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WOOLWICH CAMPUS

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Friday 10th January 2025

Dear Parents/ Carers,

Welcome to the new term. We hope you had a very enjoyable Christmas break.

Throughout the year, we will be using themes to teach our skills-based curriculum. Our running themes for the Spring term are **How can I change my world?** and **Space Explorers**. Our themes will cover English, Geography, History, Music, PSHE, ICT, Art and DT and link to texts chosen to explore our themes for the term.

Spring 1:

Science: Animals Including Humans	Maths: White Rose Scheme
Religious Education: Judaism	English: Talk for writing – Clean Up (Poetry and letter writing)
PSHE: Belonging to a community/Money and work	DT: Structures -Making desk tidies

Spring 2:

Science: Animals Including Humans	Maths: White Rose Scheme
Religious Education: Christianity - Easter	English: Man on the Moon – Non Chronological report
PSHE: Media literacy and digital resilience	Art: Colour

Children will come to school in their P.E. kits every **Thursday** (outdoor PE) and on **Friday** (indoor PE). Please ensure your child has an appropriate kit for outdoor lessons, especially when the weather becomes colder. Black or blue shorts and white t-shirts should always be worn for indoor P.E. **Please make sure your child's clothes are all labelled. The children are responsible for their clothing.**

Children can access homework on Education City and can be completed online. They can also go on some of our suggested Cultural Capital trips to broaden their learning experiences. **Spelling tests will be carried out every Monday** and the list of weekly spellings will be sent out on the Monday prior to the test.

Reading books are changed on Wednesdays. We ask that you support your child's progress by reading regularly with them and completing the reading record when they have read to you. The book will only be changed when you have done so. Please remember to write a short comment regarding your child's progress and sign.

If you wish to contact us regarding your child's education, please make an appointment via the office or speak to us after school. We look forward to working with you and helping your child get the most from their education. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Kind regards,
Miss Reid
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