

Curriculum Information for Summer 1 2018  
Green Class

Dear Parents,

This term our theme is "Healthy Me". We will be learning:

- Literacy - poetry: Listening, composing and performing
- Numeracy - Week of Inspirational Maths; Place value; addition/subtraction; capacity; fractions; position and direction; time
- Science- Keeping body and mind healthy; keeping safe; avoiding germs; the effect of exercise on our bodies; carrying out tests and recording data
- History - How have hospitals changed over time? Who were Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole and what did they do? How have they influenced our lives today?
- Geography - world map - Where was Scutari? Bird's eye view
- Art/Design - Sketching artefacts; illustrating our poems
- Music - Music express
- RE - Continuation of Easter Story/Ascension Day/RE syllabus

Homework

Children should develop independent learning by carrying out tasks related to our topic. A list of possible tasks follows. Children are not expected to complete all of these, but should choose at least 2 to be completed by the end of term.

All children are expected to read at least 3 times a week as well as practising how to read and write from memory their "tricky words" (on the trucks), their "high frequency words" (on the keys) and their sounds (phoneme fans). Children will also be set regular "Mathletics" tasks. Thank you for your continued support with this.

Regards,

Mrs Turner

## Independent Topic Homework Ideas

- Design a "helmet" for a hard-boiled egg - will it survive being dropped?
- Carry out a survey of favourite healthy snacks in your family and present it in a chart
- Design a cardboard lamp that Florence could have carried
- Make a cardboard lamp that Florence could have carried!
- Visit a supermarket and find a fruit or vegetable you have never tried before...try it!
- Imagine you are a soldier in Scutari hospital - write a letter of thanks to Florence Nightingale
- Write a poem about anything you like.
- Learn a poem off by heart and perform it to the class
- Look at the packaging of food and drinks in your home - what unit of measure is used on the labels (ml, l, g, kg etc)? Present this as a poster