MAPLE TREE CLASS SPRING TERM CURRICULUM NEWS

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you had a relaxing and enjoyable Christmas break. It is lovely to see all the children back safe and well and are ready for a very busy term ahead.

This spring term one, Maple Class will still be carrying on with our topic 'Neolithic Age' but also linking it with 'Power'. Our class will then move on to a topic based around 'Natural Hazards'. The topic will have strong humanities focus but will also allow opportunities to explore all other areas of the curriculum.

Routines

<u>P.E/Games</u> - P.E/Games will be taught weekly, every *Friday*. Please ensure your child comes into school with their *full P.E. kit on* and suitable footwear must be worn.

<u>Stationery</u> - Each child in the class will have their own school pencil case and provided with school stationery, so will not need to bring any in from home.

<u>Water Bottles</u> - Please provide your child with a labelled water bottle. Water bottles should be taken home at the end of each day, washed and then returned the following day. <u>Water only please!</u>

<u>Bags</u> - Due to limited peg space, please could your child not bring a bag to school (unless a kit is required for an after-school club).

<u>Weather</u> - As ever our weather is unpredictable, please ensure that your child wears appropriate clothing for both warm, cold and wet conditions. Layers of clothing are ideal, so that children can adapt to changes in the temperature.

<u>Homework</u> - will be set via Goggle Classroom every <u>Friday</u> and needs to be completed, at the latest, by the following <u>Wednesday</u>.

As this is a very important year for Maple Class, there are a few ways in which you can support your child at home, such as reading daily, practising all the multiplication tables, reinforcing the spellings sent home (spellings will be on Google Classroom), and ensuring that homework is completed on time and handed in on HWB. By doing this, this will help your child to prepare themselves ready for next year.

If you have any concerns or queries during the term, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your support,

Miss Hallett