## Parents information sheet





# Y1 and Y2 - Summer 2 2023 Why is the History of Keswick significant?

We have 3 mixed age Y1/2 classes. The class teachers are Mrs. Danby, Mrs. Hodgson, Mrs Lake/ Mr. Sargeant. We are also supported by Mrs. Hemmings, Mrs Lockwood, Miss Smales and Mrs. Chawdhary. This information sheet is designed to give you more information about what we are learning in school and how you can help your child's learning at home. We will also share key vocabulary and the golden nuggets of learning our children need to learn so you can support this by questioning them. We have also included what the key learning for last half term was so that you can ask your child questions to help them recall this. It will provide you with key information too.



Please have your PE kit in school every day.

Week beginning 19th June is Sports Week.

### Home learning

On a Thursday your child will be assigned a reading book via Oxford Owl and Read Write Inc videos via Seesaw.

They will receive a book to read and a book to share to bring home. We will be assigning a weekly Maths home learning on Seesaw also on a Thursday.



We also have access to Spelling Shed and Rollama. Strive for 5 reading challenge. Each week, we are asking pupils to read at least 5 times a week (this could also include being read too by yourself). Please record this in their reading diary. Developing a love of reading is vitally important to all children. Don't forget to visit our 'Take a book, leave a book' sheds to get a new and exciting book.

#### Last term's golden nuggets were:

- 1. The weather in Devon is a good place for dairy farming because it has sun and rain which is perfect for good grass pastures.
- 2. A plant needs light and water to grow.
- 3. The main parts of a plant are the roots, stem, leaves and flower.
- 4. When people are baptized they are making a promise to be part of the Christian church and to follow God.
- People have different sorts of families.







# This half term, we are learning

### In English -

- To write sentences starting with a capital letter and ending with a full stop.
- To write letters correctly and the same size.
- To read books using Fred In your head (sounding out in your head unless you are stuck on the word)
- To answer questions and talk about the book they have read. .

### **Key Vocabulary**

- Keswick, past, sheep, farming, pencils, graphite, Moot Hall, school, William Wordsworth, Beatrix Potter
- plants, flowers, stem, root, water, sunlight, leaf, seeds, pollen, stamen

### This terms golden nuggets are:

- Graphite was first found in Borrowdale and the first pencil was made in 1. Keswick.
- 2. Keswick was known for farming, especially sheep. Farmers had to be fit because they had to walk everywhere.
- Joseph is a story from the old testament. He is an important person in 3. God's big story.
- Print making is when you create art by pressing something onto something 4. else.

### In Math's -

Year 1

Place value up to 100.

Year 2

**Fractions** 

Position and Direction

**Statistics** Time



