HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY



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Year 3/4 Summer Term 2 2011

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Seasides.

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:

- Finding out about the locations and types of British beaches
- Finding out about the locations and types of World beaches
- Tracing the tradition of British seaside holidays and looking at the changes across the decades
- Designing and making our own sandcastles, windbreaks, deckchairs, sunhats, sunglasses and sand art
- Writing scripts for and making our own 'Punch and Judy' style puppets and shows
- Investigating how seasides are formed
- Investigating seaside habitats

Your child needs your help and involvement! Please get involved by:

- Taking your child to the library & get books and resources about the topic
- Helping your child to use the internet to find out about traditional British seaside holidays and seaside habitats
- Find photographs, postcards and souvenirs of family seaside holidays that your child can bring in to school

What does your child know about the seaside?

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be will be learning about 'Becoming a grown-up'.

SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of <u>Changes</u>.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a <u>daily</u> basis and be sure to update their reading record for them.

MONDAY	
TUESDAY	
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	Homework in
FRIDAY	Homework will be given out

* Please note, homework subject and day may change

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
Monday after school	Skills 7 Soccer
Tuesdays 3.15-3.45	KS2 Games Library
Tuesdays after school	Credit Union
Wednesday after school	Street Soccer
Thursday after school	Tag Rugby

Forthcoming Events

Sculpture Exhibition	Friday 10 th June
Father's Day Present Room	Monday 13th June
Money Week	27 th June – 1 st July
Sports Day	Tuesday 28 th June
Family fun day	Sunday 3 rd July
Open Evening	Tuesday 12 th July
End of term	Friday 22 nd July