

A MESSAGE FROM MISS HOPKINS AND MISS HARRISON

Happy New Year! We hope you had a fantastic Christmas holiday, and you are excited for the first half term of 2026!

FRIENDLY REMINDER

- PE is still on a **Friday,** children to wear their PE kit to school.
- Reading books should be brought to school each day and taken home each day.
- Spelling homework is set on a Monday.
- Spelling test will be the following Monday.

KEY LEARNING THIS HALF TERM:

- ⊗ **ENGLISH:** Our story is “Sayeeda the Pirate Princess”. We will focus on conjunctions, contractions, alliterations, and exclamation marks to publish our own lost and found story.
- ⊗ **MATHS:** We will learn about money. We will count, make amounts and solve problems.
- ⊗ We will also learn about multiplication and division. The children need to start learning the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.
- ⊗ **SCIENCE:** We will find out about animals and habitats.
- ⊗ **HISTORY:** We will find out about how toys have changed throughout history.
- ⊗ **PSHE:** We will recognise what helps us to stay safe.
- ⊗ **RE:** We are focussing on what it means to be a Jew in Britain today.

READING RECOMMENDATIONS:

- ☑ The Night Flower by Lara Hawthorne.
- ☑ Let’s go for a walk by Ranger Hamza.
- ☑ The Pirates Next Door by Jonny Duddle.
- ☑ Old Bear by Jane Hissey.

HOMEWORK PROJECT

This term we would like the children to design and make a model habitat.

PRIZE: 10 DOJOS!

SUBMISSION DATE: 06.02.26