

Things I need to remember:

Please read with your child as often as possible.

It's so wonderful to see their confidence growing in their reading!

Reading books can be changed every day, if they have been read.
Just pop them in the tray in the classroom.

**Children who read to someone at home 3 times per week
will earn 3 Castle Coins.**

Please record in reading record each time you hear your child read.

Monday	Book bag with reading book and reading record Yoga - PE kit
Tuesday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
Wednesday	Book bag with reading book and reading record PE kit including trainers or plimsolls.
Thursday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
Friday	Book bag with reading book and reading record

Please don't forget to come in every morning at 8.50am to
help your child with their morning work.
We are very grateful for your support

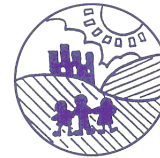
Homework

	Given:	Returned the following:
Monday	New Spellings	Monday (for test)
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday		
Friday		

Trip to the Seaside: We are planning a trip to Flamborough Seaside for the day...look out for the letter to follow.

SAVE YOUR BOXES! ... If you have any spare shoe boxes or cereal boxes that we could use for our D&T rock pool project, please bring them in to class. Thank you.

Summer 2
Issue



Learners for life...

Castle View Primary



Summer is here!

Class: Little Stars

Teacher: Mrs Eason
Teaching Assistants: Miss Sharkey

We are learning:

English (Reading and Writing)

Phonics – the children are split into groups to practise their phonemes and use them in their reading and writing. We will also be practising spelling patterns.

Poetry: We will be finding out about different sea creatures and creating word banks of adjectives for them, and then writing Acrostic Poems.

Story writing: We will be reading and rewriting with our own ideas the story of 'The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch.'

Fact file: We will be researching sea life animals in non-fiction books and writing fact files on them.

Non-fiction- We will be learning about the water cycle from the book 'Splish, Splash, Splosh!', and will recreate our own version of the text.

PSED (Personal, Social and emotional Development)

We will be learning about the importance of staying safe near water and on the beach. We will learn how to look after ourselves near rock pools and how we can explore rock pools and sea life creatures without getting hurt or harming the creatures.

Our topic will end with: 3D Seaside Art work display

Mathematics

We will start the term with Multiplication and Division, counting forwards and backwards in 2s, 5's, and 10's.

We will then be grouping objects and solving problems involving division.

We will be learning about measuring the length and height of objects and link this to our sea life creature work.

We will then focus on Addition and Subtraction for two weeks; representing addition and subtraction facts and solving problems using a number line to help us. Following this we will recap on our 2D and 3D shape work, looking at the properties of the shapes. Lastly we will be learning about fractions, and developing our understanding of halves and quarters of shapes, length and quantities.

Communication and Language (Speaking and Listening)

Each child will continue their work with their perfect partner who they will talk to during discussions, problem solving and reasoning activities, to share their ideas with before they feed back to the class. We have lots of opportunity in class to talk about our ideas on what we know, what we want to know, and what we have learnt!

Physical Development (PE)

We will be learning balance and control through our Gym 2 Unit in PE as a continuation of previous work, however this term we will be using larger apparatus and developing our jumping and landing skills. We will also be continuing our yoga sessions with Jane Collins our yoga teacher. We will be practising for Sports day which will be taking place on the 7th July.

Expressive Arts and Design (Art, D&T and Music)

We will be looking at animals which live in water and creating observational drawings of these for our class display. We will be looking closely at the detail of seashells and using sketching pencils to make observational drawings. We will study a section of the shell through a magnifying glass and create a finer detailed drawing of one part of it. We will talk about the Seascape work of LS Lowry and create Seascape paintings in his style. In D & T we will be studying the cross section of a rock pool, and then making our own 'rock pool in a shoebox!'

In Music we will be learning to keep a regular pulse when playing percussion instruments and sing in unison.

Understanding of the World

(Science, History, Geography, RE, ICT)

In Science, we will be discovering lots of facts about crabs which will lead to us writing a fact file about them. We will research different sea creatures and recall facts about them from our non-fiction books.

We will extend our knowledge of the UK by learning which Seas surround our country. We will also learn about the physical and human features of Flamborough from our class trip there.