



## St. Peter's Academy – Miss Walton's weekly newsletter

### UKS2 Staff:

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Date: Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2021

### This week...

- ⌘ In Topic – We have been learning about the life cycles of plants and seasonality, linking in with science.
- ⌘ In Maths – We have been consolidating our knowledge on place value, and have begun the next unit in our learning. This unit is based on addition and subtraction.
- ⌘ We were lucky enough to have a visit from Image Theatre UK who put on a brilliant performance of *The Reluctant Dragon*! The children really enjoyed this; their singing was fantastic!
- ⌘ During our class discussion, prompted by 1decision, we have explored British Values in depth and how these link to our school 'take care' values.

### Things to note...

- General information is available on the class page.
- Parents evenings will be on **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>** and **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October**. Mrs Gilmour is very kindly organising time slots, so if you have not yet seen the form, it is linked on the class page.
- If you are isolating or off for any other reason, there is a home learning section on the class page for you to follow along with what we are doing in school.
- Children should be reading three times a week at home, which they can record in their school diaries.
- Homework should be completed in homework books to a 'Take Care' standard.

### Homework for this week:

**Spellings** – Each child will have their 15 spellings written down in their diaries to practice for this week. These spellings will be different for each child.

**Maths** – Complete the times tables practice grid. Multiply the number above and the number at the edge together. If you would like a challenge, time yourself! How quickly can you complete the grid? Make a note of your time at the bottom.

**English / Topic** – I would like you to research farming in the UK. You may want to present your findings as a leaflet, a poster or a report – it is up to you! Key questions to consider:

- What is pastoral farming?
- What is arable farming?
- What is mixed farming?
- Where can we find these farms in the UK?

**Homework due – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021**

