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 an incredibly busy term. Below is some useful information for Term 6:

Book Hook

This term we are focussing our learning around the book *The Butterfly Lion* by Michael Morpurgo. The book focuses on Bertie who rescues an orphaned white lion from the African grassland just outside his home. They are inseparable until Bertie is sent away to boarding school and the white lion is sold to a circus. Bertie endeavours to find the lion but it is the butterfly lion who ensures their friendship continues. The book provides many opportunities to discuss our value of Friendship. We will also think about the places that the story is set through cooking and Geography. Please look at The Journey Term 6 topic web for more information on the curriculum for this term.

Year 4 Multiplication Check

Year 4's will take part in this in the coming weeks. There is a window of time where this needs to be completed. Therefore, the children may not all have their checks on the same day.

Homework

Year 3 and 4 – homework will continue to be set on Teams and MyMaths

<u>Uniform</u>

Please can your children wear the correct uniform to school. This should be: yellow polo shirt, grey shorts/trousers, yellow/green gingham dress, green jumper, black shoes or trainers

Water bottles

Please can the children bring in a water bottle each day. This is particularly important in the summer months. We continue to have a comfort break each morning where the children are able to have a snack from home. As the weather gets warmer, please encourage your children to apply sun cream before school rather than 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 are very lucky to now have a community reader coming into school every Wednesday to hear children read. The children are also able to visit the library most afternoons to change their library books.

Please continue to check newsletters for significant dates this term. 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 McLauglin











