

GROVE ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

Welcome to Autumn 2. The children have settled in well and are enjoying life in key stage 2. We have been learning French which they have all enjoyed and we greet each other with “Bonjour” and “Ca va?” regularly.

Below are some of the things we are learning this half-term in English & Maths as well as the homework expectations for this term:

English	Maths
<p>Grammar, spelling and punctuation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjectives• Complex sentences• Noun phrases• Prepositions <p>Writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fictional stories• Recounts - Diaries• Historical Narrative• Non-Chronological Reports• Location reviews and brochures <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Using the context of the sentence to help me to read unfamiliar words• Justify predictions and inferences with evidence from the text <p>We will also be continuing to have daily Book Talk sessions.</p>	<p>Addition & Subtraction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Addition and subtraction facts• Adding and subtracting 1s to a 3-digit number• Adding and subtracting 10s to a 3-digit number• Adding and subtracting 100s• Using the column method• Renaming• Solving addition and subtraction word problems
Homework	Books We Will Be Reading
<p>Pupils should be reading for 20 minutes every night. Mathematics and Reading Eggs are set every Monday for the week ahead.</p> <p>Planners are checked every Monday morning, and must be signed.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roman Diary: The Journal of Iliona, Young Slave by Richard Platt• Escape From Pompeii by Christina Balit• Swop – The satsuma sized secret by Lucy Noguera

Our topic this half term continues with Where do the Romans fit in time?

We will be learning about Changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age and The Roman Empire and its impact on Britain. We are excited about our trips to Butser Ancient Farm and the cinema.

Please don't hesitate to e-mail me on blue@groveroad.hounslow.sch.uk if you have any questions or concerns.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs Cotter
Blue Class Teacher

