**Home Learning Platforms**

We will be using **Microsoft Teams** to upload homework assignments for you to complete.

Homework assignments are set on a Friday and are expected to be uploaded onto Teams by the following Wednesday.

You should also be accessing **Times Tables Rock Stars** on a regular basis. If you have any technical issues with home learning, please ask your class teacher.

**ICT**

In ICT, we will be going to the ICT suite and using **2Type.**

We will be helping the children to improve the accuracy and speed of their typing skills.

**Humanities**

In History this half term we will be studying **The Anglo-Saxons.**

In Geography we will be studying…

**Transportation** and the effects of pollution.

**The Arts**

In Music this half term, we will be learning about the famous composer Chopin and legendary singer/songwriter Stevie Wonder.In French, we will be looking at **‘Weather**’ developing our vocabulary of this in speaking and writing.

**‘Seeking Growth Together’**

Our work this half term will focus on the feast of Corpus Christi and the also the beginnings of the early Church which began with the first Apostles.

We will also celebrate important Saints days including the feast of St Peter and St Paul. Also as it is the Year of St Joseph we will be learning more about him.

**PE**

In **PE**, we will be developing our athletic skills in track and field events as well as taking part in our own mini sports day.

**Science**

Our topic this half term will be looking at **‘Plants.’**

During this topic we will explore how plants grow and the different parts of a plant and how they are all integral to the health of the plant, such as the leaves, roots and stem.

We will be conducting observations of leaves and roots as well as experimenting with taking the leaves off a plant to see how this affects its growth.

**Maths**

This half term we will be focussing on time including telling the time to o’clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to, solving time duration problems. We will also be looking at geometry and capacity.

Times tables are crucial to our maths learning too. We will be looking at 3x, 6x, 4x and moving onto 8x tables. Keep practising these at home and use **Times Tables Rockstars** to help with your learning.

We will also be doing lots of arithmetic to help strengthen our mental recall skills, including a weekly arithmetic test on Fridays.

**English**

During Summer 2nd in English we will be reading the brilliant story ***‘The Light in the Night’*** by Marie Voigt.

 We will be exploring this beautiful picture book and unpacking the themes drawn out through the story to help us in our writing.

 In our **SPAG (Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar)** learning we will be continuing to look at word class, including nouns, verbs, adjectives and adverbs and expanding our sentence structure using subordinate clauses.

We will be continuing the **RWI spelling** programme daily to help strengthen our spelling skills.