

St Minver School

Head of School: Mrs J Rodwell

Monday 25th April 2022

Welcome back to the first half of the summer term! We hope you had a lovely Easter break and are looking forward to being back to school.

Our half termly curriculum leaflet will come home this week. It gives you some information about the sorts of things we will be learning about and the things we hope to do this half term. I will continue to write our weekly letters so that you are able to get an idea about the things we are talking about in school. This will help you to develop your children's understanding at home too.

This week we are going to be introducing our new topic 'How do your legs help you?' We will start with learning about minibeasts with less legs than us ... snails and worms. We will create a womery and find some snails to observe. In literacy we will start work on our text 'Oi Frog' by exploring rhyming words and writing sentences with these in. In maths we will be exploring numbers to 20 and using 10s frames to complete take away number sentences. I will introduce the children to the work of our artist for this half term (Matisse) and we will look back at the work of the artists we have already found out about. In RE we will start to think about which places are special to us and in Jigsaw we will talk about the things we do to help at home. Our DT project for the half term will start with investigating and looking at minibeast homes that have been bought or made. The children will have a chance to look at some different designs and talk about why they think they make good homes or not.

Thank you for your continued support. Don't forget to pop in to see me if you have any queries or concerns.

Kind regards,

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