

Diamond Class Summer Term 2025

It is hard to believe that we are now in the final term of the children's time at Milldene Primary School. It is set to be a busy term, with SATs exams, the class production, the Enterprise Scheme, preparing for the transition to secondary school and a host of interesting learning projects to come.

Reading and English

In school, we will be reading *Holes* by Louis Sachar. This is a popular story which complements our topic of 'South and Central America'. The children will be learning how to write formal and informal letters and write an adventure narrative.



Mathematics

Our maths learning this term includes angles, geometry, shape and statistics.

Additionally, we will be focusing on understanding, and remembering the key skills in maths.

First half-term homework

Spellings— I have given out a sheet that details the spelling list for the half term. The weekly test will be on Fridays.

Reading— This term, more than ever, it is important to keep listening to your child read. Asking questions that require them to retrieve information from the text or to make an inference. This will help them with the SATs reading paper.

MyMaths— homework will be set each Friday and will reflect current learning.

P.E. Days

P.E. lessons will be on Monday and Thursday and we will be improving our athletics skills.

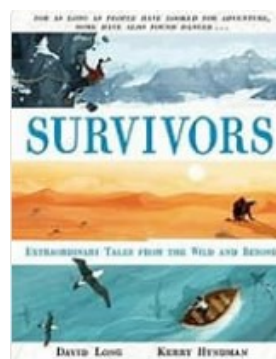
SATs

The children will be sitting their SATs in the week beginning 12th May. A letter regarding the SATs has been sent home with your child this week—please shout if you have not received it. If you would like to discuss your child's progress or if they have concerns, my door is open.

Topic for this half term:

South and Central America.

This term we have a geography focused topic. The children will be investigating the tropics, human and physical characteristics, trade, resource distribution and population. They will also be learning about the ancient Mayan civilisation.



Topic for after half term:

After half-term our topic will be 'Survivors' The children will be writing media reports and a narrative that focus on atmosphere and developing a

character's emotions.

First half-term project

Over the half term, the children may create a piece of work about the Mayan civilisation. They can take this in any direction they wish.

We are resilient



We show initiative



We apply our knowledge



We motivate ourselves and each other



We investigate our world



We collaborate together

