



Hercules Class Newsletter Autumn Term 5

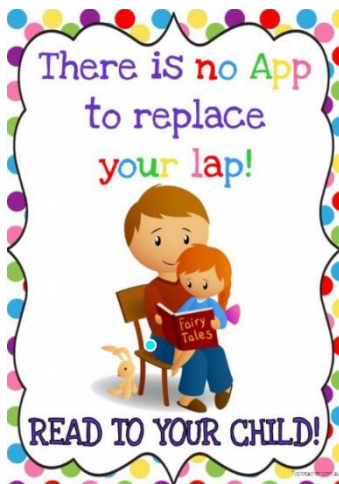
Topic – From Field to Fork

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had a wonderful Easter break and the children are feeling refreshed and ready to take on Term 5.

This term, our topic is '**From Field to Fork**'. We will be learning about where our food comes from, including the history of farming and farming around the world. We will even be growing our own food to eat! Please see the topic web for more information.

Reading at Home



Thank you to all the parents who are taking the time to read with their child frequently. Year on year we see that the children who read regularly at home not only progress rapidly, but also develop a real love of books.

The book bands in Reception are:

Lilac	Pink A	Pink B	Red	Yellow	Blue
No words	Phonics Phase 2		Phonics Phase 3		Phonics Phase 4

To reach the end of year 'expected standard' children should be able to read yellow level books independently.

PE & Water bottles

Hercules Class will have PE on Mondays and Tuesdays. As you already know, children will need to come into school wearing their PE kit on those days, to eliminate the need for changing in school. Please ensure your child has the appropriate clothing and footwear to allow them to fully take part. Please make sure your child always has a named water bottle.

Field and Forest



Due to unforeseen circumstances we are currently looking for a new, local location for our weekly field and forest sessions. There will be no field and forest until further notice. We will resume as soon as a new location is found and risk assessments have been completed.

Finally, if you have any concerns or issues about your child's schooling, or anything else that you wish to discuss, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best Wishes,

Mrs Dixon