

Our 'Golden Rules'

At St. George's, we expect all children to be well-behaved and ready to learn. Here is a reminder of our school rules so that you know what we expect from you.

- Treat other people how you would like to be treated.
- Keep your hands, feet and objects to yourself.
- Always do as you are asked straight away.
- Play your part in keeping our school clean and tidy.
- If you have nothing nice to say – say nothing at all.
- Respect other people and their property.
- Walk around school quietly, on the left and in single file.

Mr. Holmes, Miss Davis and Mrs Scott

Welcome to Class 7!



Welcome!

In order to help you to settle into Class 7 quickly, we have gathered some important information for you. Of course, if you have any further questions please come and talk to us and we shall do our best to help.

PE

Our PE days are Monday and Wednesday. However, we will occasionally have PE activities outside of these times and so it is essential that you keep your PE kit in school every day.

PE kit consists of blue shorts, your house colour t-shirt, pumps **AND** trainers. Please tie back long hair and do not wear any jewellery for PE. Therefore, if you wear earrings, please do not wear your earrings on PE days.

Homework

Homework will be set on a weekly basis. It will be set on a Monday and collected on the Friday. Spellings to learn will be written in Spelling Log Books, daily reading is expected and there will be a piece of Maths and English/Topic work to complete. Complete all homework in pencil in your homework book. We will check spellings during each unit and regularly throughout the term to identify gaps in learning.

Reading

We will do our best to listen to you read on a weekly basis. You will change your own reading books, making sure that the teacher has ticked by your name to confirm you have returned your book(s). We expect that you will read daily at home to an adult and complete *My Book Blog* online at home and in school for the books you read. Your parents should sign and date your reading diary to show that they have heard you read. They should also write which page you will be on next and make a comment about your reading if they wish. Here is an example below:

3/09/23 'The Wrong Side of Bed'. I really enjoyed hearing you read; you used some good expression today. P34 next. Mrs Archer

We reward you for each reading diary entry with a house point, so make sure a grown up hears you read every day and writes in your diary! Hand in your diary every Monday so that we can check how many house points to reward you with.

The Curriculum

Our first topic in Talk for Writing will be based on a 'Defeating a monster Tale' and our non-fiction text will be a piece of *Journalistic writing*. We will also be writing poetry.

In Maths, you will be using partitioning to add and number lines to subtract; learning number bonds to 10, 100 and 1000; learning about the properties of shapes; making sure you know your times tables (starting with the 3x table – you should already know your 2x, 5x and 10x); practising how to divide and multiply and how to solve a range of number and shape problems.

In Science, we will be studying plants, the classification of animals, food chains, rocks, magnets, light and other interesting topics..

Other Curriculum areas

At St. George's, you will remember that we have moved to a three-week rolling timetable to help us deliver longer and more exciting DT, arts and humanities lessons. Topics will include Romans, Stone Age, and a range of map skills.

Our RE topics for this term are titled Homes, Called, Visitors and Judaism.

Core Learning Skills, RSE and Circle Time

We will be working on a three-week rolling programme to match our focus weeks, alternating between Caritas, Relationship and Sex Education, PSHE and Circle Time. We will be looking at how we can develop our ability to work with others, learning how to become independent learners, and learning what it means to stay healthy and have positive friendships.

Equipment

We will provide all the stationery that you will need for the year. Please don't bring in pencil cases or other such items.