

Welcome to Emerald Class



Welcome to Emerald Class, we hope that you have had a lovely summer holiday and are enjoying the start to the new term.

This term, I will be the main class teacher and will be with the children for the vast majority of the week. However, there are times when I am out of class (Tuesdays and Thursday afternoons) when the children will be taught by Mrs Pollitt and Mrs Elliott.

Emerald Class will be supported by Mrs Wadsworth in the mornings and Mrs Dawson for some of the afternoons.

Throughout the year, if you feel you have any worries or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us at school either by phone or email (see details below).

I am really looking forward to making this a successful year and being able to teach your children again!



Reading

Please ensure that you read regularly with your child at home and that you sign their reading record. Ideally, children should be reading 5 times a week which will feed into our reading challenge.

The children will have a book linked to their Accelerated Reader book level but can read other books of interest at home too.

Homework

All homework for English and maths will be set on a Friday and should be completed and returned to school by the following Thursday, or before if you would prefer.

Homework information will be added to our Google Classroom but please email me if there are any problems.

Break time

Children can bring a piece of fruit for a snack at break time and a water bottle for drinks throughout the day. Please ensure only water is sent to school in these bottles. Juice is permitted for lunchtime.

Tuck can also be ordered and paid for daily.

Generally, there will be maths on Mathletics and spelling from Ed Shed, although some weeks there may be a few additional tasks to look out for.

P.E.

PE/Games are taught twice a week: on a Monday and on a Thursday. Please ensure your child has their own full PE kit in school at all times and that all items are clearly labelled (royal blue shorts, white t-shirt and trainers).

The kit should be left at school until the last day of each half term.

Forest School Kit

Forest school sessions will be on a Tuesday afternoon – your child will require waterproofs and a change of footwear – all labelled.

Website

Our School website continues to be up and running with lots of information about our school and activities/links for your child to access.

www.catonstpauls.com

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