# Kempsford Church of England Primary School

"Together, we will RISE"

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We hope that you have all had a good half term break and are ready for another busy term. Below is some useful information for Term 4:

## **Book Hook**

This term we are focussing our learning around the book *The Wild Way Home* by Sophie Kirtley. The book follows the adventures of Charlie and his friends Beaky and Lamont. Charlie runs to the ancient woods to seek some space when his baby brother becomes ill. However, the forest feels different and very wild. There he meets Hartboy, who was born 6,000 years ago in the Stone Age! If the children have any books or information linked to this topic, we would love to see them in school.

#### Reading

We will continue to check reading records on Thursdays in preparation for awarding reading certificates during our RISE assembly each Friday. Well done to all those children who have been awarded certificates so far.

We will continue to visit the library on Mondays. Year 3's and 4's alternate each week. Please remind your children to return their library books on these days.

# **Lost Property**

We now have 3 full bin bags of school uniform, coats, hats and gloves that have been left in our cloakrooms! Please ask to see these if your child is missing anything.

## **Comfort Break**

This term we will include a short comfort break at around 10.00 am. This is an opportunity for the children to have a drink, snack and brain break before guided reading. Please ensure your child has a small snack (one healthy item) and drink in school every day.

### Clubs

After school clubs begin next week. I have added an art club as an option for children in The Journey and The Pod. This will take place on Fridays after school, 3.15 – 4.00 pm. Places can be booked through ScoPay.

If you have any queries or concerns, then please do feel free to catch us at the gate at the end of the school day or alternatively speak to the office to arrange a suitable time to meet.

Kind Regards,

Claire McLaughlin











