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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you have all settled back to routines after the Easter holiday and are all ready for a busy Summer Term!

In English this term we will be linking our work to our two topics of Ancient Benin and Coasts. The children will read a range of texts related to the period in history and write non-fiction texts from their studies. Pupils will continue to be encouraged to read a range of own choice books and record their thoughts and ideas about their reading in their reading journals. After SATs, Year 5 and 6 will also study Shakespeare and play-scripts. They will practice and perform a range of plays and then write their own for performance.

In Maths we will continue to concentrate on calculations and the application of these. Year 5 and 6 will focus on developing their understanding of fractions, including multiplying and dividing them, and further develop their understanding of ratio and proportion, and percentages. In geometry we will look at the properties of circles and co-ordinates. In Year 3 and 4 they will be developing their understanding of properties of shape, fractions and decimals, co-ordinates and revisiting our old friend time. This is a topic they find particularly difficult so it would be really beneficial if you could practise this at home.

Year 6 will spend the first half term revisiting the curriculum in preparation for SATs.

In topic we are excited to start a brand new topic of Ancient Benin, which will be followed by Coasts after half-term. We will be visiting Cromer in July as part of our Coast project and will be studying the geology of the area. If you have any books or information that could support our learning, we would love to see them. Science is a Forces unit this term and DT will be a textile project recycling a piece of old clothing. Please keep any old clothing that we could use – we will be asking for recyclable clothing to come in to school in July. In music, the class will continue to learn to play the ukulele and learn a range of songs.

Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to come in and see us.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Yassin and Mrs Rounce





