Curriculum Information for Summer 2 2019 Green Class

Dear Parents,

This term, we will be learning:

- Maths: Capacity and temperature; time; statistics
- Literacy: Writing based on Leopard's Drum; comparative writing; performance poetry
- Geography: Where would you rather live, England or Africa?
- Science: Plants; living things and their habitats
- RE: What makes some places sacred to believers?

<u>Homework</u>

Children will be given a different homework activity each night of the week. Monday – Mathletics (online activities to be completed at home) Tuesday – phoneme fan and grammar activity (Y2) Wednesday – Maths passport practise Thursday – tricky words (practise reading AND spelling) Friday – Topic homework (see suggested activities below)

In addition, reading books will be sent home every day. Please listen to your children read and discuss the events of the book as well as their opinions on it.

Thank you,

Mr Jones

Independent Topic Homework Ideas

Science (Weeks 1-3)

- Take photographs of different plants in your garden. Label the different parts of the plant.
- Plant some seeds and keep a diary describing how the plant grows.
- Create a food chain with at least 4 plants and animals.

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Geography (Weeks 4 and 5)
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- Research a country in Africa. What is life like for the people that live there? What are the similarities and differences to life in England? (Please avoid Kenya, as we will be looking at this country in class.)
- Find a blank map of Africa and label as many countries as you can.

RE (Weeks 6 and 7)

- Draw or create a model of a place that is very special to you. Explain why the place is special and how it makes you feel.
- Visit a local place of worship. Take photographs and label the different signs, symbols and artefacts.