

## How You can Help at home.



**Reading** - please read with your child at least **4 times** every week (more if possible). Please record each reading session in their diary on the page where the book was issued. Children will receive rewards for reading 4 times a week. Use the local library and share their school library book with them. Children will also have a leveled reading book of their own choice.



**Writing** - Please encourage your child to write at all available opportunities. Help them to learn spellings by asking them to Look, Say, Cover, Write and then Check their words.



**Numeracy** - Please support children in completing their homework but don't do it for them! Help children to learn their Times Tables and the corresponding division facts.



### Useful Websites

\* Purple Mash

[www.purplemash.co.uk/sch/bishopbridgeman](http://www.purplemash.co.uk/sch/bishopbridgeman)

\* Mathletics [www.mathletics.co.uk](http://www.mathletics.co.uk)



## Class M2

# Half Termly Newsletter June 2018



We Work, We Play,



We Care, We Pray



## Half Termly Overview of Work



### Literacy

We are beginning the new term with a reciprocal reading Unit based on a short play called 'Short Pants'. Children will develop their reading strategies (Prediction, Clarification, Questioning and summarizing.) whilst exploring the layout and features of a play. Later in the term we will use the same text to write a play.



### Numeracy

Subtraction and addition in a column, in the context of measures. Number sequences, counting on and back in 4,8,50 and 100. 2d and 3d shape, multiplication and division, inverse operations. We will also be addressing any gaps in the children's understanding as per the recent assessments.

### Class Routines



Dinner Money - to be paid on a Monday morning in a sealed envelope with the child's name on.



PE Kit - white T-shirt, Black shorts/trousers, pumps (indoors) trainers (outside).



Snack - morning (fruit or healthy dry snack) - £1 per week. Paid on Monday morning (separate from dinner money).



Dates to remember -  
15/6/2018 Possible Eid day,  
6/7/2018 - Blackpool Zoo trip,  
2/7/2018 History SLW, 20/7/2018  
School closes. 26/6/2018 Stay and  
Learn sessions. 18/6/2018 End of  
year assessment week.



### Science - Light

Children will be completing the unit on Plants by looking at the life cycle of a plant and the different functions of the parts of the plant. They will also complete several investigations about plants.



### Topic

This half term we will finish looking at the topic of Mayan Society and then start a unit about Nepal, finding out about the different civilization, society and way of life. Children will also learn 'where' in the world Nepal is.

**Book Bags are needed everyday - all reading books should always be kept inside.**



RE - Why do Christians sing in worship? - learning about the role of singing and music in worship.



How cartoons are animated, creating own simple animations and simple games.



### Homework -

**Spellings** - given on a Monday and tested on a Thursday.

**Literacy and Numeracy** - given on a Friday to be returned by Wednesday.

**Reading** - given with new reading book - to be returned 1 week later.