

Welcome to our home school communication! Each week you will get an overview of the class learning and will be set some home tasks too, including reading. Home school communication books should be returned to school on a **Wednesday**.

Please visit our class page on the school website at <https://www.st-matthewsbloxam.co.uk/>. There are lots of photographs showcasing all our amazing work.

Please find below the summary of our week in school.	
English	We have started a new book, 'Man on the Moon'. This week, the children have asked questions to aid their understanding through exploring illustrations. They created a role on the wall and described a character and setting. The children discussed and recorded their ideas and put the events of Bob's day in order, from waking up in the morning to going to sleep at night. Next week we will continue with this book.
Maths	We have also started a new topic - shapes. This week, we have sorted 3-D shapes and identified them by name. Next week, we will continue with shapes.
Science	We have continued with the topic 'everyday materials.' The children identified which materials have certain properties and wrote what the objects are made from. Next week, we will continue learning about everyday materials.
Homework tasks	
 Remember to keep reading every day! Also, remember to bring your reading book back every week so we can change it.	Record your reading here:
As a mathematician... Can your child spot some 3-D shapes and name them on your way home and around your house?	
Diary dates:	
Nativity costumes must be sent to school in a named bag by December 1, 2025.	
The Christmas fair is after school on 8 th December from 3:15 pm.	
Please join us for our nativity on Wednesday, 10 th December at 1:30 pm and Thursday, 11 th December at 9:30 am.	

This half term, PE will be on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Children should come to school in their PE kit. We are just having one PE lesson this half term due to nativity rehearsals. However, children should still come in their PE kit on those days. We will send out more information about the nativity in the near future.

Many thanks,

Mrs. Whitell, Mrs. Jones, and Mrs Watts