

Your child should have brought home a parents evening time. If you haven't had one, please see me.



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. The children will have spellings, which will be tested on a Monday, times tables practise and reading. Home school communication books should be returned to school on a Wednesday.

Forest school is on a **Wednesday** - 'school tops & PE bottoms' to be worn.

PE is on a **Thursday** - School PE kit to be worn.

Please find below the summary of our week in school.

English	Spellings this week have been words with irregular spelling patterns. Our English lessons have been working towards writing a set of instructions for caring for a hedgehog.
Maths	We have finished our unit on Place Value, and have moved onto adding / subtracting.
Science	This week, we became pedologists. Looking at the soil around school. We went to the allotment and dug about, identifying the type of soil we had.
Other subjects	In RE, we looked at how Jews use nature to support their views. We used the computers to practise our typing skills and enjoyed painting a hedgehog picture. At forest school, we enjoyed trying to make a zip wire and a hedgehog house. In History, we looked through the school log books to identify what was the same /different.

Spellings

Multiplication

Rule – irregular spelling patterns!
I have included the 'homework' sheet that comes with the spelling scheme we use. Your child can keep this at home so they can see their spellings.

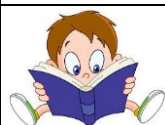
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Please
practise

8 times table

1 x 8 = 8
2 x 8 = 16
3 x 8 = 24
4 x 8 = 32
5 x 8 = 40
6 x 8 = 48
7 x 8 = 56
8 x 8 = 64
9 x 8 = 72
10 x 8 = 80
11 x 8 = 88
12 x 8 = 96

[Timestables.co.nz](https://www.timestables.co.nz)



Reading - In the classroom, the children have access to all of our books. When reading with a school adult, they will read a phonically decodable book. In their free reading time, the children are welcome to read any of our books & take them home.

Please go to our class page on the school website - <https://www.st-matthewsbloxam.co.uk/>.

If you would like to email anything to us, please use admin3213@welearn365.com and put it to the attention of Year 3.

If you're unsure about anything, please ask. We appreciate your continued support from home.