

# Rodbourne Cheney Primary School Newsletter

17th October 2018

Dear Parents,

Thank you for a wonderful first term. Our Reception children have settled well in to school life and all year groups are working hard in their new classes and challenging themselves well in their learning. Even though it has been the start of the year- it has already been incredibly busy with school trips, visitors, workshops, parent and child events, Harvest, football matches, clubs and much more!

As a staff team, we would like to say a big congratulations to both Miss Harris and Mrs. Hawtin on the birth of their beautiful babies. Both mums and babies are doing well.

Thank you all for all of your support- we really do appreciate it. Wishing you all a really fantastic and safe half-term and see you all in November.

Best wishes,

Miss Davies



## Our Topic in Term 2

Next term, our whole school topic focus will be **'The Great, Big Sea.'** As always if you have any ideas, suggestions or can offer any help with our topic then please let us know.

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Topic Focus	Under the Sea	Christopher Columbus	Oceans and beyond	The Frozen Kingdom	Creatures of the Sea	The Titanic	The Titanic
3rd Dec- 21st Dec	The Christmas story	The Christmas story	Elves and the Shoe Maker	The Little Christmas Tree	Little Match Girl	Velveteen Rabbit	The Christmas Carol
Values	Equality Hope	Equality Hope	Equality Hope	Equality Hope	Equality Hope	Equality Hope	Equality Hope
Class Book to study	Rainbow Fish	The Night Pirates And other pirate related books	he Light-house Keeper's Lunch	A Mother's Journey	Why the Whales Came	Kensuke's Kingdom	Kensuke's Kingdom

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## Children Roles and Responsibilities 2018-2019

### Head boy and Head Girl (also pupil governors)

Faiza and Harlan

### Deputy head boy and girl (also pupil governors)

Megan, Owen, Cody and Elissa

### Student Council Members

Year 6: Leah and Jack; Michelle and Robin

Year 5 :Zak and Charlize; Joshua and Joshua

Year 4: Grace, Oliver and Ralphy

Year 3: George and Isabella

Year 2:Bebe and Jack

Year 1:Max and Georgina

Reception: Ollie and Eleanor

### Community Committee members

Imogen, Nathan, Joe, Alfie, Kieran, Aisha, Isobel. Hayley, Charlotte and Finley

### Anti-bullying / Friendship Ambassadors

Alfie, Mason, Ruby, Casper, Kamille, Libby, Anaya and Amy

## November Dates

(Please see Term 2 dates for all)

Monday 5th November- Return to school

Monday 5th November- New topic 'The Great, Big Sea' starts for whole school

Monday 5th November- National Anti-Bullying Week

Thursday 8th and Friday 9th November- 100 Years topic focus—Remembrance

Monday 12th November- Whole school remembrance assembly (children only)

Monday 12th November- Year 5 class assembly 2.30pm

Tuesday 13th November- Open morning 9.15am for new Reception children 2019-2020

Thursday 15th November- Open morning 9.15am and 11am for new Reception children 2019-2020

Friday 16th November— Children in Need

Wednesday 21st November—Autumn concert for selected soloist children TBC

Sunday 25th November- Family photo day (PTA event) TBC

Wednesday 28th November- Reception class singing show to parents 1.45-2.15pm

Friday 30th November—Family disco (PTA event)

## PARENT HELPERS WANTED

*Can you help listen to readers? If you can give some time it will be lovely for you (or grandparents) to help listen to readers in our school. Please see your child's teacher or Miss Davies for more information.*

Please follow our school Twitter page @rodbournecheney for school and class updates

Reminder that our school policy is all black footwear.