

## A note from Miss Bailey and Mr Jordane:

Welcome back – we hope you had a wonderful and relaxing half-term and are ready for everything to come in Spring 2 – including performing our Bee Musical.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you for all your support with attendance so far this academic year. Both Class 8 and Class 9 are working towards their 'treat' for achieving all the letters of PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

## This term in class we are learning about...

Our topic for this half term is 'Misty Mountains'. This is a predominantly geography based topic.

Children will be learning about:

- The water cycle
- The mountains of the UK
- Contour lines and how they show mountains
- The major mountains found on each continent of the world

Children will be doing lots of practical learning, which will include making models of mountains, making a working model of the water cycle and constructing a 3D map of mountains in the UK.

## Educational Visits and assemblies this half term:

This half term we have the following events and activities:

- Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day  
Children can come in wearing their pyjamas or in a costume. They can also bring in their favourite book to share with the other children.
- Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April – Year 3 and 4 drama performance 'Bee Musical' (3pm)

## Important Reminders:

Children need to ensure they bring their banded books in every day, so that they can be changed as needed.

If your child is being picked up by someone different, please could you let the office or ourselves know.

## Weekly reminders:

Class 9 (Miss Bailey) will need their outdoor clothes on a Tuesday afternoon as we will still be doing work in the school garden.

Class 8 (Mr Jordane) will now be swimming on a Thursday afternoon. Swimming kit and towel will be required.  
Class 9 (Miss Bailey) will go in the summer term.

## Homework:

Homework will be set on a Monday and due in on a Friday. Homework for Maths and Spellings will be online the same as last year, with paper copies being sent home also. Banded books are changed weekly (or as needed). If you have forgotten your password let us know!

