



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope that everyone had a wonderful, deserved break over the summer and are ready to conquer the new, exciting challenges that this year will bring. We hope the children are excited to reunited with their friends and are excited to engage with new topics, and adventures! We have both spent a lot of time ensuring this year will peak the children's curiosity and allow them to progress in their own learning journey so we can't wait to get started! Before we return, here are some **dates for the diary**:

05/09/25: Greek Day (dress-up included)

10/09/25: Year 4 Welcome Meeting

26/09/25: Autumn fayre

03/10/25: TTRS Rockstar day (children welcome to dress up as rock stars)

09/10/25: FORO popcorn night

16/10/25: Hindu temple visit 9-12 (please let your child's teacher know if you can accompany us on the trip)

21/10/25: Parents' Evening

23/10/25: Last day of term

Just a few reminders before we get started:

- Please ensure that your child always brings a water bottle to school, and it must be filled with water. If there is a reason why it cannot be water, can you please let us know!
- All school uniform must be labelled, it goes missing more often than we'd like and this makes it a lot easier.
- PE kit no longer needs to be brought to school! Children can wear their kit to school on PE days, and stay in it all day. **Children wishing to be excused from PE will need a note from home, please. PE will take place on Tuesday and Thursday.**
- As previously, **homework** will be set termly and will be shared and celebrated in class in the last week of term. This can be found on class dojo the school website. Spellings will be posted on class dojo and the class page on the school website. If you would like a paper copy please ask. Spelling tests are every Tuesday. It is vital that children practise spellings at home in whatever way engages them; if you would like any ideas of how to practise spellings, feel free to ask.
- Please encourage your child to read to you as often as possible and record in their reading record book. It makes such a difference to their learning journey. Please can reading books and records be in school daily so your child can read with adults as often as possible.



- Finally, in year 4 all children will take a national times tables test online in June. Having automaticity in all tables is a key part of maths and will help your child solve calculations and increase stamina. Daily practise on TTRS is a really good way to support this. There will be a parent meeting later in the year for more details.
- We will post whole class messages on Class Dojo, class photos of our learning will be posted on our class page on the school website and if you wish to contact us please use the class emails below:
- Pear@redoaks.org.uk
- Oak@redoaks.org.uk

School website: <https://www.redoaks.org/>

Mrs Jacques, Ms Manning and Miss Byrne 😊