

St Minver School

Head of School: Mrs J Rodwell

Monday 28th February 2022

We hope you had a lovely half term break! Welcome back to the second half of the spring term where our topic for the next 6 weeks is 'Home is Where the Heart is'. We are going to build on the work we have already started on our local area and find out more about where we live and why we should look after it. We will also find out a little about how our local area has changed over time and how The Camel Trail used to be a railway track! We are also looking forward to a class trip to Pentire Head (further details to follow).

Our Curriculum Leaflet for this half term will be sent home this week with lots of information about the learning that will take place this half term and the different things we will be doing and exploring.

This week we will be introducing our new topic and themes to the children. We will start exploring our new text for the half term 'What the Ladybird Heard' by Julia Donaldson and in maths we will be exploring numbers 9 and 10. We will start to talk about the changes that springtime will make to our world, and we will celebrate Pancake Day! The children will be introduced to some of our new themes such as The Easter Story and Easter gardens, Greta Thunberg, Gustav Klimt (art) and Kerry Andrews (music). In Jigsaw we will talk about the fact that being active and taking part in exercise will contribute to help keeping us healthy. We have a busy week (and half term) ahead!

World Book Day is this Thursday (3rd March) and we welcome the children to come in to school dressed ready to enjoy as many books as possible. Class R will be celebrating on this day but also throughout the half term with a variety of events including a book sharing session with parents, a book swap and a sponsored read... more information to follow in due course.

Thank you for your continued support and don't forget to pop in to speak to us if you have any queries or concerns.

Many thanks,

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