor PE (gymnastics) will stay on a Thursday. As the weather is getting warmer please can you ensure the children bring in an extra drink on the day and a sun hat (if possible).

Homework:

Finally, can we remind you to continue to hear your child read at least 3 times a week and sign their Home School Book (in line with the Home Learning Policy). Please can you continue to encourage your child to practise their times tables on Times Tables Rock Stars (as the expectation by the end of year 4 is the children know all their times tables to 12) and completing their Spellzone tasks.

Key dates for this term:

Friday 11th June – School photographer (whole class photograph.)

Friday 11th June- Queen's birthday tea party

Thursday 29th Samba continues in the school hall.

Monday 5th July- Sports week.

Wednesday 7th July- Sports Day KS2

Friday 9th July- Race for life.

Wednesday 21st July LAST DAY OF TERM: 1:30 FINISH

As ever, should you have any concerns or questions please speak to your child's class teacher.

Many thanks for your continued support.
Yours sincerely,

Mrs Gaines and Mrs Whitehead

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