



# WEST HADDON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Term 6

Year R

Welcome back, we hope you had a lovely break. It's the last term of the school year and what a busy one we have planned. Our topic this term is 'We are going on holiday'. We will be comparing seaside's past and present, talking about different environments as well as discussing the importance of water. We will be having fun exploring objects that float and sink.

## Weekend Books

This term we would like the children to write independent sentences about something they have done at the weekend. Please encourage your child to use their phonic knowledge to write the words as well as using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

## Literacy

This term the children will be continuing to work on developing their reading skills. They will use their phonics knowledge to read new words, high frequency words and common irregular words, as well as reading and understanding simple sentences. In writing, the children will continue to develop their writing including using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. We will also be focusing on beginning to join our handwriting in preparation for Year 1.

## Holiday – Show and Tell

As part of our topic we would like the children to bring in a picture of themselves on holiday so that they can share with their friends during circle time.

## Naming Clothes

Please can you ensure that you have named your child's uniform and PE kits.

If you are missing any school uniform please ask to look at our lost property tray as we have a number of unnamed items!



## Maths

The children will continue to build on their doubling, halving and sharing skills as well as continue to count in twos, fives and tens. We will continue building on our existing knowledge of adding and subtraction as well as consolidating subitising to 5 and number bonds to 10. The children will be participating in various activities involving understanding numbers to 10 including quick recall of one more and one less and whole - part method. The children will continue to become familiar with numbers above 10.

## Reception Trip – Kenilworth Castle

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June**

The children are looking forward to visiting Kenilworth castle and learning more about castle life. They are also looking forward to the coach journey.

**Our Value for this month is Compassion**

Thank you for all of your continued support, it is much appreciated. If we can help in any way, please speak to a member of the reception team. Mrs Brinklow, Mrs James and Mrs Welch.

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