

### Busy days!

We can't quite believe that we only have 6 weeks left; the time seems to have flown by! Now that the sun is shining, we will make the most of the outdoors whilst continuing to promote exercise and well-being!

**Swimming** resumes again as before on **Fridays** (or Tuesdays for the smaller group) so the children will need their kit and that extra towel if it's chilly!

**Sports Day** for Years 5/6 is provisionally scheduled for **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> July** although we don't know whether we can invite parents as yet!



### Jigsaw PSHE for Summer Term 2021.

**We have started our PSHE sessions based on "Changing Me" by discussing body/ self-image. We will continue then with:**

**Week 2- Puberty for Girls**

**Week 3- Puberty for Boys**

**Week 4-Conception**

**Weeks 5/6- Moving On.**

You may like to consider sharing some reading material with your child to support our learning in school.



Over the next two weeks we will be:

- working on some poetry based on "The Highwayman" by Alfred Noyes.
- finishing our historical studies and starting geography mapping skills.
- starting our PSHE and Science topics based on "Changes."
- investigating the music of "Adele."
- working on spelling rules/patterns using the latest list (see your child's diary)

## Key Instant Recall Facts <sup>Y5 - Summer 2<sup>nd</sup></sup>

This half term your child is working towards achieving their individual KIRF target, indicated below. The ultimate aim is for your child to be able to recall these facts *instantly!*

**Know the decimal and percentage equivalents of the fractions  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{3}{4}$ , thirds, tenths and fifths**

### **THE FACTS : LEARN THEM!**

Remember that 'Percentage' means **out of 100.**

Fraction	Decimal	Percentage
$\frac{1}{2}$	0.5	50%
$\frac{1}{4}$	0.25	25%
$\frac{3}{4}$	0.75	75%
$\frac{1}{3}$	0.33	33%
$\frac{1}{10}$	0.1	10%
$\frac{1}{5}$	0.2	20%

What else can you find out using these facts? E.g. Can you work out what two thirds would be? What about three fifths?

Can you use the facts to work out problems such as this now?

What is:

25% as a fraction      60% as a decimal

**IF YOU REALLY LEARN THOSE FACTS YOU COULD TACKLE QUESTIONS LIKE THIS:**

There are 240 children in a primary school. They were asked which subjects they most enjoyed at school. (Most gave more than one subject.) Can you work out how many children liked each subject?

1/5 of them said Literacy  
25% said Maths  
50% said PE  
0.2 said Art  
10% said Design and Technology  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  said ICT  
40% said History  
0.25 said Geography  
 $\frac{3}{10}$  said Science  
 $\frac{1}{3}$  said RE

Building confidence in mathematics is crucial so be pleased with their efforts and always encourage with praise