I know that many of you do these things already, but please could you:

- Label <u>ALL</u> of your child's belongings as we try very hard to re-unite lost property with their owners. There is a red Lost Property box in the Reading Book area of the classroom for you check at your convenience.
- Hear your child read at least twice a week and talk about unfamiliar words, the characters and plot of the books they read.
- Support your child and ensure that they complete homework tasks appropriately and hand them in on time.

Sport

This term PE will be on Tuesday morning and the class will have PAS on Thursday morning. Children will need <u>clearly</u> <u>named PE kit</u> in school for the whole term.

If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to pop in or to phone the office and leave a message so that I can ring you back.

Thank you,

Mr Warburton

St Luke's Primary School Curriculum Information



Living and Growing

EAGLES

Summer Term 2016

Arts

Art: Natural Art (Goldsworthy) Take One Picture Week (16th - 20th May)
DT: Understand and use mechanical systems in their products: gears, pulleys, cams, levers and linkages.

Maths

- Number and place value, order negative numbers, subtracting from 6 digit numbers, rounding to nearest 1000-100,000
- Roman numerals, 2 and 3 place decimals, multiply and divide by 10, 100, 1000.
- Multiplication, division and percentages, find equivalence between fractions and percentages
- Fractions and subtraction.
- Multiplication and division, multiples/common factors, short division of 4 digit by single digit numbers to give remainders as fractions.
- ullet Written multiplication, grid, short and long multiplication up to 3 digit x 2digit numbers
- Place value and subtraction. kg, g, l, ml, mm, cm, m, km. Subtract up to 2 decimal places. Find the difference and change from amounts of money.
- Multiplication of fractions
- Revise calculations, single and multi-step problems
- Angles and polygons
- Measures, data and time



English - Big Write Week 25th 29th April

Classic novels - The Hobbit by JRR Tolkien, investigate settings, character development, dialogue and narrative style.

Science fiction - Tales from Outer Suburbia by Shaun Tan, explore structure of short stories, write drama and a new short story.

Persuasive writing - analyse adverts and political speeches, write persuasively.

Non-chronological reports - research and write reports

Debate poetry and poetry that tells a story - Roger McGough, identify features, create play script and write a poem.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Poetic Style -} & Roger \ McGough \ and \ Michael \ Rosen, \ explore \ language \ and \ how \ writers \ infer \ deeper \ meanings. \end{tabular}$

Grammar includes:

Complex and compound sentences; elaborated language of description, including expanded noun phrases, adjectives, adverbials and, particularly, relative clauses; using accurate sentence and speech punctuation. Understand and use modal verbs, use and understand grammatical terminology, dialogue, direct speech, use speech punctuation, use commas to clarify meaning. Active and passive verbs, semi-colons, colons, dashes and bullet points.

Word reading, reading comprehension, spoken language and vocabulary.

Physical Development

Tuesday - Athletics.

Thursday - PAS - Striking and fielding games: rounders, cricket.

Science - (Science Week 23rd - 27th May)

Forces

• Continue our studies of different forces: water resistance and friction.

Investigate how mechanisms, like levers, pulleys and gears, help us to use smaller forces.

Living things and their habitats

- Study the life cycles of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds, including some unusual examples like egg-laying mammals and marsupials.
- Compare complete and incomplete metamorphosis.
- Find out about well-known naturalists and animal behaviourists.
- Propagate plants from different parts of the parent plant.

Knowledge and understanding of the world

History

- Ancient Sumerian Civilisation
- Location, life in City States, gods and religion
- Artefacts and culture, agriculture

Geography

- Climate zones
- Vegetation belts and Biomes
- Rivers

PHSE

Going for Goals

RE (RE Week 2nd half of term)

- Can religion help to build a fairer world?
- What do religions teach about the natural world and why should we care about it?

Computing

- Digital Imagery/Media
- Music and Sound

